

Master's degree in Global Business Development (M.A.)

Notes on the application process

Important: The legally binding information can be found in the Programme and Examination Regulations ("SPO") for the master's degree programme in Global Business Development at Kempten University of Applied Sciences, via the link posted on the website.

Special rules for graduates holding a degree based on a 180-ECTS bachelor's programme and missing study components can also be found in the Programme and Examination Regulations, which will potentially need clarifying with the Head of the Examinations Committee prior to commencing studies.

Please note: Attendance is obligatory from the start of the semester, as late arrival prevents students from participating in lectures.

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- Consecutive master's degree programme (M.A.)
- Standard duration of study: 3 semesters
- Full-time, international dimension
- FIBAA accreditation
- Semesters 1 & 2: Study on campus in Kempten
- Semester 3: Master's thesis, generally in collaboration with a company

Admission requirements

The following criteria must be met for admission to this master's degree programme:

- **Business science-focused bachelor's degree** worth **210 ECTS**
- **Final grade of at least 2.5 ("good")** or better
- **At least three months spent abroad** in a non-German-speaking country
(*requirement for German citizens*)
- **English language skills, minimum level B2**
- **German language skills, minimum level A1**
(*proof can be submitted during the first year of study*)

Application documents

The following documents must be submitted during the application process:

- **Full curriculum vitae**
- **Copy of degree certificate** (*plus translation if applicable*)
 - Degrees earned abroad must be accompanied by the preliminary review documentation ("Vorprüfungsdocumentation – VPD") issued by uni-assist.
- **Proof of English language skills, minimum level B2**
(*e.g. general university entrance certificate earned at a German high school*)
- If applicable, **proof of German language skills**
- **Essay (max. 2,000 characters)**
 - **Language:** English
 - **Content:** Candidate's own choice of topic from any of the subjects covered in their prior degree programme relating to the intended master's degree programme.

Contacts and advice

If you have any questions about the degree programme or application process, the **University Student Advisory Service** will be happy to help:

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