
Requirements and Rules for the Practical Semester SS 2026

In the Bachelor's degree programs

Architecture
Business Administration
Data Science
Electrical Engineering
Computer Science
Interactive Media
International Management
International Industrial Engineering
Communication Design
Mechanical Engineering
Mechatronics

International Information Systems

Technical Computer Science
Environmental and Process Engineering
International Management and Engineering

you are required to complete a practical study semester, which will be offered in the summer semester of 2026.

Requirements for admission to the practical study semester in the Bachelor's degree programs

Architecture:	at least 72 ECTS credit points from the study modules of the first three semesters.
Business Administration:	at least 80 ECTS credit points the ECTS credit points from elective modules are not counted.
Data Science:	at least 100 credit points and the exams for the modules Analysis 1, Analysis 2, Linear Algebra, Descriptive Statistics and Probability, Databases and Data Management, and Fundamentals of Computer Science must be passed.

Electrical Engineering:	all successfully completed examinations from the basic and orientation studies according to Annex Section 1 of the Study and Examination Regulations and at least 30 ECTS credit points from the specialization phase according to Annex Sections 2 to 4 of the Study and Examination Regulations.
Computer Science:	at least 80 ECTS credit points.
Interactive Media:	all successfully completed examinations from the basic and orientation phase according to Annex of the Study and Examination Regulations dated December 19, 2017, as amended by the Second Amendment Statute of June 23, 2020, and a total of at least 80 ECTS credit points.
International Management:	at least 80 ECTS credit points the ECTS credit points from elective modules are not counted.
International Industrial Engineering:	at least 80 ECTS credit points.
Communication Design:	at least 75 ECTS credit points.
Mechanical Engineering:	at least 70 ECTS credit points.
Mechatronics:	all successfully completed examinations from the basic and orientation studies and at least 15 ECTS credit points from the specialization phase according to Annex 1 Sections 2 and 3 of the Study and Examination Regulations.
Technical Computer Science:	at least 90 ECTS credit points.
Environmental and Process Engineering:	at least 80 ECTS credit points.
International Information Systems:	at least 80 ECTS credit points.
Business Psychology:	at least 80 ECTS credit points.

Internship position

If you wish to complete a practical semester in the summer semester 2026, you must report a suitable internship position to the Internship Office by

January 20. 2026.

The position should ideally be located within the catchment area of Augsburg University of Applied Sciences. You should only contact the Internship Office if your efforts to find a position are unsuccessful.

Repeaters of Semesters

Students who previously did not meet the admission requirements must also apply for approval to participate in the practical semester.

You can obtain the application forms at the Internship Office and in the Internship Office's download section.

(<https://www.hs-augsburg.de/Binaries/Binary6962/antrag-prax.pdf>).

Regulations for the Recognition of Periods for the Practical Study Semester

The periods of

- a relevant vocational training program or
- a minimum 12-month relevant professional employment in conjunction with a minimum 24-month specially qualified professional employment before the start of the study programme may be credited towards the practical semester of bachelor's degree programmes. On the internet you will find the guidelines for recognition at the following address. <https://www.hs-augsburg.de/Praxissemester.html>

Please submit the application for exemption to the Internship Office.
Application forms are available in the download section of the Internship Office.
(<https://www.hs-augsburg.de/Binaries/Binary6962/antrag-prax.pdf>)

Duration of the Practical Semester

The practical semester covers a continuous period of 20 weeks. However, the practical work at the company is reduced by the duration of the block lectures (two weeks). In the degree programs Mechanical Engineering and Environmental and Process Engineering, the accompanying practical instruction is offered as a distance learning course on an e-learning platform. Here, the duration of the internship is 18 weeks. In the Business Psychology program, the practical instruction consists of 2 workshop days plus a total of 1.5 days of online instruction.

If the training company agrees and you meet the requirements, you may begin the internship activity already during the semester break.

Liability Insurance

For the duration of the practical study semester, you can take out liability insurance.
Further information, brochures, and forms are available from the Internship Office.

Your Internship Office