

English course offer for spring / summer semester 2025

Bachelor International Business

In the International Business bachelor's degree programme, you can attend courses from the **4**th **semester** in **English** and choose from a variety of different **specialization tracks** (see page 2). You will experience a vibrant learning environment that fosters collaboration and individual growth.

Get ready to explore new horizons and expand your business knowledge in a supportive and interactive setting!

Helpful Links

ECTS course descriptionswww.fhv.at/incomings/international-business-4

More info about the study programme https://www.fhv.at/en/studies/business/international-business-administration-full-time-ba

Organize your stay www.fhv.at/incomings

Semester Duration

- Welcome week: 24.02.2025 28.02.2025
- Study period: Beginning of March End of June 2025

Prerequisites for exchange students

- English language skills (at least level B2)
- Basic knowledge of business administration (students need to be at least in their second year of business studies).

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FAQ

How many credits should I choose?

Goal: 30 ECTS per semester

Applies to all full-time students. One credit, requires approx. 25 hours of work, counting the time spent in class as well as self-study, group work, etc. adding up to 750 hours of work for a whole semester or 50 hours per week.

Minimum: 18 ECTS per semester

While we recommend taking on 30 ECTS, we understand that your home institution might have different rules. We're flexible and want to ensure your learning experience fits your needs. The minimum course attendance for exchange students is 18 ECTS credits per semester.

What are the offered specialization tracks?

- Accounting & Finance (A&F)
- Marketing & Sales (M&S)
- Supply Chain Management (SCM)
- Human Resources & Organization (HR&O)
- Digital Management & IT (DT)
- Entrepreneurship & Innovation (E&I)

How are the courses organized?

Elective courses:

- **Blocked teaching:** The courses follow a dynamic and engaging teaching style with short, intensive blocked sessions delivered either in 4 whole-day sessions within one week or 2 afternoon/evening sessions spread over two successive weeks. Attendance for the blocked units is compulsory.
- Pre- & post assignments: To make the most of your learning experience, you'll be challenged
 with individual or group assignments before and/or after the blocked teaching units. Please
 remember to reserve enough time for working on your pre-assignments and post-assignments.
- Course workload: Each course has 3 ECTS and hence demands a total of 75 hours of commitment. This includes your active participation during class as well as time allocated for research, pre- and post-assignments.
- Optimal class size for a focused and enriching experience with maximum enrolment of 30 students.

Weekly courses:

• The additional business course as well as language & culture classes can be chosen additionally to the elective courses and are scheduled weekly.

Business and Management Electives (you can choose one from each time block)	ECTS	Track
Time Block 1 27.02.2025 - 07.03.2025		
Group Accounting & IFRS	3	A&F
Time Block 2 13.03.2025 - 21.03.2025		
Product Portfolio Management	3	M&S
IT Support in Supply Chain Management	3	DT SCM
Time Block 3 26.03.2025 - 04.04.2025		
Organisational Development & Change Management	3	E&I HR&O
Sales and Account Management	3	M&S
Time Block 4 10.04.2025 – 18.04.2025		
Negotiation Techniques	3	All
Introduction to Software Development	3	DT
Time Block 5 24.04.2025 - 02.05.2025		
Transport & Intermodality	3	SCM
Digital Product & IT Project Management	3	DT
Time Block 6 07.05.2025.–16.05.2025		
Growth Hacking for Startups	3	E&I
Financial Analysis and Stock Markets	3	A&F
Time Block 7 22.05.2025 - 30.05.2025		
Business Model Innovation	3	E&I M&S
Advanced Spreadsheets in Management Accounting	3	A&F
Time Block 8 04.06.2025 - 13.06.2025		
Business Ethics	3	HR&O
Big Data	3	DT
Time Block 9 16.06.2025 – 20.06.2025		
Cross Cultural Management	3	HR&O
Additional courses	ECTS	Schedule
English for Job Applications	3	March 2025
German for International Students I	3	weekly
German for International Students II	3	weekly
Exploring Austrian Culture and Values	3	weekly