

## Core Information

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Duration	2 weeks: 3 - 14 September 2018 Arrival date: 1 or 2 September 2018
Credits	6 ECTS
Level	Master & PhD students
Course structure	Mix of lectures, laboratory experience and excursions
Exam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>E-Learning in advance (preparation of a poster and a report)</li> <li>Written exam at the end of the Summer School</li> </ul>
Accommodation (for non-Hohenheim students)	Pre-booked furnished flats with twin or triple rooms (booked from 1-15 September)
Summer School Fees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hohenheim students: 30 €</li> <li>Students from BECY partner universities and ELLS universities: 400 € (including housing and a ticket for public transport)</li> <li>Students from other universities: 500 € (including housing and a ticket for public transport)</li> </ul> <p><i>Students are required to cover their own costs for traveling to Hohenheim as well as for food, private and touristic excursions, insurance, visa and personal needs.</i></p> <p>Additional information for Students from ELLS universities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Accommodation costs will be waived for a limited number of participants from non-European ELLS partner universities</li> <li>Some ELLS member universities provide scholarships for participants of ELLS Summer Schools</li> </ul>
Visa	Participants are responsible for obtaining the correct visa that allows them to study legally in Germany for the duration of the Summer School.
Insurance	Participants are required to have health insurance that covers illnesses and accidents. A civil liability insurance valid for Germany is also recommended.

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## Summer School on Bioeconomy 2018

Apply now!





## Summer School 2018

No plans for September yet? Are you interested in the topic of bioeconomy and feel like spending two weeks among a group of international students? Then apply for the Summer School on Bioeconomy! It takes place from 3-14 September 2018 at the University of Hohenheim.

The Summer School is an international cooperation within the scope of the Euroleague for Life Sciences (ELLS) and the Strategic Network Bioeconomy (BECY). It is organised by faculties and departments that join forces from various fields of expertise (e.g. renewable energy, primary production, food science, economy/marketing) under an umbrella of "bioeconomy".

The program addresses bioeconomy issues in interdisciplinary views and aims to bring students and teachers from various countries and fields of work together in order to discuss and talk about actual topics and problems of bioeconomy.

The two week program will give you an insight into the whole lifecycle of bio-based materials: bioenergy, biomaterials, food technology, as well as socio-economic and ethical aspects of a future bioeconomy. In a mix of lectures, laboratory experience and excursions, professors of the partner universities and other international experts teach you more about the topic bioeconomy in an interactive way and in an international surrounding.

## Tentative Agenda

Week 1	
Sun, 02 Sept	Arrival, Ice Breaker Event
03 - 07 Sept	<b>Lectures:</b> Applied Bioeconomy, Bioenergy, Biogas, Biomaterials, Food Science, Industrial Microbiology <b>Labs:</b> Meat Lab, Dairy Lab <b>Excursion:</b> Research Station "Unterer Lindenhof" (Biogas Plant & Pig Farm)

Week 2	
10 - 14 Sept	<b>Lectures:</b> Biomass Crops, Case Studies, Land Use Change and Ecosystem Functions, National Systems of Bioeconomics, Socio-economic Impacts of the Bioeconomy <b>Excursions:</b> Research Station "Ihinger Hof" (Biomass Crops)

### Application:

Apply online until 30 April (or until all places are filled).

### More information and application:

<https://becy.uni-hohenheim.de/en/summer-school-2018>

<https://www.euroleague-study.org/en/bioeconomy-2018>

## Join the Network

The Summer School on Bioeconomy is organized by the Euroleague for Life Sciences (ELLS) and the Strategic Network Bioeconomy (BECY).

The Euroleague for Life Sciences (ELLS) is a network of leading universities cooperating in the fields of Natural Resource Management, Agricultural and Forestry Sciences, Life Sciences, Veterinary Sciences, Food Sciences, and Environmental Sciences. The network consists of seven European member universities and three non-European partner universities.

The Strategic Network Bioeconomy (BECY) is a network of five leading universities in Germany, Brazil, Mexico and Canada in the emerging research field of bioeconomy and related disciplines.

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