## **Further study in Germany**

(KEY: Choose University with international Degree Programme which is taught in English.)

(Visit the official web site of DAAD: <a href="http://ic.daad.de/hongkong/en/">http://ic.daad.de/hongkong/en/</a> for details)

- 1. General information
  - $\blacksquare$  6-7 semesters (3 3.5 years)
  - Fees: 0 500 euros/semesters (SAME as local students)
  - Living: 600 euros/month
  - HK\$80000/year
- 2. Germany University (QS TOP 150 World University)

(Hint: Germany University DOESN'T care much about the ranking. They won't do anything to suit the ranking criterion. So the ranking is just a reference.)

- Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg, Technische Universität München
- Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Universität Freiburg
- Freie Universität Berlin, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)
- Humboldt-Universität zu Berli, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen
- Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen
- Rheinisch-Westfälische Technische Hochschule Aachen

## 3. Application

(Hint: Visit the university web sites. Ask google to translate the content to English. For any enquiry, ask the University's International Student Office through e-mail.)

- 3.1 General information
- TOEFL: 220 (Computer-based)
- IELTS: 6.0 (minimum, may be higher for different university)
- Application for 2019/2020 winter semester: April-July 2019
- 3.2 Application Deadline

1 - 15 July 2021

\*For DSE Applicants, the application deadline is usually very close to the date when you receive your DSE report card. Universities do not accept incomplete or belated application. Please be aware of it. You may also ask the university for more details. (Hint: Upload all the documents except for the HKDSE result slip before the release of the HKDSE result (14<sup>th</sup> July). Then upload the HKDSE result slip immediate after its release.)

- 3.3 Apply directly at the university
- Every university has its own International Student Office (Akademisches Auslandsamt AAA) which provides necessary application forms. Steps of application:
- Search for a suitable programme
- Check the application procedure (documents, deadlines, etc.) on the programme's website.
- Fill out the application form and collect the necessary documents. Universities usually required applicants to authenticate their certificate, please contact the German Consulate General Hong Kong for the procedure.
- Send out the application package directly to the university.
- After a successful application the Office for International Affairs will issue a certificate of admission (Zulassungsbescheid).

- 3.4 Apply via UNI-ASSIST
- Starting from 2004, there is a change regarding the application procedures for international students. 106 German institutions of higher education currently participate in a programme called UNI-ASSIST (Arbeits- und Servicestelle für Internationale Studienbewerbungen Application Service System for International Students).
- With UNI-ASSIST you can apply simultaneously to more than one UNI-ASSIST universities by submitting one set of authenticated copies only. Your application will be pre-checked by UNI-ASSIST and you will receive information if your documents are complete. UNI-ASSIST charges applicants accordingly for their service:
- First Application: 75 Euro
  - Each Additional Application: 30 Euro
- A current list of all ASSIST-universities can be found here. Please visit UNI-ASSIST website for more information.
- 3.5 Application Documents
- Application Form, Photo
- Authenticated School Leaving Certificate: HKCEE and HKALE / HKDSE
- Authenticated Language Certificates: TOEFL / IELTS for English programmes; TestDaF / DSH for German programmes
- Curriculum Vitae / Resume (If necessary)
- Motivation Letter (If necessary)
- Reference Letter(s) (If necessary)
- \*Both deadlines and documents vary from programme to programme, you should check the details of individual university/programme carefully before submitting the application!
- 4. International Degree Programmes
  - Same school fee as local school
  - Wholly or partly instructed in English
  - About 1400 programmes offered

## Examples:

- Arts and Cultural, Bioengineering, Business, Economics, Design, Electronics
- Engineering, Environment & Energy, Hospitality Management
- Information Engineering, Journalism