

Application Procedure

All copies must be certified by a German authority or Apostille.
Incomplete and / or uncertified papers cannot be recognized.

Please hand in certified copies of all your certificates, transcripts and other papers, as well as German or English translations of all enclosed documents. (Translations are not required if your documents are in English or French.)

- Please send your documents by post, not by email.
- We will process your application as soon as possible. Please do not enquire by email or phone.
- Do not send original documents. We do not return any application documents.

Please include the following documents in your application:

1. Application form (program of study and university must be specified)
2. CV (curriculum vitae) giving complete academic background
3. Secondary School Certificates (GCE A and AS-level, Baccalaureate, Matura, High School Diploma, etc.)
4. Complete list of secondary school subjects and grades (transcripts) for point 3
5. German language certificate
B1, ZDaF, B2, ZMP, C1, or if available: C2, DSDII, DSH, telc Deutsch C1 Hochschule, TestDaF.
 - Applicants for the Studienkolleg admission test can submit their German language certificates (at least B1) until three weeks before the exam. Please provide proof of participation in a German language course if you do not have a certificate of B1 in German.
 - Applicants for study programs held entirely in English do not need a German Language certificate.
6. Application for Studienkolleg: passport photo (can be sent later)
7. Applicants from China, Vietnam and Mongolia need to send the original certification of the Academic Evaluation Centers (Akademischen Prüfstelle, APS) at the German Embassies in Beijing, Hanoi, or Ulan Bator.

Please add if applicable:

8. Proof of University Entrance Examination (GaoKao, Concours, ÖSYM, ICFES, etc.)
9. Proof of study periods (Certificate of completion, proof of enrollment, transcript of records, overview of the grading system, etc.)
10. Certificate of the "Feststellungsprüfung"
11. Certificate of change of name
12. Passport copy

Further information is available on our website: www.studienkolleg.htwg-konstanz.de

DATA PRIVACY INFORMATION

1. Legal basis

The legal basis is subsection 6(1) lit. e) in conjunction with subsection 6(3) EU Data Protection Regulation (DSGVO) in conjunction with section 4 State Data Protection Act of 12 June 2018 in conjunction with section 73 Landeshochschulgesetz (LHG) of 1 January 2005, last amended by subsection 1 of the law in 13 March 2018.

2. Responsible institution

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3. Data protection officer

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4. Purpose and scope of data processing

The collected data are required for the recognition of the foreign credentials as well as for the Studienkolleg courses.

5. Recipient

Transfer of data within the University of Applied Sciences Konstanz

For administrative purposes, personal data of students enrolled in the Studienkolleg are passed to the data center and the library:

- Enrollment at the University of Applied Sciences Konstanz
- Matriculation number
- Surname, first name
- Date of birth
- Address
- Email address
- Telephone number

In addition, we will forward the final examination certificate ("Feststellungsprüfungszeugnis") to the Department of Student Affairs if students from the Studienkolleg apply at the University of Applied Sciences Konstanz.

Transfer of data to third parties

In individual cases, data and documents can be sent to the Central Office for Foreign Education (ZaB) in Bonn, to facilitate the recognition of foreign credentials.

At the request of applicants, the certificate of recognition can be sent directly to a University of Applied Sciences in Baden-Württemberg.

If applicants take the admissions test abroad, data will be transferred to our partner institutions in charge of the test.

If the applicant has successfully passed the admissions test, the following data will be forwarded to Seezeit Studierendenwerk Bodensee AöR for the purpose of reserving a room in student housing:

- Applicant number
- Gender
- Surname, first name
- Date of birth
- Country of origin
- E-mail address

6. Duration of storage

The documents for the recognition of foreign credentials are kept for five years. The remaining data will be deleted after a maximum of ten years.

7. Your data protection rights

You have the right to obtain information from the Studienkolleg of the University of Applied Sciences Konstanz about the personal data stored about you in accordance with subsection 15 DSGVO and/or to have incorrectly stored personal data reported in accordance with subsection 16 DSGVO.

You also have the right to cancel according to subsection 17 DSGVO, to restrict processing according to subsection 18 DSGVO and to object to the processing according to subsection 21 DSGVO.

To exercise your rights, please write an email to Prof. Dr. Krekeler, studienkolleg@htwg-konstanz.de

You also have the right to complain to the supervisory authority if you believe that the processing of your personal data is in violation of the data protection regulations in accordance with subsection 77 DSGVO. The appropriate supervisory authority is the State Commissioner for Data Protection and Freedom of Information Baden-Württemberg.

8. Note

Only the German text is legally binding in regards to data privacy. The English translation is provided for information purposes only.