## Key Data

**Name of Institution**  
Hochschule für Gestaltung, Schwäbisch Gmünd

**ERASMUS ID CODE**  
D SCHWA-G02

**Website for information**  
http://www.hfg-gmuend.de/Exchange_students.html

### Key Data - International Office

**Name & Address of International Office**  
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## Information on the educational program

### Semester Calendar*

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### Language of teaching

German and English.

### Entry requirements

Incoming students must be selected by their Home Institution.  
Once we received all documents from their international office,  
they will be informed by the HfG within a month if they're accepted.

### Application Forms

Standard ECTS/ Learning agreement  
Cv, covering letter, application form, portfolio in pdf

### Deadlines for Applications

- 1st November for Summer Semester  
- 1st May for Winter Semester

### Deadline for Learning agreements

Before the mobility start

### Course of Studies

BA in Communication Design, BA in Product Design, BA in Interaction Design  
BA Internet of things  
MA in Strategic Design  

Courses will be defined during the introduction week. Students receive a course catalogue with their acceptance letter.

### Agreements

Erasmus + / MoU

### ECTS

Ja

### Marking System

- 1,0 - 1,5 Very Good
- 1,6 - 2,5 Good
- 2,6 - 3,5 Satisfactory
- 3,6 - 4,0 Sufficient
- 5,0 Fail

### Accommodation

There is no student residence. Students can find accommodation offers on the HfG facebook page rental:WG/Zimmer/flat/Apartment HFGor on www.wg-gesucht.de

### Buddy system

Every exchange student has a buddy, a German student who will help settle in Schwäbisch Gmünd (accommodation, bank account, sim card, administrative steps)

* Please note that the introduction week will start one week before the official start of the semester.