PIASTA Welcome Week

Campus Tour - online
Welcome to University of Hamburg!

Please turn on your camera so we can get to know each other!

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1. Get to know each other!
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1. Get to know each other
Get to know each other!

1. Have a post-it or something similar ready to cover your camera.
2. Everyone cover their camera with a post-it!
3. Take away the post-it if the following statement applies to you....
2. Campus Tour
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Campus Navigator of Hamburg University: https://www.uni-hamburg.de/onTEAM/campus/
Station 1 | ESA East

Information on the building

• “ESA” stands for Edmund-Siemers-Allee. Edmund Siemers (1840–1918) was an entrepreneur who supported the establishment of a university in Hamburg and also endowed the Main Building.

• The Asien-Afrika-Institut (AAI) is located in ESA East. The AAI is one of the departments in the Faculty of Humanities.

• You will find the subjects African studies, sinology, Islamic studies, and Iranian studies here.

• But both Indian and Tibetan studies and Buddhist studies are located at Alsterterrasse 1.
Station 1 | ESA East

Information on the area: Dammtor

- S-Bahn Lines S11, S21 and S31
- Bus lines 5 and 4
- Regional and long-distance trains
Station 1 | ESA East

Information on the area: Campus Center

• The Application, Admissions and Student Affairs Team is located here; they are responsible for all of the formalities concerning your studies (e.g., semester contributions and proof of enrollment).

• There are many important advising services here such as the Center for Academic Advising, Psychological Counseling, the Office for Students with Disabilities and Chronic Illnesses, and the Office of Advising for Sexual Discrimination and Violence.

• A student team works at the Service Point and takes calls to the Service Telephone
Station 2 | Main Building ESA 1

Information on the building:

- Universität Hamburg celebrated its 100th anniversary in 2019.
- The Main Building is used by all of the faculties and includes several lecture halls, two larger ones with about 600 and 400 seats and five smaller lecture halls.
- The lecture halls (e.g., Ernst Cassirer Lecture Hall) are named after scholars who were expelled from the University during National Socialism.

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Station 3 | ESA West

Information on the building:
• There is a library and workstations on the ground floor.
• You will need your library card. (Apply for this in advance!)
• And there is a nice café in the foyer that is run by Studierendenwerk Hamburg.
• ESA East and ESA West wings were both a donation: for the University’s 75th anniversary, the buildings were donated by a Hamburg entrepreneur couple and built in 1998 and 2002, respectively.

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Station 3 | ESA West

Tips:

You can rent a bike at StadtRAD Hamburg (public bike-sharing network) station. It costs €5 to sign up and then the first 30 minutes of each trip is free and every additional minute costs about 10 cents.

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Station 4 | Law building

• This building is home to the Faculty of Law.
• This faculty has existed since the establishment of Universität Hamburg in 1919.
• Approximately 4,400 students study here.
• There are lecture halls and a very popular library with long opening hours, which is only available to law students during the examination period.
• There are numerous workplaces in the library.

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Station 4 | Law building

Information on the building:

• Refugee Law Clinic Hamburg
  www.jura.uni-hamburg.de/lehrprojekte/law-clinics.html

• equal opportunities office
  www.jura.uni-hamburg.de/diefakultaet/gremien-beauftragte/gleichstellungsbeauftragte.html

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Station 4 | Law building

Bicycle workshop and StadtRAD Hamburg (public bike-sharing network) station

• At the bicycle workshop, you can use the tools for free, and the employees can help you for a donation. You can also bring your bike here to have it repaired (for a fee).
• You can rent a bike at StadtRAD Hamburg (public bike-sharing network) station.
Station 4 | Law building

Regional Computing Center (RRZ) and usernames
The Regional Computing Center offers IT services, including Wi-Fi at the University, provides support if you have problems with your Universität Hamburg username, and offers software for students.

Regional Computing Center’s service desk at Schütterstraße 70 (current opening hours on the website www.rrz.uni-hamburg.de) or contact their service line via email: rrz-serviceline@uni-hamburg.de.

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**Why do you need your uni username and student ID number?**

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| - e.g. BAO3423  
- You STiNE log-in is required: to register for courses and exams and download your proof of enrollment  
- to sign in to online learning platforms (e.g., CommSy and AGORA)  | - e.g. 6529839  
- to pay the semester contribution  
- for examinations  
- to register for courses through the University Sports Office. |
Station 5 | Audimax and „Philturm“

Information on the building

The Audimax is the University’s largest lecture hall with 1,648 seats.

It was designed to resemble a seashell.

- The English-language theater performances put on by the University Players (also called the UPs) take place here every semester
  [https://universityplayers.de](https://universityplayers.de)
- Every Thursday during the semester, you can go to UniFilm, the cinema in the lecture hall organized by students for students.
- The entrance fee is €2. A semester fee of 50 cents must also be paid once.
  [www.unifilm.de/dein-kino](http://www.unifilm.de/dein-kino)
Station 5 | Audimax and „Philturm“

- The Departments of Philosophy; History; and Languages, Literature, and Media I+II are located here.
- As this heritage-listed building is being renovated, these departments moved to Überseering 35, (Ü 35) in 2017 and have been housed there since.
- The construction work was delayed because of the coronavirus pandemic and is now expected to be completed in Winter Semester 2022/23.
Station 5 | Audimax and „Philturm“

Information on the building | Ü35
Opening hours:
Mo-Fr 6:30a.m.- 10p.m.
Saturday 8a.m.-9p.m.

More Information on the building: Wegweiser Ü 35
Information on the building

- This building is home to the Faculty of Education.
- The Martha Muchow Library, a reference library with workstations, is located at the back.
- Café Paranoia, a student-run business, is also around back.
- The faculty’s Education Media Center (MMS) is located on the fifth floor. The center offers workshops, PC pools, and help with digital media.
- And here is the café Campusblick, which is run by Studierendenwerk Hamburg and has a particularly beautiful view of the duck pond.
Why is there a path and orientation network on the campus?

- The path and orientation network makes it easier for people who rely on a wheelchair to use the campus as the paths are smooth.
- Three ramps are integrated into the path and orientation network so that people do not have to take long detours.
- People without vision or with impaired vision can then navigate the paths with a white cane or their feet. At each intersection, curve, and ramp, as well as in front of each entrance, there is a metal plate embedded in the ground to indicate that the path is changing direction.
- This is why you should not connect your bike to railings on these paths.
Information on the building
“AP” stands for Allende-Platz, named after Salvador Allende (former Chilean president, 1908–1973.

- The Department of Social Sciences, which is in the Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences, is located here. This department offers degree programs in sociology, political science, journalism and mass communication, and international criminology.
- The library is located on the third and fourth floors. Lockers for bags, jackets, and the like are in the foyer.
- Group study rooms can be booked online on the department’s website.
- There are also gender-neutral restrooms.
- The T-Stube is located on the first floor and is also a student-run café.

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Station 7 | Pferdestall AP1

Tips:
At the Abaton cinema, you can watch international movies, often in the original language with subtitles.
The Pony Bar is very popular with students. They have table football, live music, coffee and cake, singer and songwriters, readings, lectures, and vernissages.
Information on the area: Grindelviertel
The Grindelviertel is a center for the approximately 4,000 Jews who live in Hamburg.

Synagogue monument
On Kristallnacht, or the Night of Broken Glass, in 1938, the Bornplatz Synagogue was desecrated and damaged. Today, a mosaic in the ground commemorates the synagogue’s former floor plan. There is debate as to whether or not the synagogue should be rebuilt.

Talmud-Tora-Schule
The former Talmud-Tora-Schule was the largest Jewish school in northern Germany. In 1942, the school was closed. Most of the teachers and students were deported and fell victim to the Holocaust. Since 2004, the Jewish community has been using the building again. And today it is home to the Joseph-Carlebach-Bildungshaus, a Jewish school named after the last chief
Station 8 | Biozentrum Grindel

Information on the building

- The Department of Biology: Institute of Cell and Systems Biology of Animals (Institute of Plant Science and Microbiology: Klein Flottenbek; Institute of Wood Science: Bergedorf; Institute of Marine Ecosystem and Fishery Science: Altona)


Station 9 | Geomatikum

Information on the building

- The Department of Mathematics and Geosciences (Institute in Altona)
- Meteorological Institute
- Canteen and Libraries
Station 9 | Geomatikum*

Information on the building

- The Department of Physics (mostly in Bahrenfeld (DESY))
- The Department of Informatics (Informaticum: mostly in Stellingen)
- Tips: Zoo (Tierpark Hagenbeck)
Station 10 | Faculty of Medicine

Information on the building

- UKE – Univeristätsklinikum Eppendorf, Martinistraße 52, 20251 Hamburg
- The Central Medical Library
Station 11 | PIASTA

Information on the area
PIASTA—Intercultural Living and Learning
PIASTA not only organizes Welcome Week but also offers a varied intercultural program during the semester.

The Rentzelstraße location is where language cafés, seminars, workshops, and other events take place. [www.uni-hamburg.de/piasta](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/piasta)
Station 11 | Grindelallee 9

Information on the building
This is where you can find the services provided by Studierendenwerk Hamburg.
• Counselling Centre for Social and International Affairs (BeSi)
• Counselling Centre for Study Financing (BeSt)
• Counselling Centre for Accommodation (BeWo)

Check the website [www.stwhh.de/unsere-beratungsangebote](http://www.stwhh.de/unsere-beratungsangebote) to find out whether the advising sessions will take place by video, email, or telephone.
Station 12 | Department of Socioeconomics (VMP9)

Information on the building
The Department of Socioeconomics, which is in the Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences, is located here.
A mural is painted on the wall, titled “Jüdisches Leben am Grindel” (Jewish life in the Grindel quarter).

Café Knallhart is another space for students at Universität Hamburg
The #UHHhilft Coordination Center is located here. This is the academic orientation program for refugees at Universität Hamburg: [www.uni-hamburg.de/uhhhilft.html](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/uhhhilft.html).
Information on the area
VMP11, belongs to the Institute of Psychology.

VMP11 is where you can go to the room of contemplation (“Raum der Stille”). Here you can find peace and quiet, meditate, or spend time in prayer or devotion. The room of contemplation is not only a place of prayer and meditation, it is also aims to be a place of interreligious and intercultural dialog.

https://khg-hamburg.de/raum-der-stille.html

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Station 13 | WiWi Bunker (VMP5)

The Institute of Psychology (fourth floor), the Faculty of Business Administration (Hamburg Business School), and the Departments of Socioeconomics, Social Sciences, and Economics of the Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences are located here.

The library for the Faculties of Business, Economics and Social Sciences (WISO) and Business Administration (BWL) are located on the first floor. [www.wiso.uni-hamburg.de/bibliothek.html](http://www.wiso.uni-hamburg.de/bibliothek.html).

AIESEC is on the ground floor. This is the world’s largest student organization that promotes international exchange through internships and volunteer stays abroad.

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The University Language Center on the third floor offers courses for advanced students [www.uni-hamburg.de/sprachenzentrum.html](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/sprachenzentrum.html) and the General Languages program (through the Volkshochschule, the adult education center) with courses for beginners [www.uni-hamburg.de/allgemeinsprachen.html](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/allgemeinsprachen.html).

**Tips:** PIASTA organizes language cafés and language tandems! [www.uni-hamburg.de/piasta/sprachen-erleben.html](http://www.uni-hamburg.de/piasta/sprachen-erleben.html)

The University’s psychotherapeutic outpatient clinic is located on the fifth floor. Therapy is available for patients who are covered by state insurance or who are privately insured.
Station 13 | WiWi Bunker (VMP5)

AStA (student council)
AStA also provides support for students e.g.: academic, legal, and personal advice; advice on federal student loan scheme,....

At the AStA information café, you can get help with finding the right advising services and contact points.

In the AStA hallway, you will find the semiautonomous sections for disabled and chronically ill students; international students; and women and trans, intersex, and nonbinary people; the UniEltern initiative; a baby-changing station and nursing mother room; and gender-neutral restrooms.
Station 14 | State and University Library Carl von Ossietzky (Stabi)

Information on the building
On the ground floor, you will find the service desk:
• pick up library cards
• the textbook collection
• and the self-checkout area

There are lockers on the ground floor and on the first floor as well as reading rooms and group workspaces

Introductions to using the library are currently offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays via Zoom: [www.sub.uni-hamburg.de/%20Service%20/%20F%C3%BChrunge%20%d%20Schulungen](http://www.sub.uni-hamburg.de/%20Service%20/%20F%C3%BChrunge%20%d%20Schulungen).
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<td>• Rent group rooms</td>
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Cafeteria | Blattwerk

This one only offers vegetarian and vegan dishes.
Cafeteria | Studierendenhaus

This is a very large student cafeteria with an entrance from the campus and from Schlüterstraße.
Cafeteria | Schlüters

This one only offers pizza!
Cafeterias

The prices for students and nonstudents differ (approx. €1.95 to €4.95). The menus are posted in the student cafeterias and are also available online, in the Mensa Hamburg app, or the UHH mobile app. In addition to the main dishes, there is always a salad, vegetable, and pasta bar as well as vegetarian dishes.

Meal service ends 30 minutes before the cafeteria closes. Card payment is possible.
Thank you for your attention!

Time for questions 😊