

PHILOSOPHY

[MINOR]

The philosophical approach differs from other fields not only in terms of content, but also in the very manner in which problems are presented and explored. Philosophy is not based on a specific set of assumptions; it rejects preconditions and suppositions and reflects on its own meaning and purpose with critical self-awareness. Philosophy as a fundamental research discipline explores ways of life, perception and approaches, providing methodological input and content for the individual scientific and academic subjects.

Philosophy is centred on people's lives and explores their experiences and actions and how these relate. Against the backdrop of historical problems, it reflects on how humanity exists and on current developments in society. Philosophy is the critical practice of free thinking and makes an important contribution to the evaluation of cultural and social relations and current social problems. It provides systematic input on ethical questions and political, economic and sustainability issues.

AT A GLANCE

Degree awarded	only in combination with a major
Study places	59
Language	German and English
Restricted admission	yes
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