# There are many reasons to study Agricultural Economics in Berlin

## The City of Berlin

- is home to numerous domestic and international organisations in food and agriculture as well as in economic development and cooperation.
- is at the heart of the integration of East and West and a gateway to eastern Europe,
- is international, dynamic and is known for its high quality of life.

## The Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

is a university with a rich tradition remaining

true to its own self-conception: "... to facilitate outstanding scientific performance and to cultivate the development of the society by critical knowledge,"



 offers excellent academic education; its faculties are internationally recognized for their academic accomplishments.

## The Department of Agricultural Economics

- is part of a scientific network of national and international research institutions,
- offers excellent training in theoretical foundations and quantitative methods,
- integrates up to date research results into its teaching programs,
- offers B.Sc., M.Sc., and Ph.D. level courses and programs,
- provides comprehensive supervision and mentoring for the students.

## The Master of Science Program

The Faculty of Agriculture and Horticulture's academic programs set international standards. They facilitate and encourage study abroad program periods through cooperation with a large number of international universities.

Many courses are taught in English. A high portion of international students show the attractive global orientation of the M.Sc. program at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.

For bachelor graduates in agricultural, environmental, or economic sciences, the M.Sc. program in Agricultural Economics offers outstanding chances to become competitive in the international labour market.

The program integrates economics and agricultural sciences. The core courses include Institutional Economics and Political Economy, Market and Policy Analysis, Microeconomics and Econometrics as well as Quantitative Decision Models in Agribusiness.

Possible elective courses are Agricultural Management, Agricultural Policy, International Agricultural Development or Environmental and Resource Economics.



Student research projects analyse problems of agriculture and the food sector. A broad range of optional courses can be chosen from, including courses from other academic units. Our graduates find employment in a variety of areas such as in agribusiness, insurance, banking and finance sector, national and international organizations (EU, FAO, OECD), and in agricultural R & D.

## Course of Study: M.Sc. Agricultural Economics

Sem.	Courses
1	Compulsory courses The M.Sc. program includes 4 compulsory modules with a total of 30 credit points.  Institutional Economics and Political Economy  Market and Policy Analysis  Microeconomics and Econometrics  Quantitative Decision Models in Agribusiness
2	Compulsory elective courses From the M.Sc. program 3 compulsory elective modules with a total of 18 credit points have to be selected.  • Agricultural Management • European and International Agricultural Policy • International Agricultural Development • Economics of Human Development • Open Economy Macroeconomics and International Agricultural Trade • Environmental and Resource Economics • Epistemology and empirical social research methods
3	Free choice courses & student project
4	Master thesis

A semester abroad can easily be integrated in the course of study of the M.Sc. program.

Successful master students have the opportunity to participate in the Doctoral Certificate Program in Agricultural Economics (<a href="www.agraroekonomik.de">www.agraroekonomik.de</a>).

#### **Your Professors**



Prof. Dr. Christine Bauhardt

Gender and Globalisation

Research topics: gender, environment and sustainable livelihoods, gender analysis in politics and economics

www.gender-globalisation.hu-berlin.de



Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Bokelmann

Horticultural Economics

Research topics: administration; organisation; strategic management www.agrarmarketing.hu-berlin.de



Prof. Dr. h.c. Konrad Hagedorn

Resource Economics

Research topics: resource economics and environment policy; institutional and political

www.resource-economics.hu-berlin.de



Prof. Dr. Silke Hüttel

Quantitative Agricultural Economics Research topics: farm development; structural change; micro econometrics

www.quagecon.hu-berlin.de



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Agricultural Policy

Research topics: market and policy analysis; budget policy and priority setting: European and international agricultural policy; policy for rural areas

www.agrarpolitik.hu-berlin.de



Prof. Dr. Martin Odening

Farm Management

Research topics: investment and financing; risk management

www.farm-management.hu-berlin.de



Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Harald von Witzke

International Trade and Development

Research topics: world nutrition; quality and international trade: distribution effects of globalisation

www.tradeanddevelopment.hu-berlin.de

## Apply and Register

For the Master of Science program in Agricultural Economics you may apply twice a year. The closing date for the summer term is January 15th and for the winter term July 15th.



All application forms and detailed information about the admission requirements are available at:

## http://studium.hu-berlin.de/bewerbung

The enrolment in the M.Sc. program takes place in Student-Service-Center of the Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.

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