



Dear Sir or Madam,

you are Ukrainian* citizen or have a permanent residence permit in Ukraine and are now a refugee in Germany? Then you can apply now for the „**Academic Welcome Program for highly qualified refugees**“ (AWP) at Goethe-University Frankfurt am Main. The earlier the application is send, the earlier a participation in one of our courses is possible.

*For third-country nationals, the prerequisite for applying is a secured asylum status, which goes beyond the statutory transitional regulation of the right of residence until May 23, 2022.

The AWP offers **German intensive courses starting at level B1 (GER) to C1/DSH** (German language exam for university access) **as well as preparatory specialised courses. All courses are free of charge for refugees.** For Ukrainian refugees without any German language skills, **German intensive courses at A1 and A2 level will be implemented as well.**

Additionally, the AWP offers the participation in university courses and the use of academic resources. All participants will be advised regarding their study and job opportunities and can participate in social events. The duration of the program takes up to 3 semesters and depends on previous German language skills and the individual learning process. It's is mostly free of charge (semester tickets, exams (starting at B2 level) and textbooks have to be paid for).

The AWP is dedicated to all „**highly qualified refugees**“, which means **asylum applicants, tolerated persons, persons entitled to asylum or persons with the right to family reunification.** That includes Ukrainian refugees with temporary resident permit in accordance with §24. A **clear intention to study** must be given.

Further requirements to participate in the AWP are:

- **Valid university entrance qualification (Abitur) and/or already studied in the country of origin**
- Residence within the Rhein-Main-Transport-Association-Area, Frankfurt am Main preferred

Applications must be submitted via [uni-assist](#). **The AWP pays the administration fee required by uni-assist for all applicants. The application process is free of charge.**

At online information events (via „Zoom“) all interested persons receive the necessary information about the application process and all required documents. The next dates are:

- [Wednesday, 20th April, 10 am](#)
- [Thursday, 28th April, 2 pm](#)
- [Thursday, 5th May, 2 pm](#)
- [Wednesday, 11th May, 10 am](#)
- [Thursday, 19th May, 2 pm](#)

Please register for one of the events by clicking the link above or via our website www.uni-frankfurt.de/awp (right side). Important: Only by registering you receive the necessary link and login data for the event! Voluntary supporters are welcome to join the event as well.

General information about the application process can be found in this video: https://www.goethe-university-frankfurt.de/106212227/Info_Video_Application

For all further questions please contact us by Email awp@uni-frankfurt.de or call us at 069-798-17296.



Please note: Due to the corona virus, **the AWP office is still closed to the public. There are no personal consultations taking place at the moment.** However, you can book an online appointment via www.terminland.de/uni-frankfurt. First you have to click „Beratung für internationale Studierende“ and then „Interessent*innen AWP“. Afterwards you can choose a date and time for your consultation. As soon as consultations in person will be possible, we will inform you on our website.

For further information go to www.uni-frankfurt.de/awp and check our facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/AcademicWelcomeProgram/>.