The CBS College Program

The College Program was developed over the past 20 years to provide international students the tools, skills, and experiences they need to achieve academic and professional success. Dedicated student counselors and a close student community have their back so they can focus on what’s important.

Within the College Program, our students enjoy:

- Study Counselling & Career Guidance
- Secure On-Campus Housing
- Mentoring Program
- Smart Projects
- Administrative Support
- Social Events & Teambuilding
- CBS Language Courses
- Academic Support Program
- Strong Industry Network

We would love to have you join us in the College Program! Sign up today!

https://cbs-college-program.applicationportal.org/home.html

The CBS College Program

QS World University Rankings

QS World Employment Ranking

#1 Germany

World-class Mechanical Engineering

B.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering (International)

Application and Admission at the Carl Benz School of Engineering

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Schlossplatz 19
76131 Karlsruhe, Germany
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Learn more about our admission requirements and online application process.

carlbenschool.kit.edu/admission-requirements.php
Apply to MEI

Apply online for the B.Sc. Program in Mechanical Engineering (International) via the KIT Application Portal.

Application period: December 2022 - April 30th, 2023

Notification via KIT application portal if documents should be missing.

Missing documents can be submitted within the application period through the application portal.

Status of your application will be announced via the portal.

Final decision of admission will be notified a few weeks after the application deadline.

Register for the CBS College Program

Registration for the CBS College Program is possible year-round.

A valid admission offer to the B.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering (International) study program is required for participation in the College Program.

In order to register for the CBS College Program, please follow the steps on the College Program Registration Portal.

Early registration for the College Program is recommended as the exclusive spots are limited.

Indirect or Direct admission

Depending on your secondary school leaving certificate you will either get a direct or an indirect university admission.

If your high school degree is not recognized, you are obliged to pass the Assessment of Eligibility in order to gain enrolment in the B.Sc. Program in Mechanical Engineering (International).

The Assessment of Eligibility is part of the Pre-Semester, an eight-week preparatory course in Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and English. It starts in August.

High School Degree

We accept e.g. IB, GCE A-level, US High School Diploma, German Abitur or others. Please visit the DAAD Website, it helps you to find out if your High School Diploma is recognized to study in Germany. Please note that we require the certificates from your last two years at school.

Excellent Grades in Mathematics & Physics

Math and Physics must be taken as subjects in the last two years of your high school education.

English Proficiency Test

If your mother tongue is not English, please include a certified proof of your English language proficiency, in the form of TOEFL/IELTS. Applicants must score at least: TOEFL (570 pb // 250 cb // 88 iBT) or IELTS (Band score of 6.5).

If English has been the language of instruction of your higher education, you can submit our Declaration of English Proficiency form signed by your school stating how long you have been studying in English.

SAT

Math & Evidence-Based Reading & Writing with at least 1.200 points

For the latest updates regarding the SAT, please take a look at our website regularly: https://www.carlbenzschool.kit.edu/admission-requirements.php

Motivation Letter

Your motivation letter should not exceed two pages and should contain the following topics: Introduction and personal background | Interest and skill related to science and engineering | Motivation and reasons for choosing to study Mechanical Engineering | Personal goals for the Bachelor of Science degree | Future career goals

Optional Documents

Optionally, you can provide e.g. extracurricular activities like work experience (e.g. vocational or professional training), practical experience (e.g. internships), or extracurricular activities and qualifications (e.g. awards or distinctions) or a letter of recommendation.

Final School Leaving Certificate:

If you do not have your Final Leaving Certificate available, you can submit it after the application deadline until July/August at the latest.

Costs & Fees

The Carl Benz School of Engineering provides a college structure within the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT), which is why the specific college fee of 7,000 EUR per semester applies in addition to the university enrollment and tuition fees. The college fee covers support in academic learning and additional services provided by the Carl Benz School.

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EU Student

Non-EU Student

Prepare all your documents as electronic PDFs to be uploaded online. All applications must be submitted by the April 30th deadline. Please visit our website for further information and the latest updates.

More information

carlbenzschool.kit.edu/admission-requirements.php

carlbenzschool.kit.edu/frequently-asked-questions.php

Take a look at our FAQs