

Boston University Study Abroad



DRESDEN, GERMANY > SCIENCE ABROAD

REQUIRED COURSE

CAS LG 113 Intensive Beginning German, 4 cr. (Students who have studied German previously can enroll in a four-credit language course at the intermediate or advanced level.)

ELECTIVE COURSES

Students choose three, 4-credit electives from the following:

CAS CH 203 Organic Chemistry I
CAS BI 203 Cell Biology
CAS MA 213 Basic Statistics and Probability
CAS SO 213/LG 280 The Sociology of
Intercultural Communication

Optional Additional Elective Course In addition to the required language course and three electives, students may take the following two-credit course for a total of 18

CAS NS 291 Introduction to Scientific Research

Dresden Science Program

The Dresden Science Program, offered only during the Fall semester, combines science coursework with German language and culture studies in the city known as the 'Florence on the Elbe.' Situated in the Elbe Valley—recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site for its 18th- and 19th-century cultural landscape—Dresden is both a verdant and picturesque European city as well as a modern symbol of German reunification. It has a popular college atmosphere, and is known for its leadership in the technology sector.

The design of the program allows students to take courses that fit neatly into their existing curricula and requirements. For students interested in a career in science or health, the experience of studying abroad can help develop tools of cultural understanding for work in an international environment. In addition to coursework, students will participate in guided field trips to research institutions, industries, and technical museums. No prior knowledge of German is required.

Upon successful completion of the program, students earn 16 to 18 Boston University credits.

HOST INSTITUTION

credits:

The Technische Universität Dresden (TUD) was recently cited by the German government for excellence in Bioengineering and Biomedicine. It is the only university in Germany to receive Excellence Initiative honors in both fields, and is also known for its full array of humanities, social science, and pure science departments.

www.tu-dresden.de

PROGRAM DATES

Fall Semester: mid-August-mid-December

HOUSING

Program participants live together in university dormitories. Students receive meal stipends, which may be used to buy food at student cafeterias, or students can shop at grocery stores or markets in Dresden and prepare their meals in the dormitory kitchens.

ADMISSIONS

- No prior language study is required
- Students must have completed the prerequisite requirements for CAS CH 203 and CAS BI 203
- Refer to our policy on eligibility/admissions: www.bu.edu/abroad/admissions

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Fall Semester: March 15

2014/2015 PROGRAM COST

\$29,858 per semester. Cost includes tuition, housing, board, field trips, round-trip group airfare from a designated US city, emergency travel assistance coverage, and overseas medical insurance. Financial aid is available.