Students apply economic concepts to what they learn first-hand about German business and culture. As the third largest exporter in the world and the largest national economy in Europe, Germany serves as the lab in which to study a compelling and dynamic economy. Students are based in Freiburg, nestled next to France and Switzerland. In addition to coursework in economics and international business, students participate in excursions including a day trip to Strasbourg, Zurich, and Stuttgart.

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— The Lonely Planet

Description:

Application Deadline: Priority - November 30 / Final - February 1
Prerequisites: ECON 201, 211, or 213
Courses: 6 credit hours, International Business or 3 credit hours, Economics, and 3 credit hours, BUAD 400: International Business / IB 489: Study Abroad
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