Lancaster University
Leipzig

Cyber Security MSc

Top British Master's degree in Germany

Lancaster University Leipzig is a branch campus of Lancaster University, UK. The campus in Germany offers the highly recognised British degree from Lancaster University, all while studying in the heart of the vibrant city of Leipzig, on a modern and centrally located campus.

Why study Cyber Security at LU Leipzig?

The distinctive feature of our programme is the interdisciplinary modules offered across four areas: Computing, Law, Sociology and Politics.

In addition to imparting profound knowledge, the programme also cultivates a range of technical skills through participation in a substantial research project.

Upon completion of the programme, students will be equipped with the expertise to pursue careers in application and software security, cyber law enforcement, and other related fields. Our graduates can possess the ability to analyse and solve complex problems, make strategic decisions, and tackle real-world cyber security scenarios.

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Your career opportunities

Leipzig is the fastest growing city in Germany with five main industries: Automotive, Logistics, IT & Media, Biotech and Energy. We provide a network of companies in all these fields. Our Careers Centre supports you in your job search. Benefit from professional skills workshops, career fairs, access to platforms and the Lancaster University Alumni Network.

Learn more about our career centre

10th overall in the UK

Complete University Guide 2025

23rd for Computer Science

Subject League Table 2025

View full programme information

Sample Modules

Cybercrime

Digital Forensics

Information System Risk Management

Information System Security Management

Introduction to Law

Network and Systems Security

Penetration testing

FAQs

Who is the Pre-Master's programme for?

This programme is designed for students who either do not meet the academic or English requirements for direct entry. A successful completion of this pathway will allow progression to MSc degree.

Will non-EU students qualify for a post-study work permit?

Yes, you can apply for the post-study work permit to look for a job that corresponds to your qualifications. You can apply for this permit as soon as you have passed your final exam.

Is work experience considered academic requirements are not met?

Indeed. Relevant professional experience within the industry will be considered.

*European Commisions Report on the quality of life in European cities, 2023

What type of student housing is available?

We have a variety of living options, ranging from off-campus student residences to affordable private or shared apartments. All within a short walk, bike or tram ride from the campus.

Are there any funding options?

Yes. Brain Capital is one of the options for EU students. International fee payers can get scholarships up to €7,000.

Living in Leipzig

- 5th most liveable city in Europe*
- Thriving, affordable, international
- Rich history, museums, and music
- Parks, lakes, sustainable living
- Growing opportunities in tech
- Easy transport across Europe
- Campus in the city centre

Key Facts

	Pre-Master's	MSc Direct
Duration	1 academic Year	1 academic Year
Intakes	**Pre-Master's:** October and January	**Direct MSc entry:** October
Tuition Fees p.a.	**EU/UK:** €11,000 **International:** €17,250	**EU/UK:** €16,250 **International:** €24,500
Entry Requirements	**English:** IELTS: Overall 5.5 (no band less than 5.0) or equivalent **Academic:** Degree equivalent to 2:2 BSc (Hons) UK degree	**English:** IELTS: Overall 6.5 (no band less than 6.0) or equivalent **Academic:** Degree equivalent to 2:1 BSc (Hons) UK degree

Entry Requirements

Campus Video

Student Accommodation

Scholarships

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