





# World Literature double Degree option

You plan to work in the literary field and consider a major in World Literature at the University of Arizona?

Then you should choose UA's Double Degree option with Göttingen University in Germany!







#### OPPORTUNITIES OF THE DOUBLE DEGREE PROGRAMME

- Spend your 3rd Year of study in Göttingen, a lovely small town in the middle Germany
- Study at one of the top 10 german and top 100 universities worldwide



- Meet and study with many other students from abroad
- Let the international perspective of your studies become part of your personal experience!







#### GÖTTINGEN – A CHARMING HISTORICAL TOWN

o little town, right in the middle of Germany, captivating in its typically German half- timbered architecture



- Oldish but yet modern city, perfect mixture between village and city life
- tales, edited and collected by the brothers Grimm





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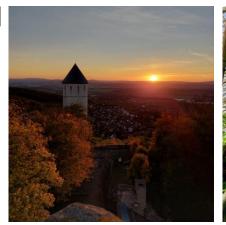




#### GÖTTINGEN – A LIVELY STUDENT TOWN



- Vivid student life with about20 % of the residentsstudying, many from abroad
  - Lots and lots of Cafés, ideal for studying with friends





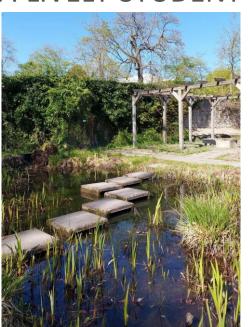
- o Popular meet up spots: the Schillerwiesen (f.ex. miniature golf), the Kiessee, the city wall, the Plesse castle, the old university botanical garden
- o Lovely woodland surroundings where you can follow their fabulous traces and follow scenic routes in the Nationalpark Harz





# GÖTTINGEN – A LIVELY STUDENT TOWN









o Lots of quiet oases to study, relax and meet up with new friends





# THE GEORG-AUGUST UNIVERSITY

- Old university founded in 1737 as the university of Enlightenment
- High standard of teaching, well-equipped libraries, many offers for students
- International focus
- Cleared the path for many famous people such as Carl Friedrich Gauss, the Brothers Grimm, Edmund Husserl, and 44 Nobel Prize winners







# STUDYING AT THE GEORG-AUGUST UNIVERSTIY

 The university offers a huge variety of cafeterias which all have mainly vegan and vegetarian options



Whilst studying at the Zentralcampus you can reach everything by foot: whether you want to study at the SUB library, eat lunch at one of the cafeterias, sunbath at the Platz der Göttinger Sieben and then meet up with friends at one of the Cafés







#### STUDYING WORLD LITERATURE

will take you to the Old Icelandic epics and Chinese novellas,
Greek tragedies and the Russian avant-garde,
texts in cuneiform and postmodern Hypertext stories,
parchment manuscripts and the modern globalised print
and digital book market....







#### Studying World Literature in Göttingen

- World Literature is an ideal major to get a better understanding of the literatures of and its different genres
- o Whilst uniting various literatures of the world this major can be seen as a literary world tour
- o train your comparative skills by discovering international literary diversity and its sometimes surprising parallels
- learn or improve different languages and through it gain new kinds of access to the literature and culture of different countries







#### STUDYING WORLD LITERATURE IN GÖTTINGEN

- You can get in contact with people pretty fast because we share our courses with all kinds of majors
- you will be studying with many other literature
   enthusiasts and bookworms
- Furthermore, we not only have lots of international students in Göttingen but also in our major World Literature







# What You will gain from taking part in the Double Degree Programm



- o Meet all kinds of people from around the world and automatically learn about many world cultures
  - You can further consolidate your language skills which is a very important competence for future job opportunities
- Complement your knowledge of the American book market with: 1. firsthand information about the German literary world and 2. with topics you always wanted to educate yourself about





# REQUIREMENTS

- O You are a student at the University of Arizona (UA), have completed your General Education Curriculum and/or have already taken courses in the BA World Literature program of the Department of Public and Applied Humanities.
- o If you have successfully completed the first year of study, you are permitted to apply for admission at the University of Göttingen in spring of year 2.
- o You master German at a good level (DSH-1, CEFR level B2, upperintermediate) or you will attend a Summer German intensive at University of Göttingen in order to meet the language requirements for admission.





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# Göttingen and many fascinating stories

- in the global real and fictional world -

