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An inspiring environment to study in

In addition to a variety of bachelor's and masters' programmes, FU Berlin offers doctoral programmes and its own thriving business incubator (Profund Innovation).

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Master's Programme East European Studies



Why East European Studies?

- Socially, historically and politically Eastern Europe is a fascinating region. Besides Germany's eastern neighbours, it includes the Post-Soviet European states as well as Russia.
- The master's programme in East European Studies gives students a chance to develop a core understanding of Eastern Europe.
- Across all disciplines, Eastern Europe is a particularly interesting area of study and offers a **wide range of career prospects**.

Why study East European Studies at Freie Universität Berlin?

- You will learn to **classify and analyse** key developments throughout Eastern Europe.
- You will obtain an understanding of Eastern Europe from a variety of perspectives through **inter-disciplinary study**.
- You will gain competence in at least one **East European language**.
- You will complete an internship with an East European connection, gaining **practical experience**.
- You will independently develop a **student project**.
- You will be offered many opportunities to gain **experience abroad** - studying a semester in another country or completing a double degree!

What does the programme look like?

The Institute for East European Studies offers the following disciplines: History, Culture, Politics, Sociology and Economics. For example, the course of your study might look like this:

I	Introductory Studies of Eastern Europe	Project work, language class (East European language)
II	Advanced Studies in your chosen discipline (History, Culture, Politics, Sociology or Economics)	Project work, language class
III		Vocational internship, study abroad (optional)
IV	Master's thesis and master's colloquium	Language class

How to apply for the course?

- The first semester of the programme starts each winter semester.
- The application period is **between 15th of April - 31st of May**.
- There are no limited admissions for the course. The requirement for acceptance is a bachelor's degree with at least 60 Credits (ECTS) in one of the Institute's disciplines (History, Culture, Politics, Sociology or Economics) as well as good command of English and German.

