

Psychology with Focus on Rehabilitation Study Program BA

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- Location: Stendal, Germany
- Degree: Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)
- Duration: 6 semesters
- Application deadline: Regular Students 15. September, via uni-assist: August 15, for international students: 31 May
- Admission requirements: Proof of a German-recognized higher education entrance qualification
- Accreditation: Carried out by the quality system of Magdeburg-Stendal University of Applied Sciences
- Semester fee: EUR 318,80
- Total ECTS: 180 ECTS (ca. 30 ECTS per Semester)
- Semester start: October 1 (winter) / April 1 (summer); ends: March 31 (winter) / September 30 (summer)
- Lecture period: mid-October to early February / mid-April to mid-July (total of 14 weeks)
- Teaching language: Mainly German, some courses may be taught in English
- German language skills: Goethe Certificate C2, DSD II (language diploma of the Standing Conference of the Ministers of Education and Cultural Affairs) or DSH II (German language test for university admission), TestDaF (at least 16 points & at least level 3 in the sub-tests), TELC German C1 University or ÖSD C2 (Austrian German Certificate) or passing the assessment test at a university preparatory course

Focus areas

The program is designed in accordance with the recommendations of the German Psychological Society and teaches:

- practical knowledge based on an interdisciplinary biopsychosocial approach,
- skills for performing psychological tasks in social services, education, and healthcare,
- knowledge and skills relating to occupational, social, medical, and psychological aspects of participation disabilities and their interactions,
- theoretical knowledge, analytical and methodological skills,
- basic knowledge of the international healthcare and rehabilitation system,
- knowledge of health, rehabilitation science, diagnostics, and psychotherapy,
- basic diagnostic skills in the sense of well-founded diagnostic and intervention methods,
- psychosocial intervention skills,
- coping skills in dealing with illnesses, mental disorders, and their consequences,
- strategies for developing and promoting healthy behavior,
- knowledge of related disciplines in the social sciences and education,
- it takes into account economic, political, and administrative contexts
- and it empowers scientifically based action.

UNIVERSITY ADMISSION:

- Check visa requirements [here!](#)
- International Office [website](#)
- [Info for regular students](#)
- [Info for exchange students](#)
- Country-specific recognition info: [DAAD Database on Admission Requirements](#) or [anabin](#) portal (available only in German)
- Apply via [uni-assist!](#)
- Info about the [study program](#)
- [Information in German](#)

CAREER PERSPECTIVES:

- Clinics and psychological/ psychotherapeutic practices
- Public and private insurance providers
- Psychological careers within public-sector bodies
- Self-employment in counselling
- Companies, (e.g. in occupational health management)
- Universities, vocational schools, and training institutions for health and/or social professions

Curriculum for the Bachelor Psychology with Focus on Rehabilitation (Status 2019)

1. Semester	Introduction to... • ...Psychology and Rehabilitation • ...Psychology and Rehabilitation System • ...Academic Work I 3,75 hrs/week*, 5 ECTS		Research Methods • Introduction to the Methodology of Rehabilitation Psychology Research • Descriptive Statistics and Probability Theory 4,5 hrs/week*, 8 ECTS		Psychological functional aspects of human action – Fundamentals I • Basics of General Psychology • Biopsychology & Neuropsychology • Developmental Psychology • Differential- & Personality Psychology • Social Psychology 7,5 hrs/week*, 15 ECTS			English 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS							
2. Semester	Research Methods • Inferential Statistics I • Computer based Data Analysis 4,5 hrs/week*, 7 ECTS		Psychological functional aspects of human action – Fundamentals II • Basics of General Psychology • Bio- & Neuropsychology • Developmental Psychology • Differential- & Personality Psychology • Social Psychology 7,5 hrs/week*, 15 ECTS		Clinical Psychology & Psychotherapy • Training of Relaxation Exercises I 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS		Social & Humanistic Aspects of Rehabilitation Psychology 3 hrs/week*, 4 ECTS		English 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS						
3. Semester	Research Methods • Introduction to Qualitative Research 1,5 hrs/week*, 3 ECTS		Basics of Diagnostics • Basics of Psychological Diagnostic • Basics of Psychological Test Theory 3 hrs/week*, 6 ECTS		Special issues In General Psychology I 1,5 hrs/week*, 3 ECTS		Basics of applied Psychology in Rehabilitation • Basics of Social Medicine 1,5 hrs/week*, 3 ECTS		Clinical Psychology & Psychotherapy • Basics in Clinical Psychology I / Neuropsychology • Training of Relaxation Exercises II 4,5 hrs/week*, 8 ECTS		Social & Humanistic Aspects of Rehabilitation Psychology 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS		Work & Organizational Psychology 3 hrs/week*, 5 ECTS		
4. Semester	Research Methods • Inferential Statistics II 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS		Psychodiagnostic Methods • Interview and Observation • Measurement of Performance and Personality • Compulsory optional subjects in Psychodiagnostics 4,5 hrs/week*, 6 ECTS			Special issues in General Psychology II 1,5 hrs/week*, 3 ECTS		Basics of applied Psychology in Rehabilitation • Basics of Social Medicine 3 hrs/week*, 6 ECTS		Clinical Psychology & Psychotherapy • Basics in Clinical Psychology II • Clinical Psychotherapy I 3 hrs/week*, 6 ECTS		Work & Organizational Psychology 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS		Integrated PracticalWork • 4-week internship including preparation and follow-up work 35 hrs/week*, 5 ECTS	
5. Semester	Introduction to... • ...Academic Work II 0,75 hrs/week*, 1 ECTS		Psychodiagnostic Methods • Compulsory optional subjects in Psychodiagnostics 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS		Basics of applied Psychology in Rehabilitation • Basics of Health Psychology • Basics of Social Science related to applied Rehabilitation 6 hrs/week*, 12 ECTS			Clinical Psychology & Psychotherapy • Clinical Psychotherapy II • Basic Competences in Psychotherapy 4,5 hrs/week*, 8 ECTS			Integrated Practical Work • 4-week internship including preparation and follow-up work 35 hrs/week*, 5 ECTS			Research Project 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS	
6. Semester	Basics of applied Psychology in Rehabilitation • Rehabilitation System – structural and Judicial aspects 3 hrs/week*, 5 ECTS				Clinical Psychology & Psychotherapy • Elective Modules in Applied Clinical Psychology 3 hrs/week*, 6 ECTS				Integrated Practical Work • 4-week internship including preparation and follow-up work 35 hrs/week*, 5 ECTS			Research Project 1,5 hrs/week*, 2 ECTS		Research-oriented Bachelor Thesis 12 ECTS	