

# Study Abroad- The Basics

Information session for all areas of study EXCEPT business and BA4\*



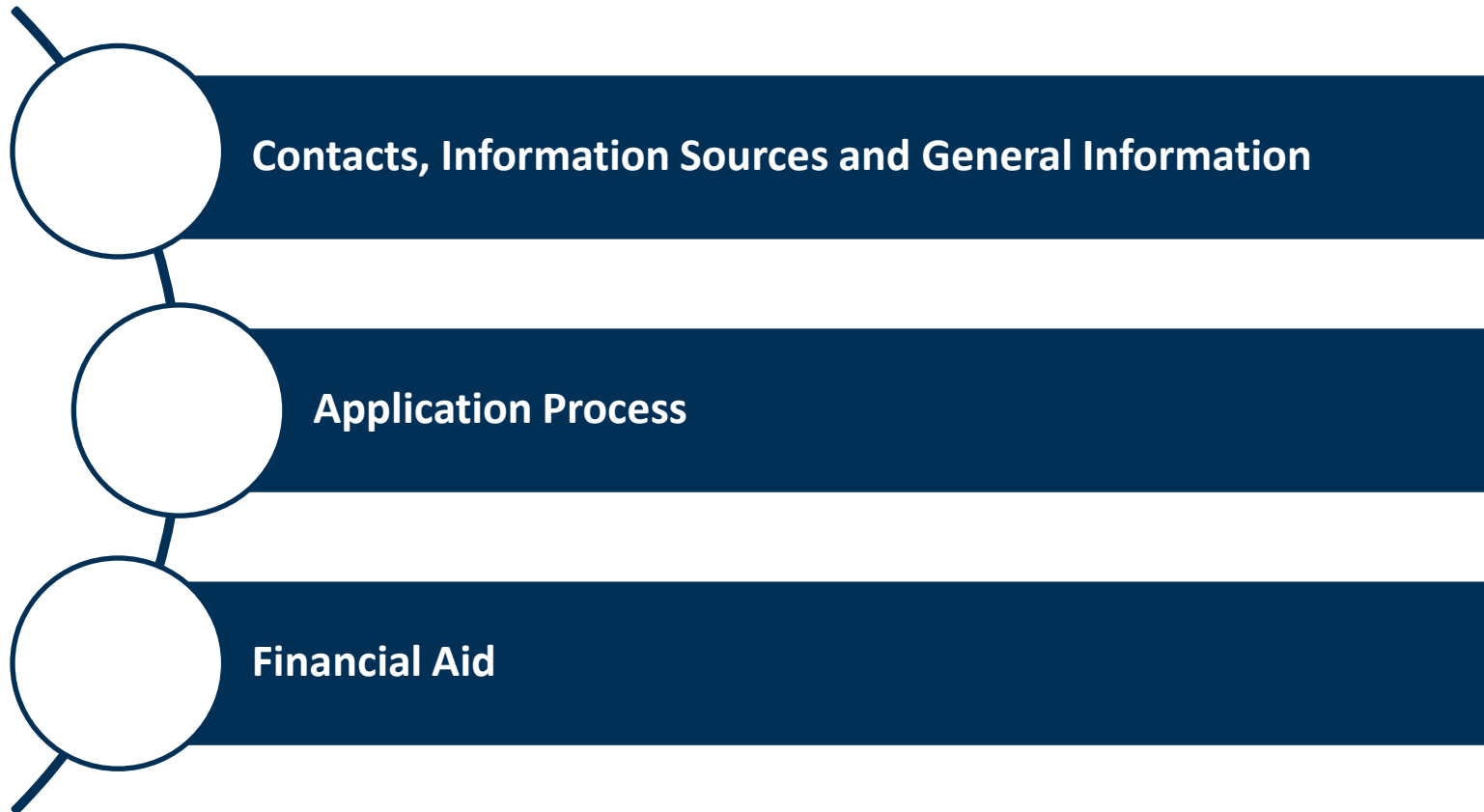
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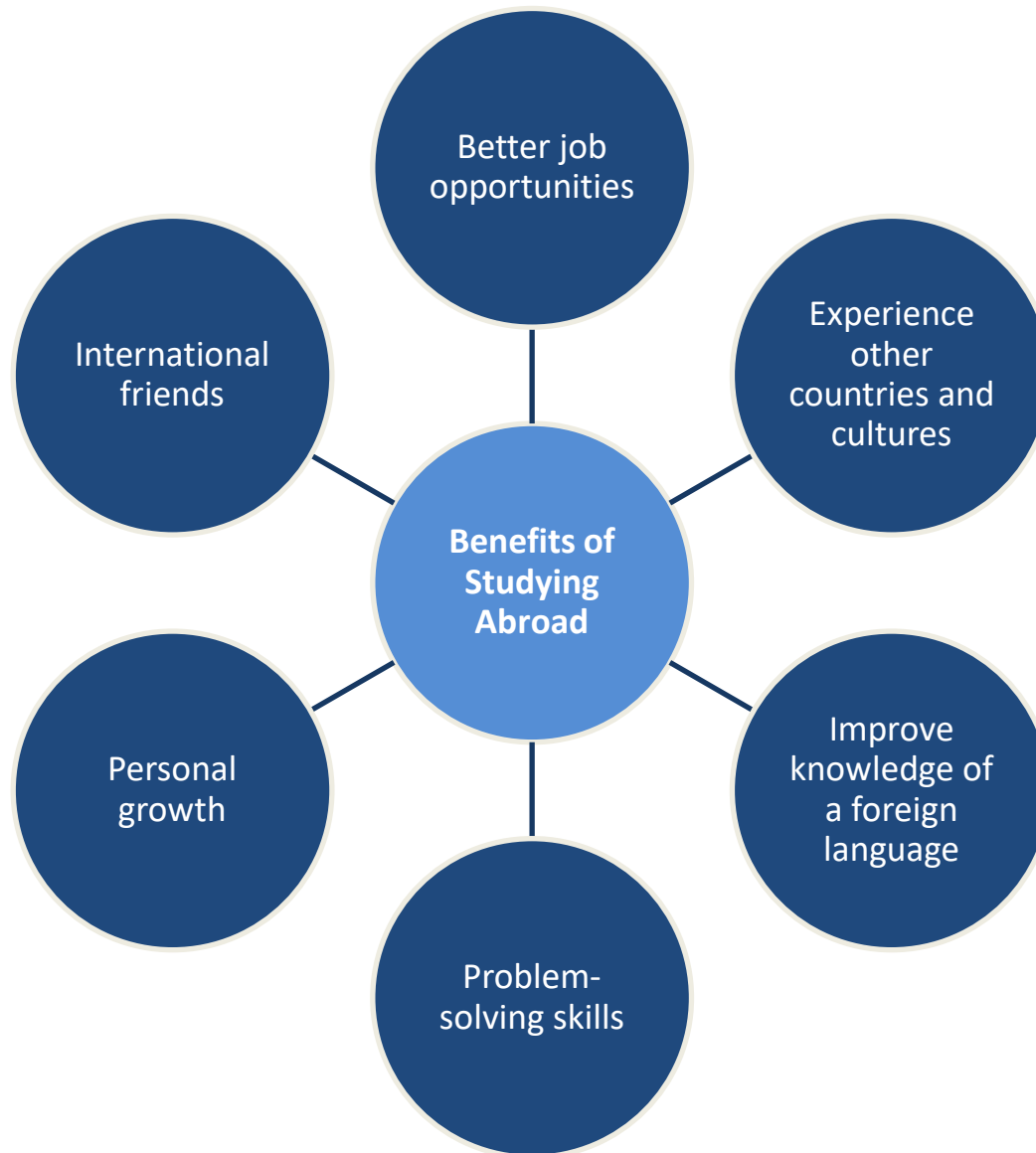
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\*Business and BA4: Please attend the information sessions in your school!

# Content: Basic Information About Studying Abroad



# Going abroad is always worth it!



# Many Ways Abroad

## Exchange Programs

Individual Study Abroad Organized by you (Free Mover)

Master's Degree abroad

International  
Internship

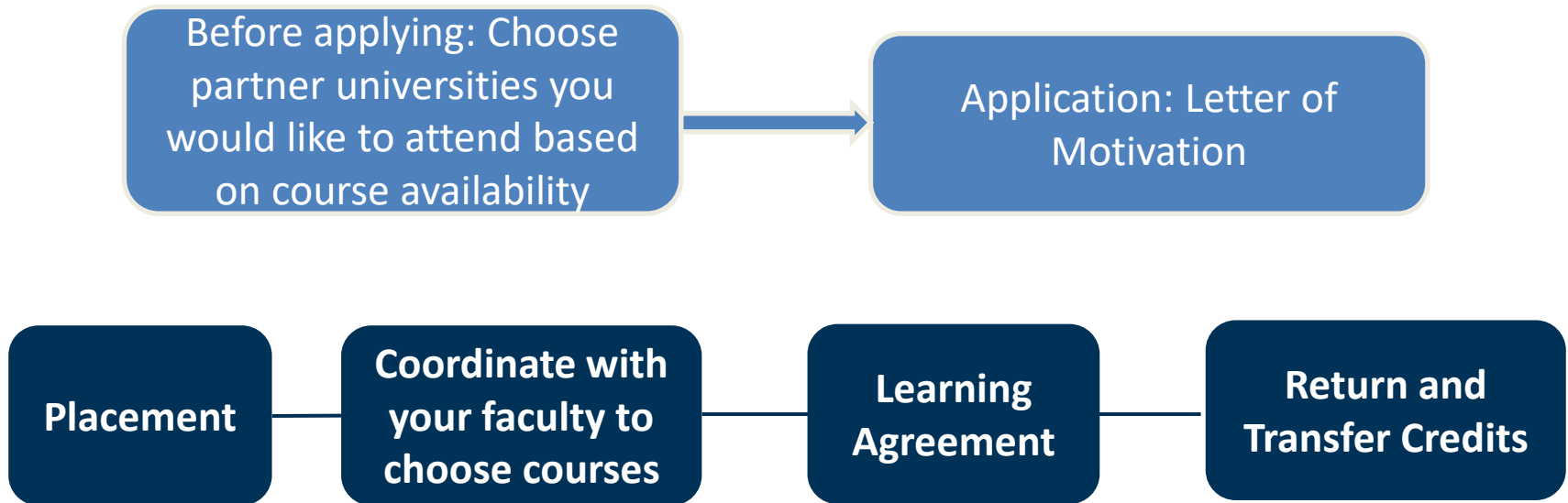
Short Programs (Language Course,  
Summer/Spring Schools)

Exchange possibilities through the  
Mannheim membership in the  
ENGAGE.EU network- an alliance of  
leading European universities



# Credit Transfer from Time Abroad

Studying abroad does not necessarily delay graduation because the credits earned abroad can be transferred to the University of Mannheim.



The [Departmental Exchange Coordinators](#) from your school are happy to help with course choices and transferring credits.

# Exchange Programs

- = Partner universities with exchange agreements in one or more subjects
- ✓ Tuition fees at host university are waived
- ✓ Application process at the University of Mannheim
- ✓ Various scholarship programs

Approx. 650 exchange programs  
with 2-4 spots each

Ca. 80% of all applications are  
successful



# Database of Partner Universities

→ Exchange options, requirements, specific information, alumni reports

→ [www.uni-mannheim.de/aaa/partnerunis](http://www.uni-mannheim.de/aaa/partnerunis)

Exchange possibilities

Experience Reports

Back to Preselection

Back to Preselection (with same selection)

English

Home institution University of Mannheim  
Type of application (Incoming/Outgoing) Outgoing  
Type of person Students  
Academic year 2022/2023

**i** IMPORTANT INFORMATION DETAILS: Please click on the icon on the left to access important information details regarding the individual agreement (e.g. application deadline, required proof of language skills)

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	Home institution	Host country	label.adr_ort not found	Partner institution	Study field	Program	Teaching language
<b>i</b>	Dept. of Law	Belgium	Antwerpen	University of Antwerp	Master of Laws (LLM), Master Wettbewerbs- und Regulierungsrecht , Master	Erasmus-SMS	English
<b>i</b>	Dept. of Law	China (PRC)	Hong Kong	City University of Hong Kong (CityU)	Ergänzungsstudium Jura, Staatsex. Kombinationsstudiengang Unternehmensjurist/in, Bachelor Master of Laws (LLM), Master Wettbewerbs- und Regulierungsrecht , Master	Partner University	English
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# University of Mannheim exchange programs in Europe



Exchange programs in Europe are almost all part of the **Erasmus-Program** („Erasmus SMS“).



The **Erasmus Scholarship** is (usually) automatic: currently €540-€600 per month. Including a tuition waiver, of course.

Also available for the **United Kingdom!**



Additionally, there are Erasmus-Online-Language Courses, a top-up for “Green Travel” and financial support for students with children, students with disabilities, first-generation students and students who work to support themselves.



# University of Mannheim Exchange Programs Overseas

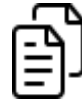


## Overseas



All programs include a **tuition waiver**.

Additionally, you can apply for PROMOS or the Baden-Württemberg-Scholarship.



Overseas partnerships are based on bilateral exchange agreements just like the European partnerships = **partner universities**.



In addition, there are multilateral agreements within the so-called “State Programs Baden-Württemberg” with various states and provinces in the US and Canada.



# Application Deadline for Exchange Programs



# When to apply and when to go abroad

## **Undergraduate students:**

Usually study abroad in their 5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup> semester

→ **Application usually in their 3<sup>rd</sup> semester:**

**15 October for overseas or 31 January for Europe**

Social Sciences: additional application deadline on 30 April in their 2<sup>nd</sup> semester to go abroad in their 4<sup>th</sup> semester

B.Sc. Economics: slightly earlier deadline for Europe in January

## **Graduate students:**

Exchange in their 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> semester

→ **Application usually in their 1<sup>st</sup> semester:**

**15 October for overseas or 31 January for Europe**

**Duration:** usually 1 Semester, sometimes 2 semesters are possible

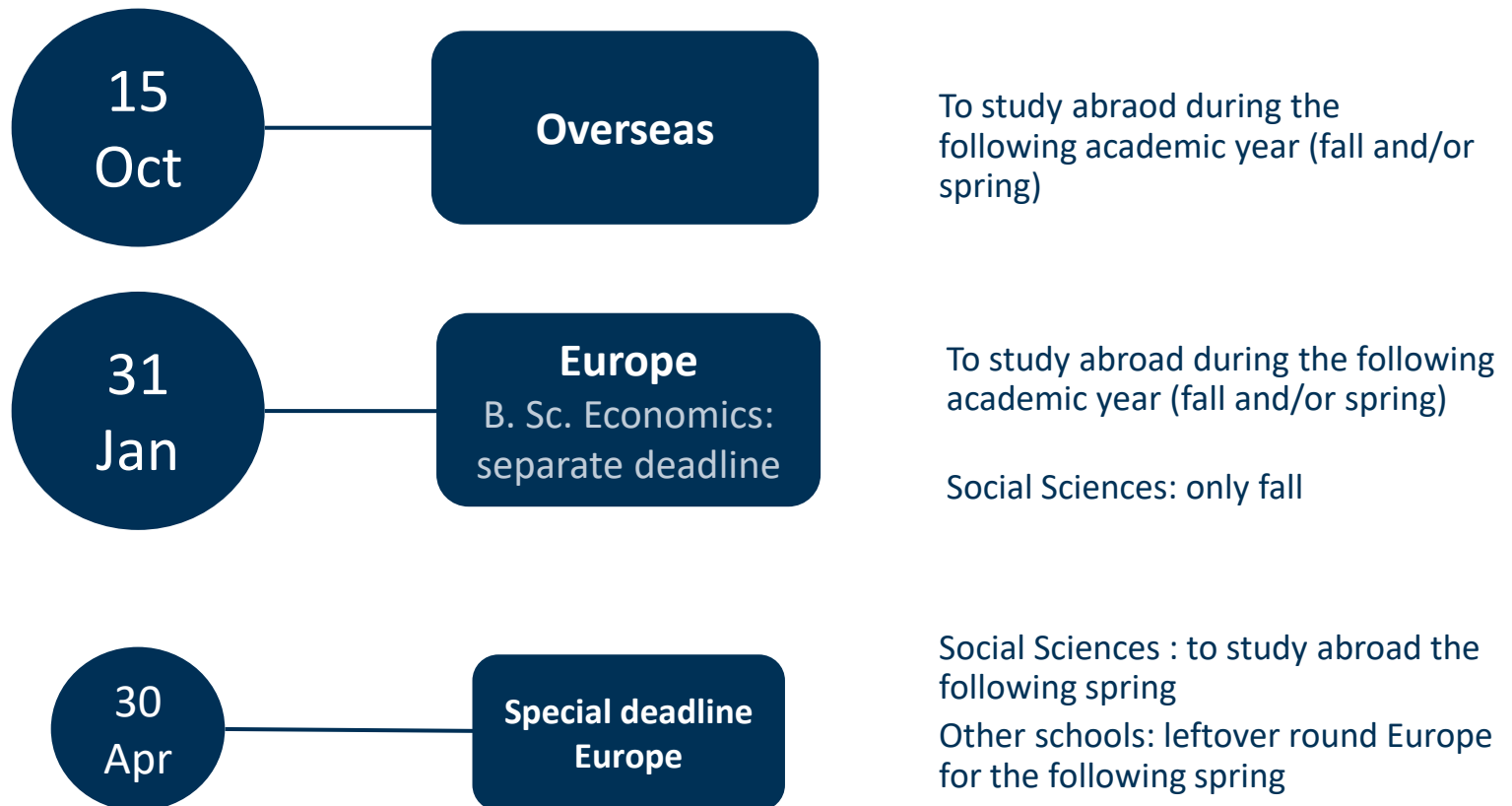
Research early: for some programs or scholarships you have to apply

14 months in advance!



# Application Deadlines\*

Overview at [www.uni-mannheim.de/aaa/deadlines](http://www.uni-mannheim.de/aaa/deadlines)



\*Application for all degree programs, except for Business and BA4.

# Your Application

## **Study Abroad Application Example 15 October Overseas-Application**

Priority 1: University of A

Priority 2: University of B

Priority 3: State Program C

Priority 4: University of D

Priority 5: State Program E

Priority 6: University of F

Priority 7: University of G

For each deadline you can submit one application with up to seven target universities.

You cannot mix overseas and Europe: separate deadlines!

Please make sure you fulfill the individual requirements of each university in your application!

Only apply for exchange programs which interest you!

If you accept an exchange spot (e.g. in Overseas) you cannot apply for another exchange (e.g. Europe) for the same semester.

# Application Procedure and Components

1

Each deadline has its own set of application instructions. Read these carefully and gather all required documents.

2

Apply online through the Mobility Online Portal. Upload all required application documents. Use the checklist in the application instructions!

## Application Documents:

Online Application Form

Letter of Motivation (max. 2 pages)

CV

[Proof of Language Proficiency](#)

Transcript

You will find a detailed description in the [application instructions](#)!



# Language Test



You need one of the accepted tests listed [on our website](#) to prove your language proficiency. The minimum requirement is a B2 level. (native speakers: contact us individually)

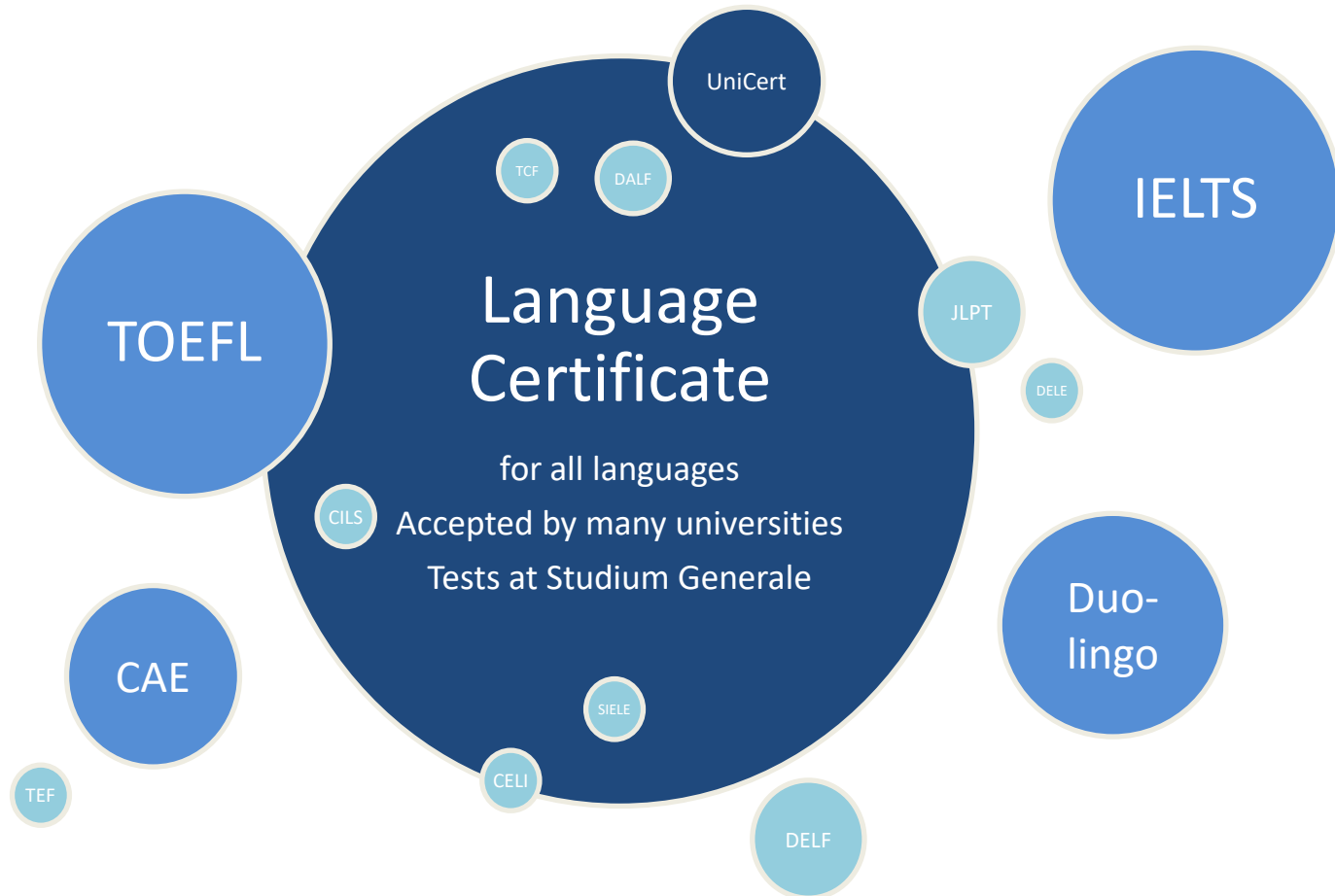


Make a test appointment at least 3 months before your application deadline. The test should reflect your current proficiency level and may not be older than two years (by the application deadline).



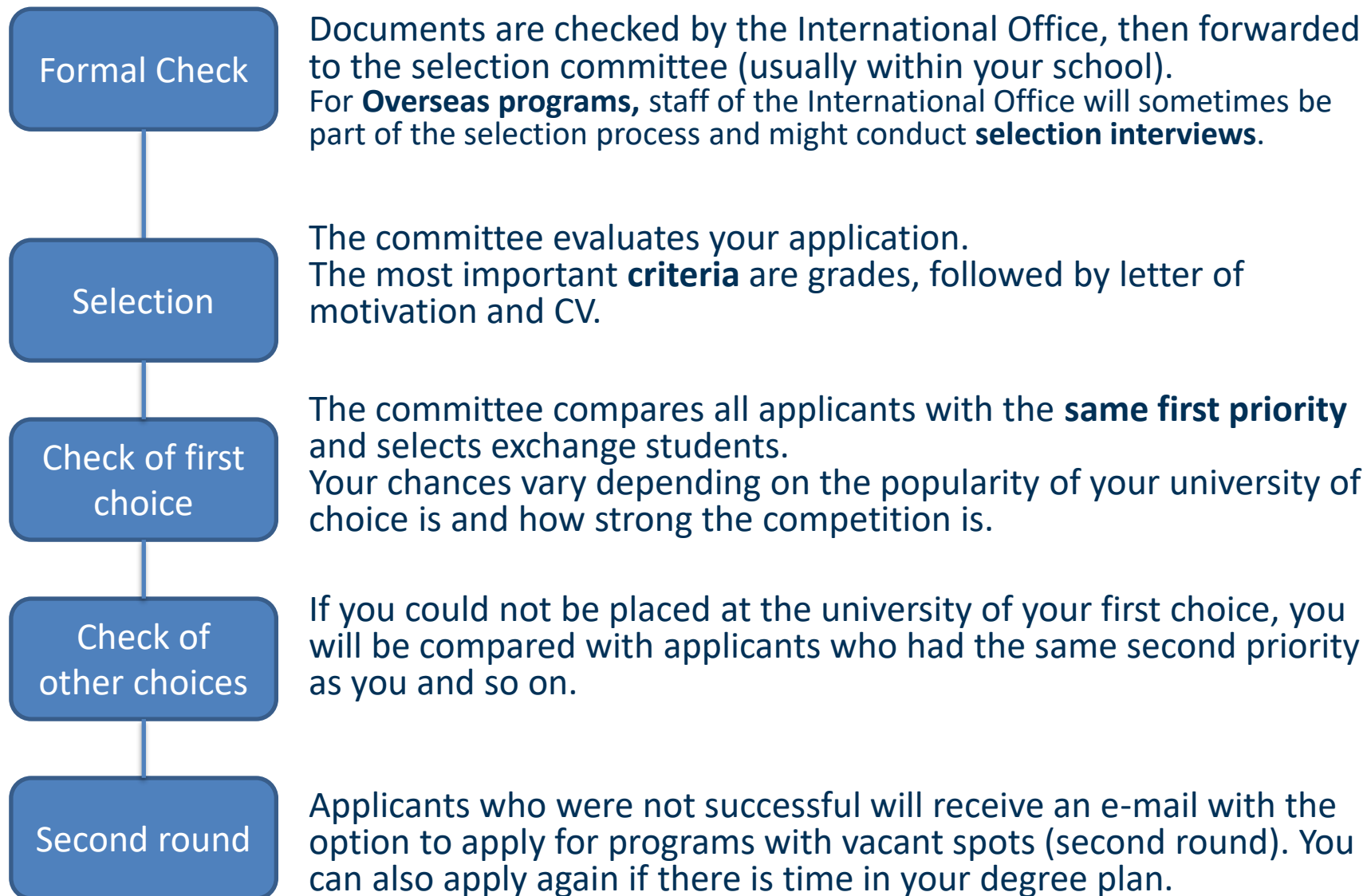
Some partner universities have special requirements – you can find these in the Partner University Database

# Accepted Language Tests



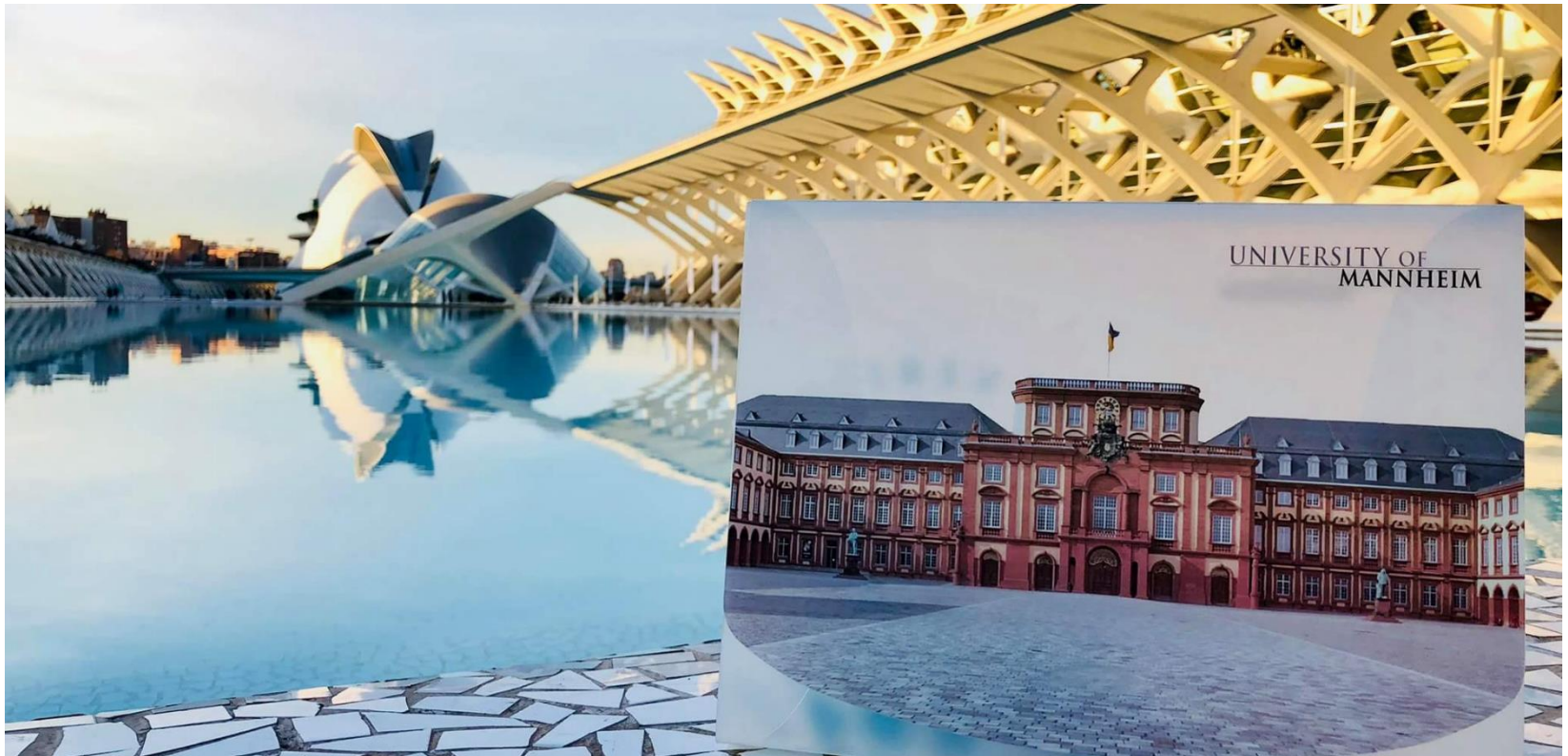
You can find more detailed information and FAQs on our [website!](#)

# Selection Process and Chances



# Scholarships and Financial Aid

The three most important scholarship programs



# Scholarships at the University of Mannheim

Application and Selection in Mannheim



## Erasmus-Scholarship to study abroad in Europe (including UK)

- **Grant: approx. 540 to 600 Euro monthly** (depending on budget and country)
- **+ Travel funding** (approx. 200-500€ depending on distance, bonus for green travel )
- **+ 250 Euro additional funding monthly for specific groups:**
  - Students with disabilities\*
  - Students with additional needs due to chronic illness\*
  - Students with children\*
  - Students from a non-academic family background
  - Working students (min. 6 months / wage 480-850 Euro)

\*additional support available : please contact us immediately if needed

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## Overseas

**PROMOS** (for undergraduate)

**Baden-Württemberg-Scholarship** (for graduate)

- Funding period: **1 semester only**
- Study level: **undergraduate: PROMOS | graduate: BW-Scholarships**
- Funding level PROMOS: **€350 to €550 monthly (depends on country)**
- Funding level BW: **€600 monthly**
- Deadline: **31 March for exchange in the fall  
15 October for exchange in the spring**



# Other Scholarship Options



## DAAD-Scholarship

- for a year-long exchange in overseas
- for a whole master's or double degree worldwide



## SEMP-Scholarship Switzerland

(similar to Erasmus)



## Fulbright-Scholarships

- Travel grant
- Full scholarship for a master's degree in USA

# Auslands-BAföG and Student Loans

Auslands-BAföG

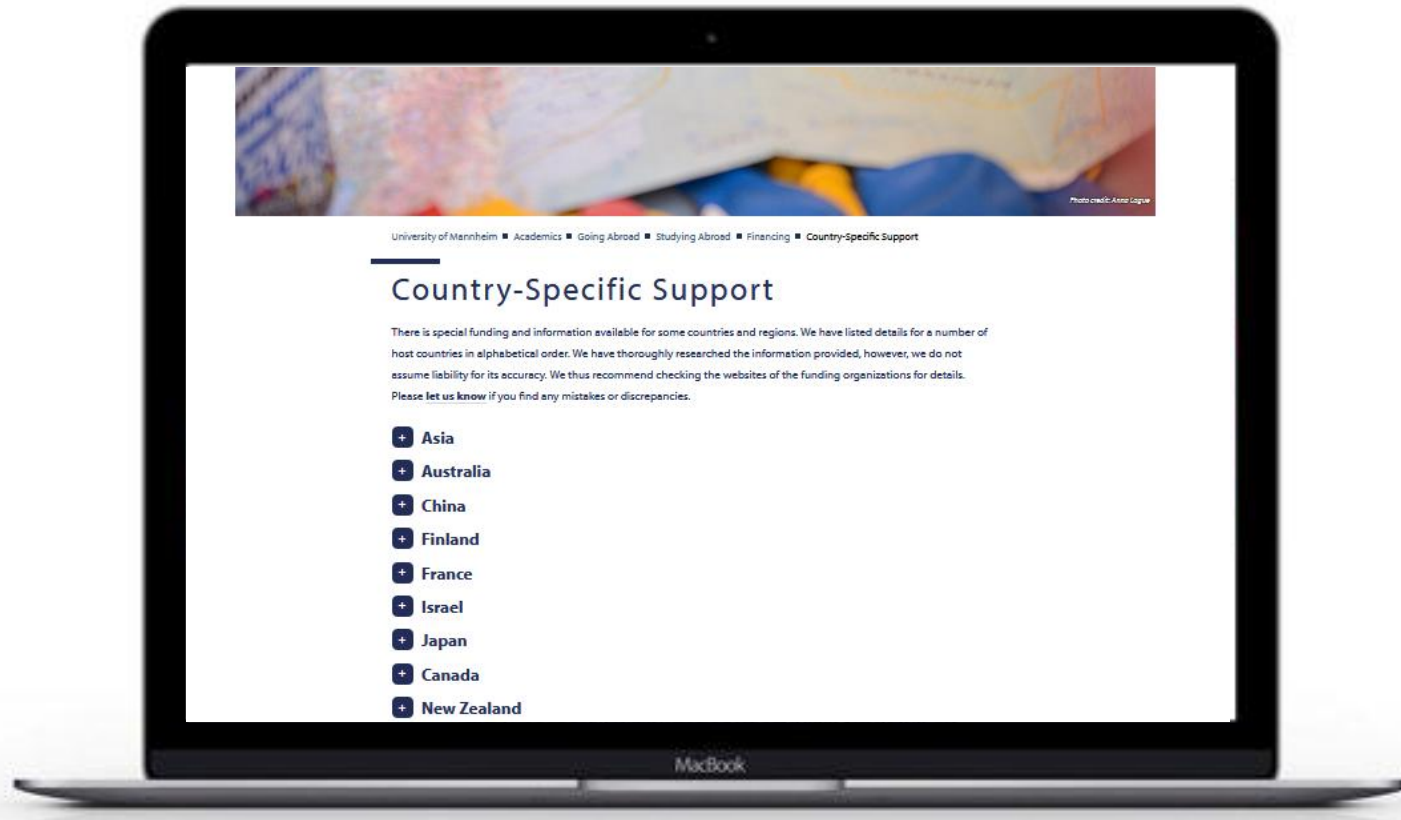
Bildungskredit (Student Loan)

KfW-Studienkredit (Student Loan)

# Please let us advise you!

For more information go to

[www.uni-mannheim.de/aaa/funding](http://www.uni-mannheim.de/aaa/funding)



# Your Path Abroad

<https://www.uni-mannheim.de/en/academics/going-abroad/>



Attend an information session right at the beginning of your studies.



Where do you want to go? Find the right partner university.



Be aware of the different application deadlines.



Check the language requirements.



Read about scholarships and other financing options.



Read the application instructions applying to your application date.



Start the application for your stay abroad.

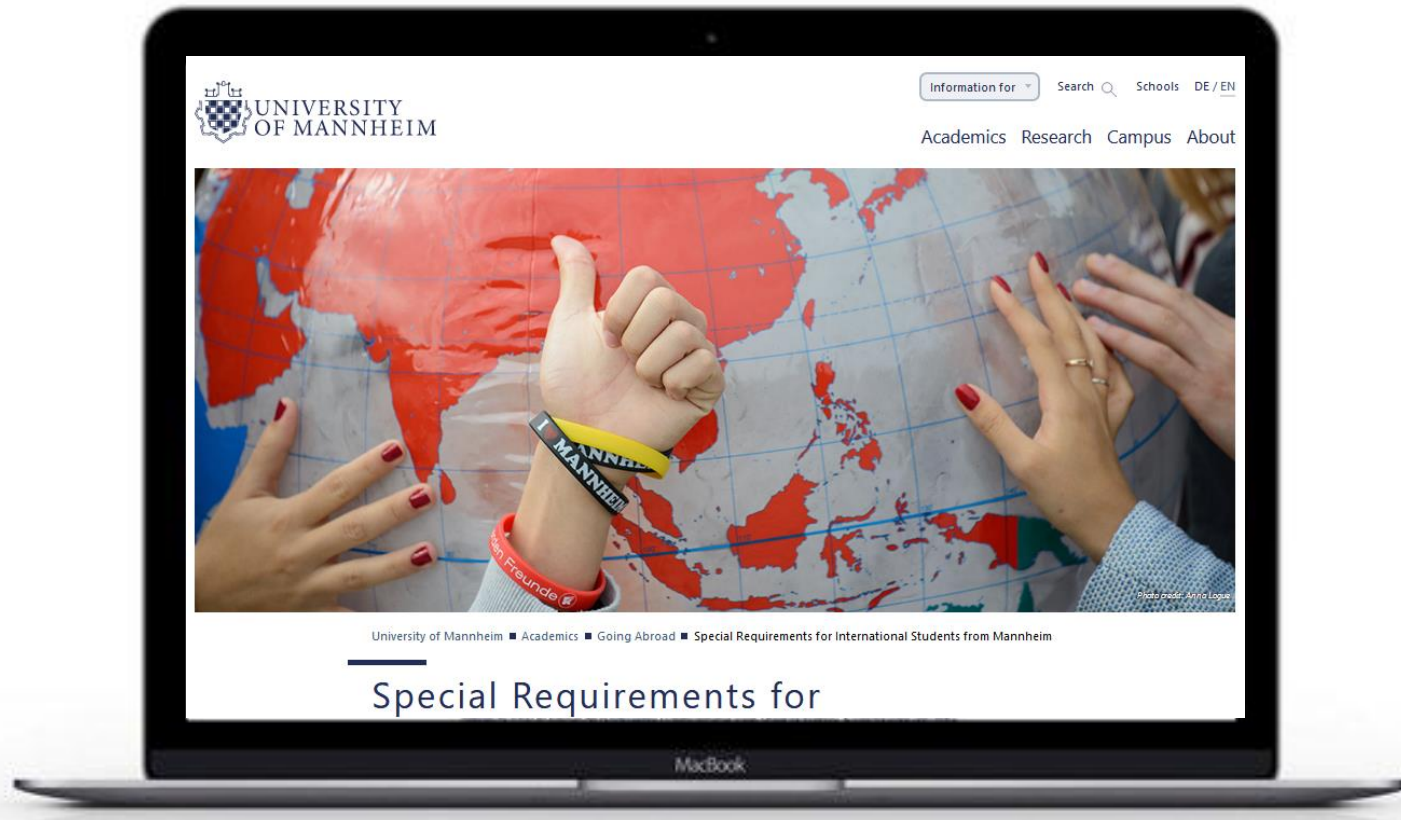


Steps upon your successful application.

All non-German applicants please visit the

## [Special Requirements for International Students from Mannheim Website](#)

...and contact us before you apply!



# Your Study Abroad Contacts

## International Office

### Organizational Questions

Application formalities,  
language tests,  
scholarships, visa, housing,  
nomination process

## Advisors in your School

### Academic and study- related questions

Course selection, credit  
transfer, time window to  
study abroad

Overview at [www.uni-mannheim.de/io](http://www.uni-mannheim.de/io)

Office hours in person or online





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and good luck with your  
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