

Erasmus at the Institute for Journalism

TU Dortmund University

Your benefits:

theoretical lessons | practical sessions in TV, print, online and radio journalism
preparation for challenging situations | reflecting recent trends in international media



Which courses are offered?

There are plenty of possibilities at the Institute for Journalism: Theoretical lessons in media law, media ethics or foreign correspondence go hand in hand with practical sessions. We offer an unmatched combination of academic knowledge and training in research techniques and reporting. In our training newsrooms, students produce multimedia stories and are introduced to the daily routines of an editorial team.

Which language level is required?

Erasmus students are obliged to obtain a German level of B1. For participation at our training newsrooms, level B2 is required. There are intensive German courses offered at the beginning of our Erasmus semester. Participants of the four-week courses aim to acquire level B2 or higher.

Can I attend courses from other institutes?

The Institute for Journalism offers four different programs: Journalism Studies, Science and Data Journalism, Music Journalism and Economic-Policy Journalism. If you are interested in attending single courses at another faculty or institute (for instance a seminar on Politics or Physics), you can do so. At least 50 percent of the credit points should be obtained at the Journalism department.

And what's besides the lecture rooms?

The Europe Club of our Institute offers leisure time activities for Erasmus students such as trips to Christmas markets, parties or sportive activities. Our students ensure that Erasmus incomings are rapidly integrated to social life at the campus and know the most important places in Dortmund and the Ruhr area.

