

# UF in Mannheim (MEMS)

Medieval and Early Modern Studies  
Summer B 2014: Dates TBA

## About the Program

The UF MEMS program centered in Mannheim and scenic Heidelberg, Germany offers you and 10-12 other students the opportunity to explore the rich political, literary, and artistic history of the Holy Roman Empire (MEM 3730) and to complete an independent study in Medieval and Early Modern Studies (MEM 4905). MEM credits from this program can be transferred to History, German and Italian. If you are interested in learning some German, you can also take a special one-credit—Introduction to Everyday German (GER 4956).

## About the Location

Mannheim and nearby Heidelberg, located in the Neckar and Rhine river valleys in the historic Palatinate, provide easy access to a wealth of cultural resources that will be explored in program field trips.

## Excursions

Weekly field trip destinations include Trier – with the basilica of Constantine and other ancient buildings – where the Roman Empire first became “Holy”; Nuremberg, where the Holy Roman Empire intersects with Hitler’s infamous “Third Reich.”; Worms, historic city of the “Nibelungen” and site of Martin Luther’s defiant repudiation of the “empire” of Catholicism; Strasbourg, free imperial city in the Middle Ages, and seat of another transnational political structure in modern times: The European Union; and Vienna, a special weekend excursion to the seat of the Habsburg dynasty, with residential palaces, theaters, and museums.

## Housing

You will be housed in the student dormitories of the University of Mannheim.

*Develop an appreciation of the Holy Roman Empire — and of the political model of empire more generally — as an alternative political and cultural structure and possibility (i.e. alternative to the model of the national state) that has had a profound impact on European and world history.*



## Course Information

Center for Medieval and Early Modern Studies  
Courses are taught by UF and University of Mannheim Faculty.

### **MEM3730: Explorations in the Holy Roman Empire**

3 UF GPA credits

### **MEM4905: Independent Study**

3 UF GPA credits

### **GER4956: Introduction to Everyday German**

1 transfer credits

Total Number of Credits Offered: 6-7



**Application Information**  
2014 Application Deadline:  
**April 5, 2014**

Please apply online at [www.ufic.ufl.edu/sas](http://www.ufic.ufl.edu/sas)

**Eligibility/Requirements**  
-open to all majors  
-students in good standing  
-2.5 GPA or higher

**Financial Aid**

Most financial aid that you would receive on campus during the summer can be applied toward the cost of this study abroad program.

UFIC recommends that you speak with your financial aid advisor about your financial aid eligibility for study abroad. More information can be found at Student Financial Affairs

**Scholarships**

UFIC offers summer scholarships for qualified students. This year's summer scholarship deadline is **February 5, 2014**. Apply online at [www.ufic.ufl.edu/sas/Scholarships.html](http://www.ufic.ufl.edu/sas/Scholarships.html)



**2014 Pricing**

2014 Undergraduate Program  
Fee: **TBA**

*Students will receive two different invoices, one from UFIC (program fees) and one from University Financial Services (6 credits UF tuition based on residency)*

A \$300 nonrefundable deposit toward the total cost of the program is due at the time of application. The remaining fees are due no later than 45 days prior to departure.

If you receive financial aid, you can defer payment until it disburses.

**What's Included:**

lodging for 6 weeks, local transportation, excursions and cultural events, international health insurance, and medical emergency assistance.

**What's Not Included:**

Tuition for 6 UF GPA credits, train tickets to Vienna (you should buy 2 Eurail days for this purpose while still stateside), round-trip airfare, additional personal travel, and personal expenses.

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