In the winter semester 2023/24, enrollment at Universität Hamburg will take place digitally. Documents sent in paper form by post will not be considered! You will receive the relevant information on the digital enrollment application with your admission letter. Please note that you must enroll within 7 days after receiving your letter of admission. This deadline is final; no extensions can be granted.

Please check your documents carefully using this checklist. The documents highlighted in colour must be uploaded within the enrollment deadline, otherwise your admission will no longer be valid. Please make sure that the files you upload contain complete documents. In particular, the baccalaureate certificate must contain all pages, individual pages are not enough! Incomplete documents may also cause your admission to become invalid. If there are no documents highlighted in colour in this checklist, there are no documents for your degree program that must be uploaded within the enrollment deadline. You can submit the remaining documents later without jeopardizing your admission. Submitting documents at a later date may mean that you only receive your permanent semester documents (proof of enrollment, BAföG certificate, and semester public transport pass) after the semester has started. Please send us any later submissions via [www.uni-hamburg.de/submit-later](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/submit-later).

Without exception, all applicants (including students who have already enrolled) must upload the following documents:

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Note on health insurance

In order to be enrolled, you must either have statutory health insurance or obtain exemption from insurance through a state health insurance agency. Your status (insured or exempt) is transmitted to the universities by the state health insurance agencies via an electronic procedure. Thus, once you receive an acceptance letter, contact a public health insurance provider immediately and have yourself insured or exempted so that Universität Hamburg can be notified about your insurance status. As long as your insurance status is not reported to Universität Hamburg, you will not be enrolled and therefore will not receive semester documents. Further information, in particular about exemption, is provided here: [www.uni-hamburg.de/kven](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/kven).

Due to the special admission criteria, you must additionally upload the following proof if you belong to one or more of the following applicant groups:

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### Teacher training

- **Upload proof of language proficiency / certificates at enrollment for the following teaching subjects:**
  - **English**
  - **French (only „Lehramt für Sekundarstufe I und II“ and „Lehramt an berufsbildenden Schulen“)**
  - **Latin (only „Lehramt für Sekundarstufe I und II“)**
  - **Spanish (only „Lehramt für Sekundarstufe I und II“ and „Lehramt an berufsbildenden Schulen“)**

See [www.uni-hamburg.de/language-proficiency](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/language-proficiency)

- **If already available, upload proof of language proficiency / certificates for the following teaching subjects:**
  - **Greek (only „Lehramt für Sekundarstufe I und II“)**
    - The proof must be provided until you register for the bachelor’s thesis.
  - **History (only „Lehramt für Sekundarstufe I und II“)**
    - The proof must be provided until the completion of the advanced module ("Aufbaumodul").
  - **Protestant religion (only „Lehramt für Sekundarstufe I und II“)**
    - The proof must be provided until the end of the fourth subject semester.

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- **Teacher training in vocational education („Lehramt an berufsbildenden Schulen“):**
  - Proof of relevant vocational training (certificate) or confirmation of a 12-month professional internship from the Central Examination Office for Teacher Training (Zentrales Prüfungsamt für Lehramtsprüfungen, ZPLA)
  - Exception: In the field of industrial-technical sciences ("Gewerblich-technische Wissenschaften"), it is possible to complete an internship within the degree program.

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### Human movement science (major / minor) teaching subject Sport

- **Medical certificate of physical fitness**
- **Proof of general rescue skills (first-aid)**
- **Proof of swimming and water rescue skills (German rescue swimming badge in silver (DRSA))**
  - The proof must be provided by the end of the first semester.

### Degree programs with special language requirements (Major/Minor)

- **Upload proof of language proficiency / certificates at enrollment for the following degree programs:**
  - **French**
  - **Joint Study Program Bachelor of Laws (Hamburg/Istanbul)**
  - **Classical Philology (major)**
  - **Latin Philology (minor)**
  - **Spanish**
  - **Business Mathematics**

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- **You must provide proof of language proficiency for**
  - **Psychology** by the end of the first subject semester
  - **Human Movement Science** by the end of the first subject semester
  - **History**
    - **Major:** by the completion of the advanced module ("Aufbaumodul").
    - **Minor:** by the time you re-enroll for the fifth subject semester
  - **Greek Philology (minor)** by the time you re-enroll for the third subject semester
  - **Medieval Studies** by the time you re-enroll for the fourth subject semester
  - **Classical Archaeology (major)** by the time you register for the bachelor’s thesis

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* You may be asked to provide the documents marked with * as certified copies during the course of your studies. In this case, you will receive a message in your STiNE account. You will be given sufficient time to have your documents certified. For more information, see [www.uni-hamburg.de/certification](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/certification).

For more information about the procedures following enrollment, see [www.uni-hamburg.de/pe](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/pe).