



Turkish-Arab Universities Conference - 2018

«German- Jordanian University»

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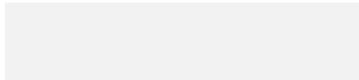


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German Jordanian University

The Best of Both Worlds



“Dear Chancellor Merkel, I can say that I’m very satisfied with our cooperation on a bilateral level. Above all, with such successful projects as ... **the German Jordanian University, this is certainly one of the most successful projects I’ve seen in my country in the past ten years....** We hope that we can move forward on this basis even further.”

HM King Abdullah II



HM King Abdullah & Chancellor Angela Merkel



The Best of Both Worlds.

GJU = German Jordanian University.

:: A public state-funded University founded in 2005.

:: Supported by the German Federal Government through the German Academic Exchange Service (**DAAD**).

:: A unique model in Trans-National Education.



The Jordanian Dimension of GJU



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- **The President has to be a Jordanian citizen**
- **Accreditation of all study programs according to Jordanian regulations**
- **GJU Graduates get a university degree from Jordan only**
- **Tuition fees are according to Jordanian standards of Higher Education**
- **The Credit System follows the American system of Credit Hours**
- **Academic and administrative staff is mainly from Jordan and the region**



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The Academic Concept:

- Academic programs based on the German model of Universities of Applied Sciences
- Partners in private and public sectors
- International and industry experienced faculty members
- A tri-lingual campus: English, German and Arabic
- Competitive, transparent and credible
- Multi-campus system



The German Dimension of GJU



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- **The Vice President of International Affairs has to be German**
- **Curricula are designed according to German universities of applied sciences**
 - **GJU provides an International Office team with 9 colleagues**
 - **GJU provides a German Language Center with 70 lecturers**
 - **GJU provides the Office of Industrial links with 6 colleagues**
- **14 Exchange Coordinators are located in the Schools with German background**



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- **Flying Faculty and Train the Trainer program**
- **The German accreditation of all study programs is in progress**
- **Nominations of academic staff are based on industrial and professional experience**



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A Unique Model in Trans-National Education:

- GJU is DAAD's **largest educational project** outside Germany
- **German Year:** All Bachelor students must spend **one year in Germany** studying for one semester in one of the German partner universities, and fulfilling **20 weeks internship** in the German industries.
- **Outgoing Students:** a total of **3.493** GJU Students went to Germany since 2008
- **Incoming Students:** a total of **350** came from more than **70** Partner and Non-partner universities in Germany and other countries
- **Network:** **Germany wide** network of **111** German partner Universities of Applied Sciences
- **GJU German Language Center:** the largest university-based center worldwide with **70** full-time instructors



How to run the German Year?



Preparation:

Intensive German Language Training: German Language Center (GLC):

Teaching 6 levels of German language; from 6 to 9 contact hours per week, a total of 760 contact hours

The “German Year”:

- **Studying for one semester in Germany facilitated by International Office (IO)**
Facilitating placements and integration within a network of 90 partner German universities.
- **20 weeks internship in German industries: Office of Industrial Links (OIL):**
Training students to find internship as a part of the educational process to compete with German applicants for internship

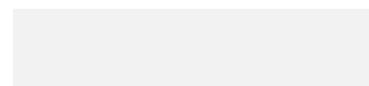
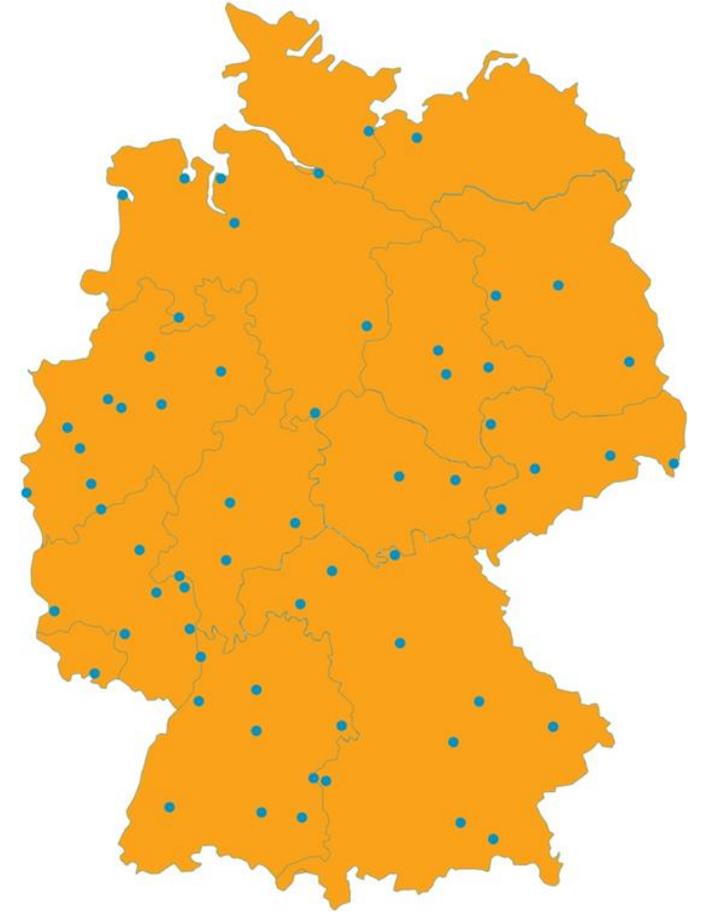


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Our German Year – Network:

HS Magdeburg Stendal
Is the Strategic Partner

GJU has a network of over **111 partner universities**
in Germany

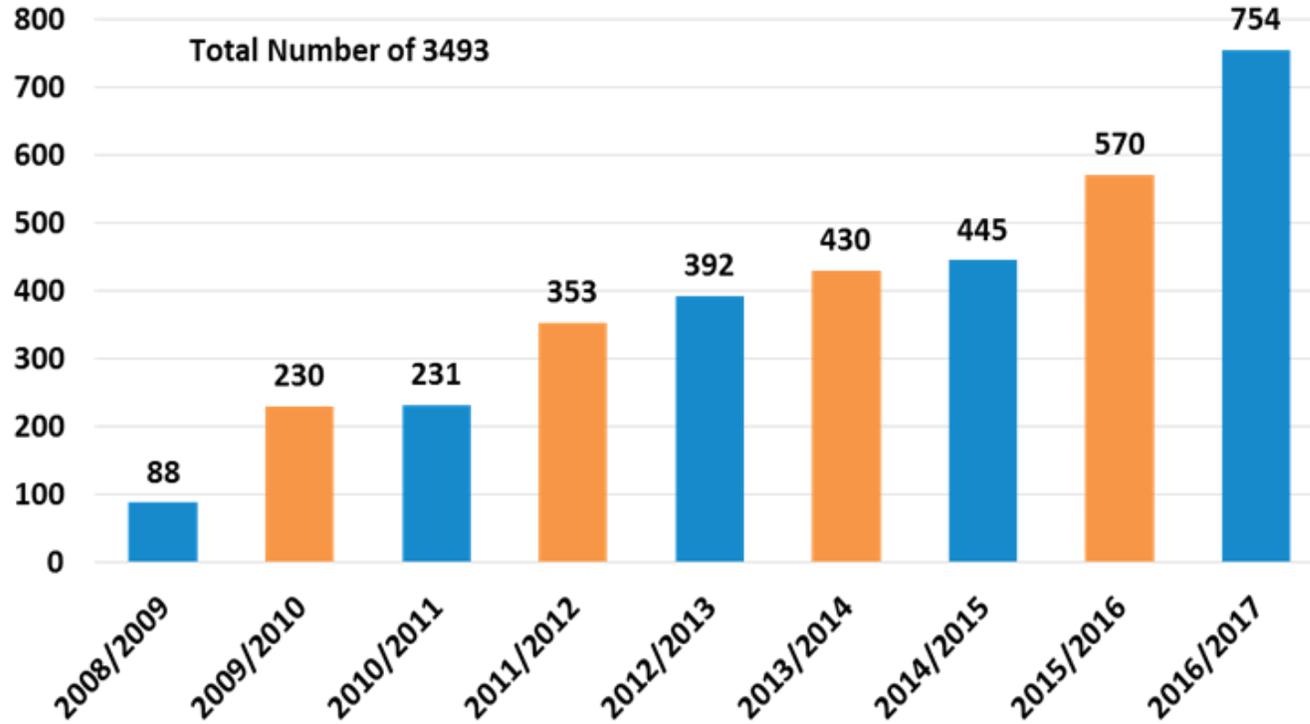




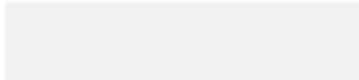
Outgoing Students:



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Incoming Students:

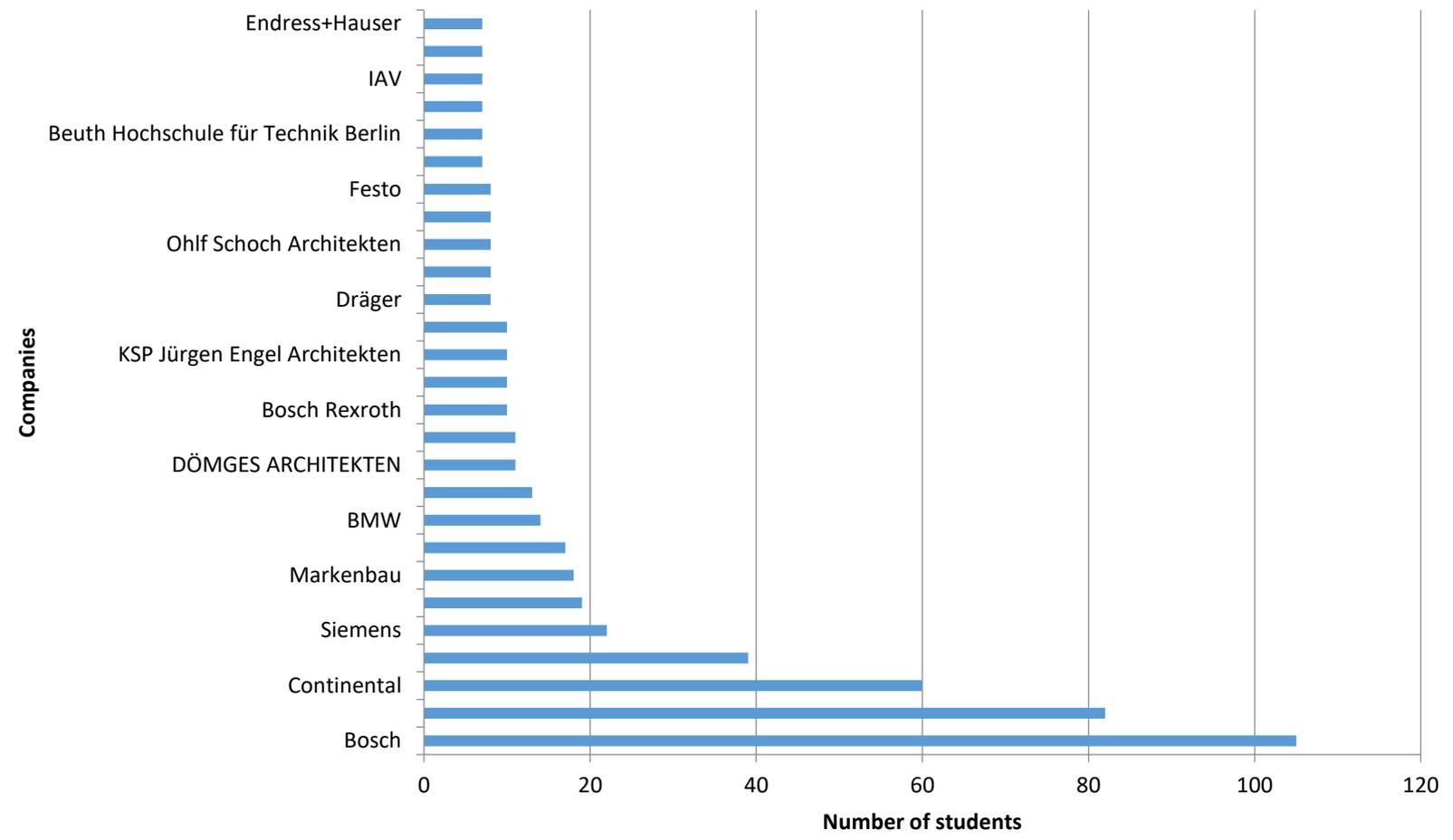
- **Since 2005:** Since 2008 (with this semester), we received more than **350** students from more than **70** Partner and Non-partner universities in Germany and other countries
- **This Fall Semester 2017 we have 51 Incoming Exchange Students**





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Companies accepting 7 or more interns





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Facts and Figures:

- The maximum capacity is **5000** students
- **2017/2018** we were **4229** students:
3804 in BA degree programs and **425** in MA programs
- **18 BA** degree programs and **9 MA** degree programs
- **268** academic staff and **66** teaching assistants
- **315** administrative staff



Schools and Academic Programs:

School of Natural Resources Engineering and Management:

- B. Sc. in Energy Engineering
- B. Sc. in Water and Environmental Engineering
- B. Sc. in Civil Engineering
- M.Sc. In Environmental and Renewable Engineering

School of Applied Humanities and Language:

- B.A. In German and English for Business and Communication
- B. A. in Translation: Arabic/German/English
- M. A. in German as a Foreign Language
- **New: Professional Diploma for Social Work and Migration**

School of Basic Sciences and Humanities:

The School offers the following categories of ancillary courses for the different Schools at GJU:

- Language skills and humanities courses
- Basic sciences courses

School of Management and Logistic Sciences:

- B. Sc. in Management Sciences
- B. Sc. in Logistic Sciences
- B. Sc. in International Accounting
- M.A. Logistic Management



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Buildings:



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Elevated Water Tank



School of Natural Resources Engineering and Management



Information Systems and Technology Center



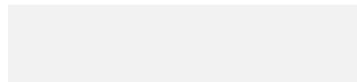
Parking for 300 cars



Electricity Substation



School of Logistics and Management Sciences





Buildings:



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School of Basic Sciences and Humanities



Administrative Departments



School of Applied Medical Sciences



Library and Knowledge Center





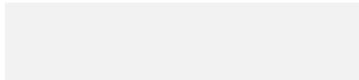
Darat Othman Bdeir Campus:



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School of Architecture and Built Environment





GSBA Building:



- Graduate School of Business
Administration / **King Hussein Business Park**

CTC & VTC Building:



- Consultations and Training Center
- Vision Training Center
King Hussein Business Park



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