

universität freiburg

Faculty of Environment and Natural Resources

Fakultät für Umwelt und Natürliche Ressourcen

Fact Sheet for ERASMUS Partners, 2026/27



INSTITUTIONAL DETAILS

University of Freiburg	Erasmus ID Code: D FREIBUR01
Faculty	Faculty of Environment and Natural Resources Fakultät für Umwelt und Natürliche Ressourcen
Subjects areas	Forest Sciences, Environmental Sciences (separate coordinators and agreements for subject areas Geography, Geology and Hydrology)
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Information for Incomings at University level	Info for Incomings at University level
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ACADEMIC CALENDER

Winter semester (WS)	19.10.2026 - 12.02.2027
Summer semester (SS)	19.04.2027– 25.07.2026 (Bachelor) 19.04.2027 – 31.07.2027 (Master)
Examinations Bachelor	WS: mid Feb to mid March SS: end of June to beginning of August
Examinations Master	WS: mid Feb to end Feb SS: courses are taught in 3-week-blocks and exams take place at the end of each block

NOMINATION and APPLICATION

Nomination — deadline (for partners)	For winter semester: June 10 For summer semester: November 25
Nomination — procedure (for partners)	By email to: erasmus@zv.uni-freiburg.de (central Erasmus Office of the University) Please include: Name / Date of birth / Field of study at the home university / Study cycle at home university / Current semester at home university / Email address of the student.
	After receipt of the nomination <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The central Erasmus Office will send your student a link to the online platform MOBILITY ONLINE and forward the nomination to us (faculty). We (faculty Erasmus office) will contact the student and send information
Application deadline (for students)	For winter semester: June 15 For summer semester: November 30

COURSE SELECTION

Erasmus students can choose courses from

Bachelor level	<p>B.Sc. Forest Sciences /Waldwissenschaften (German) Programme Overview Course catalogue (select Fakultät für Umwelt und Natürliche Ressourcen)</p> <p>B.Sc. Environmental Sciences (Umweltnaturwissenschaften (German) Programme Overview Course catalogue (select Fakultät für Umwelt und Natürliche Ressourcen)</p> <p>QUICK OVERVIEW For both programmes: This excel list contains all available courses and can be filtered by semester, programme, major/minor and language. Helpful to get a first impression of what's on offer.</p>
Master level	<p>M.Sc. Forest Sciences (English / German) Module handbooks</p> <p>M.Sc. Environmental Sciences (English /German) Module handbooks</p> <p>University of Freiburg Course catalogue (select Fakultät für Umwelt und Natürliche Ressourcen)</p>
Restrictions	Bachelor students are not allowed to take courses of our Master programmes. Exception: If students are enrolled in a 4-year Bachelor programme and are in their final year.
Restricted Master programmes	Erasmus students have no access to: M.Sc. Environmental Governance (MEG)
Registration for courses	<p>Erasmus students do not need to register for courses themselves.</p> <p>A few weeks before the semester starts we send an up-to-date course catalogue and ask to check and confirm their selection. We then book the places. In some cases a course maybe be fully booked by regular students. In this case, we offer alternatives.</p>

LANGUAGE

for Bachelor courses	German B2
for Master courses	English B2 or German B2
German language courses	Erasmus students have free access to German courses provided by the The Language Teaching Centre (SLI) of the University of Freiburg . Registration for courses in winter semester opens mid-September, for summer semester at the beginning of March. .

ECTS CREDITS

Credits per semester	25-30 ECTS is the standard full-time semester load for degree seeking students.
Credits per course / module	One course/module equals 5 ECTS credits, in both, Bachelor and Master programmes.

HOUSING

Student residences	After registration in the Mobility Online Portal students can apply online for housing in a student residence. If Erasmus students apply right away, it is very likely that they get a place. Prices range from 280€ to 450€ per month.
Private housing	It is very difficult to find a room on the private market. We strongly recommend to apply for a student residence.

STUDENT SERVICES

Orientation	Information session at the beginning of the semester with Erasmus Coordinator of the faculty Orientation days for exchange students, organised by the International Office.
Student affairs (housing, cafeterias, leisure time activities)	Studierendenwerk Freiburg (SWFR)
International Club (activities)	International Club (SWFR)
Student Services (matriculation)	Service Center Studium
Special Needs	The university of Freiburg welcomes students with special needs. More information and contact here .

LINKS

Youtube videos	Freiburg — A Sustainable City Trip in Germany Discover Freiburg by Bike and Longboard Living in Freiburg (in German)
Faculty of Environment and Natural Resources (UNR)	www.uni-freiburg.de/unr
Erasmus Website Faculty UNR (Incomings)	https://www.unr.uni-freiburg.de/de/studium-lehre/austausch-erasmus/erasmus
Erasmus Website University (Incomings)	https://www.international.uni-freiburg.de/de/erasmus/studium-incoming
University of Freiburg	uni-freiburg.de
Green City Freiburg	greencity.freiburg.de
Visit Freiburg	visit.freiburg.de/en/feel-freiburg
Train connections in Germany	Bahn.de
Public transport in Freiburg	rvf.de

