Impressions of Former Participants

The Summer program “Innovation in Information Technology” gives students from around the world an opportunity to meet and learn at the Technische Universität München.

“Having spent 3 wonderful weeks in the TUM Summer University is truly a priceless experience for me. I did not only have the chance to improve my German language, but also immerse myself into the German culture and experience the social life in Germany. I truly enjoyed the activities offered, from the enriching workshops in research institutes and production factories, to the tours around the cities and places of attractions. I am glad to be one of the members of the Summer University, and I will take with me all the unforgettable lifelong memories and experiences.”

Astrini, NTU, Singapore

“I think that being a participant of the Summer University program is the best experience I could ever have. I could enjoy Munich’s history, culture, technology and modernity. I did enjoy Bavarian food and learning German language. I was also glad to meet the other course participants and have new friends from different background, cultures and countries.”

Dounya Barrit, AUI, Morocco
About Technische Universität München

Technische Universität München (TUM) is one of Europe’s leading research universities. With roughly 460 professors and 8,000 additional staff, it offers academic and research opportunities to 31,500 students. More than 15% of the staff and almost 20% of the students come from abroad, creating a university culture which is cosmopolitan and hospitable. In Europe and worldwide, TUM maintains 400 university partnerships, and collaborates with many international research institutions.

Program Description

Goals

The three week Summer program “Innovation in Information Technology” introduces you to the most innovative training and research areas of the Technische Universität München in the field of information technology. You are given the opportunity to make yourself familiar with the German research scene and exchange experience in a group of young, international students. You hereby learn German intensively, are immersed in the culture of everyday life in Germany and visit high-tech locations in and around this city.

Workshops

- A series of interdisciplinary technical workshops in the area of informatics
- International project management and all-day inter-cultural training
- Industry excursions e.g. to production locations of BMW or Audi and visits to TUM research labs

Language: English

50 hours, 3 credits ECTS

German Language Course

The ability to use German for communicative purposes provides you with a greater access to German culture. A comfortable working knowledge of German and a familiarity with German culture prepare for an increasingly international working environment. Language courses are offered at beginner, intermediate, and advanced levels.

Language: German

50 hours, 3 credits ECTS

Cultural and Social Program

The program is rounded off by a cultural and social program in and around Munich. Social events complement the daily life experience and create opportunities to interact with German students at TUM.

Target Group and Requirements

The program is open to students of computer science and engineering who have a special interest in information technology. Students should have completed their first year of Bachelor’s studies.

Accommodation

Students live in an international student hostel or dormitory.

Program Fee

€ 1,500

Program fee includes: TUM Workshops, German language course, excursions, health insurance, accommodation in a dorm or hostel, half-board (Mon-Fri), public transportation pass.

How to Apply

Please download the application form online: www.tum-summer.com

Application Deadline: February 25, 2013