



## Facts and figures

**Start:** Winter and summer semesters

**Duration:** 4 semesters

**Degree:** Master of Arts

**Language:** German

**Admission not restricted**

## Application and enrolment



### Admission requirements

**General admission requirements:**

[www.uol.de/stud/308en](http://www.uol.de/stud/308en)

### Language skills:

German native speaker or DSH 2

### Application

**Application deadline:** 30 September or 31 March

### German university degree:

Online application

[www.uol.de/studium/bewerben/master](http://www.uol.de/studium/bewerben/master)

### EU or international applicants:

[www.uol.de/en/application/international-students/master](http://www.uol.de/en/application/international-students/master)

## Contact

### For questions about the subject/degree programme

**Academic counselling for European History**

[www.uol.de/en/subject-specific-student-advice](http://www.uol.de/en/subject-specific-student-advice)

**Student representatives for History**

[www.uol.de/fsgeschichte](http://www.uol.de/fsgeschichte)

[fsgeschichte@uol.de](mailto:fsgeschichte@uol.de)

### For questions about your studies

**Study and Career Counselling Service**

[www.uol.de/en/zskb](http://www.uol.de/en/zskb)

### Basic questions about application and enrolment

**Student InfoLine**

**Phone** +49 441 798 - 2728

[study@uol.de](mailto:study@uol.de)

### Visitor address

**Student Service Centre – SSC**

Haarentor campus, building A12

26129 Oldenburg

[www.uol.de/en/students/service-advice](http://www.uol.de/en/students/service-advice)

## Further information

### European History website

[www.uol.de/en/fk4/institute-of-history/studies-and-teaching/study-programmes/master-european-history](http://www.uol.de/en/fk4/institute-of-history/studies-and-teaching/study-programmes/master-european-history)

### Degree programmes at the University of Oldenburg

[www.uol.de/en/students/degree-programmes](http://www.uol.de/en/students/degree-programmes)

### Financing your studies

[www.uol.de/en/students/fees/financing-your-studies](http://www.uol.de/en/students/fees/financing-your-studies)

### Optional period abroad

[www.uol.de/en/going-abroad](http://www.uol.de/en/going-abroad)

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# European History

**Master's degree**



## European History (M. A.)

What does Europe mean to you? Holidays, economic union, identity? A large, as yet unfinished project that is our option for the future? Crisis, bureaucracy, bad compromises? Utopia or failure? Do you want to know what Europe has become and what role it plays in a world that is becoming more complex and globalised, but in which regions and nations are more important than ever?

Europe is something you have to take a stand on. It is the contradictory, difficult and hopeful project of increasing economic, social and political integration. It is the responsibility of historians to monitor this project and to analyse its history from different angles. We need to know where Europe comes from so can we have an idea of where it could go.

The research-oriented Master's degree programme in European History opens up this horizon for you.

- Focussing on cultural and societal aspects, it is integrated with international research projects.
- While providing a structural framework, it gives you the freedom to define your own focus areas.
- Spending a semester abroad will strengthen your interdisciplinary and intercultural skills.

## Career opportunities

Together with your personal academic profile, the expertise you'll gain will qualify you for science-related career opportunities such as:

- Academic career (PhD)
- Archives, libraries and documentation organisations
- Museums, public history, digital history
- Scientific and cultural management
- Journalism and media
- Publishing

## Structure and contents

SPECIALISATION		24 CP
Compulsory modules		
Advanced study / 12 CP		
Professional fields and interdisciplinary competences / 12 CP		
SUBJECT MODULES		36 CP
Elective modules from at least two epochs		
History of the Ancient Mediterranean / 9 CP		
European Mediaeval History / 9 CP		
Western European History of the Early Modern Epoch / 9 CP		
Western European History of the 19 <sup>th</sup> /20 <sup>th</sup> centuries / 9 CP		
Eastern European History of the Modern Epoch / 9 CP		
SEMESTER ABROAD		30 CP
Elective modules		
Study abroad / 30 CP		
Internship abroad / 30 CP		
COMPULSORY		30 CP
Master's thesis module		
MASTER OF ARTS		120 CP

SEMESTER 1/2

SEM. 3

SEM. 4

## Language skills

To specialise in Ancient History or Mediaeval History, students must hold a certificate in Latin (Latinum) or ancient Greek (Graecum) as well as being proficient in another modern European language apart from their native language. To specialise in The Early Modern Epoch or History of the 19th/20th Century, students require skills in two modern European languages apart from their native language. Proof of compliance with these special requirements must be submitted on admission to the Master thesis.

## Stay abroad

The semester abroad can be in the form of study at a partner university of the Institute or as a subject-related internship (duration: 18 weeks or 720 hours of practical work).

