Global and Transnational Sociology Summer School

For Bachelor of Arts (BA) and Master of Arts (MA) Students

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Application deadline: March 31, 2019
Early applications are recommended and will receive preferential review prior to the deadline.

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The city of Duisburg is at the heart of the Ruhr industrial area and at the intersections of the Rhine and Ruhr rivers. Duisburg is a central site of the industrial heritage route in Western Germany.

A highlight is the Thyssen factory in the North of Duisburg, transformed into a landscape park and cultural center. The Summer School also draws on the cultural diversity of the region, with a migrant population in North Rhine-Westphalia of 17% and city quarters with large ethnic populations and businesses.

Excursions are planned as part of the program in order to introduce international students to the industrial and multicultural history of the city and region.

Global and Transnational Sociology Summer School at the University of Duisburg-Essen

June 17 – July 12, 2019
Global and Transnational Sociology at the University of Duisburg-Essen is focused on broadening the sociological imagination beyond the national borders of most sociological theories and empirical data to generate new understandings of cross-border social interactions and interrelations.

The Institute of Sociology at Duisburg-Essen (Campus Duisburg) includes a number of scholars engaged in studies of work and employment, social structural change, comparative and transnational sociology. Professors teaching at the Summer School are also members of the Institute of Work, Skills and Training and the Institute of East Asian Studies in Duisburg.

At the upper division levels, graduate and post-doctoral programs focus on the world risk society and global cooperation.

The Summer School is part of a new BA initiative in Global and Transnational Sociology at the University of Duisburg-Essen and is supported by the strong research activities of the faculty in comparative, international and transnational sociology.

The University of Duisburg-Essen is one of the largest universities in Germany with over 40,000 students enrolled, offering a broad academic spectrum with numerous opportunities to participate in international programs.

The Transformation of Contemporary Societies: Emerging Orders in a Borderless World is one of the university’s five main areas of research.

COURSES
Language of instruction: English

Block I (June 17 – June 28)
- The Governance of Migration and Diversity: A Transatlantic Perspective
  Oliver Schmidtke
- Global Public Sphere and Cosmopolitanism: Diffusion, Networks and Mobilities
  Kei Takata

Block II (July 1 – July 12)
- Comparative Poverty and Development: Resource Extractivism in the US, Germany and Indonesia
  Paul Gellert
- Social Policy and Gender
  Ute Klammer

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- www.iaq.uni-due.de
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Financial Information
- ~ €310 registration fee (includes a regional transportation ticket valid throughout North Rhine-Westphalia).
  For further information visit our website.
  www.uni-due.de/soziologie/internationales_baplus
- DAAD Scholarship/ERASMUS funding opportunities (see website)