

# PHIL

Die Philosophische Fakultät der Universität Siegen

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## My **Erasmus +** Experience

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## Who am I?

- ELT student from Turkey
- Travelling, reading, learning languages and different cultures...

## Erasmus?

- Intercultural experiences
- Foreign languages
- Benefit from the academic facilities
- Sense of self confidence and success



## Why Germany?

- Remarkable system of Education
- Prestigious Universities
- No fees from students
- Semester ticket
- Low cost of living
- No language barrier
- Opportunities for working



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## Siegen

Siegen with just over 100,000 inhabitants, is a district town lies on the Sieg river in North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany. It has been called the **University City** since July 2012.



Source: <https://de.wikipedia.org/>



## Erasmus Student

- Buddies and Mentors
- Orientation
- Free German Courses
- Free transportation in the region
- Free German bank account
- Dormitory/WG (€200-350/month)
- University Cafeteria and sport facilities at reasonable prices



## Universität Siegen

- Interdisciplinary research university
- Range of courses in the curriculum
- International atmosphere
- Orientation program and follow up
- Supportive academic and administrative staff and International Office
- Supportive programs (Buddy, Mentor, Tandem, Sprachcafé etc.)
- Wide range of facilities and faculty services



## What are the differences?

- The winter semester October 1<sup>st</sup> - March 31<sup>st</sup>.  
The summer semester April 1<sup>st</sup> - September 30<sup>th</sup>
- Degree courses separated into modules
- Vorlesung - Seminar - Übung
- Prüfungsleistungen (PL) – Studienleistungen (SL)
- Grades →
  - **1.00 - 1.50: *Sehr gut*** (excellent) - **A**
  - **1.51 - 2.50: *Gut*** (good) - **B**
  - **2.51 - 3.50: *Befriedigend*** (satisfactory) - **C**
  - **3.51 - 4.00: *Ausreichend*** (sufficient) - **D**
  - **4.01 - 6.00: *Nicht ausreichend*** (not sufficient) - **F**

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## And more...





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## My home university

- A public university with 9 faculties, 6 institutes, 10 research centers
- Two of the most prominent medical schools
- <http://www.istanbulc.edu.tr>
- Tuğba Çeri, ELT - tcerist@gmail.com



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UNIVERSITY  
**CERRAHPASA**



Come and be part of  
the University with the motto:



**"ZUKUNFT MENSCHLICH GESTALTEN"**

