

A Faculty Guide to the New Europe Program in Bonn, Germany

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Program Dates: Every semester

Design of the Program

LMU's longest running study abroad program, centered in Bonn, Germany, provides students and resident faculty the opportunity to experience all of Europe. A wide variety of courses are taught every semester in the New Europe Program, thus, the program is designed so that students from the entire university can participate. Onsite LMU faculty teach two courses; ideally, these courses should appeal to students from many majors, for example, courses from the core curriculum. Many students from LMU's College of Business usually participate in the program so faculty from that college teach often the New Europe Program.

The program is organized and run by the Akademie für Internationale Bildung (AIB) in Bonn. The AIB has been running and organizing LMU's Germany study abroad programs for over 15 years. They take care of almost all onsite logistics and organization of the program.

The New Europe Program includes the following long excursions:

Spring Semester

Berlin & Prague

Madrid & Barcelona

Fall Semester

Berlin & Prague

Paris & Belgium

In addition, the program has many day excursions including a Rhine cruise, a visit to the Eifel region of Germany, Frankfurt and Cologne. LMU faculty participate in the excursions at no extra cost.

Faculty teaching in the NEP receive their regular salary while they teach in Bonn.

Faculty Applications

Faculty are invited to apply to teach during any semester for which there is availability. Faculty usually are chosen two to three years ahead of the semester in which they will teach. As is indicated in the application to teach abroad, interested faculty should begin the process by talking with the New Europe Program Director.

Housing

The AIB provides housing (usually a rented apartment) for the faculty member. Interested faculty should discuss special housing needs with the Program Directors to ensure that the AIB can make the proper arrangements.