



Bachelor of Arts  
**International  
Relations**

**I imagine I can build bridges  
that span the whole world.**

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# International Relations



I get switched on when others tend to turn off. I am passionately interested in what is happening in the world. I soak up new information like a sponge and throw myself into any new political debate. The major issues and challenges in our world especially revolving around peace, prosperity, environmental protection, justice and human rights are what excite and drive me on.

I want to be socially engaged and I am curious about other cultures and ways of thinking. I am interested in building bridges and find it rewarding when I can contribute to achieving or helping to develop solutions to the major challenge of finding peaceful resolutions to a conflict.

I believe in diplomacy as a driving force on the conflict-ridden world stage. I want to encourage people to stop fighting each other with weapons or exploiting their economic power, but negotiate instead with words, knowledge and values. I see myself as a future intermediary between cultures and their respective interests. In future I can see myself either in the Foreign Office, working for an international company or with an NGO.

I want to learn about and understand the context of international politics and economics, ecology and ethics, legal regulations and cultural ideas, as well as the art of diplomatic negotiations from scratch. That is why I am studying International Relations at Karlshochschule.

# Degree Program Structure

Karlshochschule opens up a whole new, exciting world with each module in the International Relations degree program. Looking at the module overview, I immediately discover how

the contents of my studies interlock, thereby revealing International Relations to me as a continuum.

DEGREE PROGRAM STRUCTURE					
6	Internship			Bachelor Thesis including its Defense	
	18 ECTS			12 + (11+1) ECTS	
5	Economic Institutionalism	Ethics • and Globalization • and Sustainability • in Practice	Justice, Human and Constitutional Rights	Advanced Project	Elective: Culture & Language • Foreign Lg. 2.3 • Host Language
	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS
4	International Collaboration	Contemporary Society	Elective	Introductory Project	Foreign Language 2.2
	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS
3	Area Studies	Anthropology	Conflict Resolution	Change & Innovation	Foreign Language 2.1
	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS	6 ECTS
2	Sustainable Development	Political Philosophy	Introduction in Strategic Practice	Foreign Policy Analysis	Introduction to Scientific Research Methods
	6 ECTS	5 ECTS	5 ECTS	5 ECTS	4 ECTS
1	Global Economy	Cultural Studies	Introduction in International Relations	International Organizations	English as a Foreign Language 1
	6 ECTS	5 ECTS	5 ECTS	5 ECTS	10 ECTS
	6 ECTS	5 ECTS	5 ECTS	5 ECTS	4 ECTS

- Economics
- Philosophy
- Politics
- Application
- Languages



## **I imagine being able to experience everything on this campus. Including myself.**

I am looking for a university that is pursuing an educational ideal focusing on individual growth and social responsibility. This university wants to amaze its students and help them grow into reflective individuals who help shape our future as thinkers and doers.

I imagine that this university is constantly striving to improve itself and remains grounded in reality, and that the exchange between professors, researchers, employees, and students is characterized by trust and humanity.

### **What distinguishes us from others?**

- ✓ Bachelor of Arts in six semesters
- ✓ Officially recognized
- ✓ Leading position in the CHE ranking
- ✓ International and multicultural atmosphere
- ✓ English taught modules from 1<sup>st</sup> semester
- ✓ Second foreign language
- ✓ Semester abroad and internship
- ✓ Real company projects
- ✓ Small groups and interactive teaching
- ✓ Individual mentoring by professors
- ✓ Focus on personal development

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