



World-class research and modern teaching are closely interconnected at the University of Hohenheim. Hohenheim students and researchers receive numerous prizes each year. Its graduates are young professionals who are much in demand.

Hohenheim cultivates international partnerships with universities and other research institutes in over 90 countries around the world; furthermore, the university manages an array of individual research partnerships. The university is a member of the Euroleague for Life Sciences.

Currently, more than 9,000 students attend a total of 41 courses of study in the fields of "General and Applied Natural Sciences", "Agricultural Sciences" and "Economic and Social Sciences". They cherish their "easy access campus" with its expansive parks.

The largest faculty is the Faculty of Economic and Social Sciences, in which about half of the student population is enrolled. About 30 per cent study at the Faculty Agricultural Sciences, about 20 per cent at the Faculty of Natural Sciences.

The University has a unique selling point in terms of its special profile which includes the entire chain of the development of natural and economic values via processes of refinement, economic use and sustainable recycling back to the ecosystem. Featured subjects include the Nutritional Sciences in the context of the Food Chain, the contribution of agriculture to the supply of energy and raw materials, Biological Signals as well as innovation and services.

Five research stations, four state institutes and five research centers enable intensive, interdisciplinary and practice-oriented research in situ. The research stations deal with the cultivation and protection of plants, plant breeding, horticulture, animal biology and ecological farming, as well as animal husbandry, and the breeding of livestock and small animals. For around 100 years the state institutions associated with the university have been fulfilling important functions in practically oriented research and in linking academia and

practice. The institutions include the State Institute for Agricultural Chemistry, for Agricultural Machinery and Engineering, for Apiculture and the State Institute for Seed Cultivation.

The activities of the Eastern Europe Center range from training to the strategic planning of reform projects in Central and Eastern Europe at the interface of science, politics and economics. In addition, the University of Hohenheim is responsible for the entire language assistant program of the Robert Bosch Foundation.

