

ILM

BA

Full-time:
English, Semester 1 – 4
German, Semester 5 – 6
Part-time: German

International Logistics Management

The degree course on creating sustainable, global flows of goods

Who combines Italian design with socially responsible raw materials from all over the world, environmentally friendly production in Asia and customers in Europe and the Western world? Logistics specialists create and optimize sustainable material and goods flows around the globe. They are responsible for inventory in the warehouse, the availability of goods in stores and in online shops, and for the best possible utilization of means of transport to reduce environmental impact. Logistics not only improves and optimizes existing processes, but also actively shapes our route to a lower-emission future, helping companies to be more successful and make society more sustainable. The International Logistics Management degree provides the necessary skills and offers the long-term security of being commercially successful in an increasingly dynamic environment. Logistics is the discipline for our future and provides job security.

Study Focus

- → Procurement and inventory management
- → Warehouse technology and warehouse optimization
- → Supplying retail stores and ensuring the availability of goods
- → Delivery concepts for items ordered online
- > Intermodal transport and handling concepts
- > Optimization methods for material flow and transportation
- → Process acquisition, analysis and optimization
- → Business basics in marketing, Management and finance
- > International business and semesters abroad
- → Sustainable design of global supply chains
- > Data collection, analysis and processing Basis for decision-making

Profiles

Logistics management	38%
International expertise	14%
Management	19%
Bachelor and seminar papers	10%
Projects, internship	19%

Figures in percent, based on ECTS-Credits.

Degree

→ Bachelor of Arts in Business (BA) NEW German and English

Duration

→ 6 Semester (180 ECTS)

Annual Intake

→ 55

Admission Requirements

→ University entrance qualification e.g. A-Levels, university pre-entry certificate, completed vocational matriculate exam

Application

→ Online – details & deadlines on fh-ooe.at/application

Admission Procedure

→ All details on fh-ooe.at/en/ilm

Internship

→ In the 6th semester for at least 10 weeks in a relevant commercial sector

Experience Abroad

→ Full-time students with German as their mother tongue or with B2 German language skills at the start of their studies complete the 3rd mandatory semester at one of the over 100 partner universities worldwide.

Mode of study

- → Full-time (English and German) and
- → Part-time (German, Friday afternoon and Saturday full day, 2 block week/year)

Tuition Fees

- → EU/EEA citizens: 363.36 EUR per semester (plus Austrian Student Union fee).
- → Costs for students from non-EU countries are higher



Curriculum

List of modules	ECTS / Semester	1	2	3	4	5	6
→ Logistics management							
Logistics management		9	7.5				
Applied logistics management				7			
Logistics management in retail, Industry and logistics services					9	4.5	
Digitalization in logistics advanced algorithms and data structures		3	7.5				
Mathematics and statistics in logistics				6			
Logistics optimization and technology					4	3	
Digital process and quality management in logistics					4.5	4.5	
Sustainability in logistics		3			2		
Bachelor thesis							12
→ Management							
Financial corporate governance)	4.5	4.5			3	
Business administration		3	3				
Marketing and personnel mana	gement			4.5			
Logistics law		1.5			3		
Scientific work			2			5	
→ International expertise							
English and/or German		4.5	3		2		
International business				7			
Global logistics						6	3
→ Projects in companies							
Business projects					5.5	4	
Interpersonal skills		2	2	5.5			
Professional internship							15
Total		30.5	29.5	30	30	30	30

Follow-up Master's degree program at Steyr Campus

- → Supply Chain Management (4 Semester)
- → Logistics Engineering & Management (4 Semester)

On completing their Bachelor's degree, graduates are automatically qualified for follow-up Master's degree courses (as well as for related Master's programs at other universities in Austria and abroad).

International

Logistics Management is a global challenge. That is why from autumn 2025 onwards the degree will be offered in both German and English. Full-time students complete the first four semesters in English and spend a mandatory semester abroad at one of our 100 partner universities. During the first four semesters, our international students get to learn German so that they can complete the final two semesters of their studies in German.

Career Profile

Logistics professionals shape their future in retail companies, manufacturing companies, logistics service providers and consulting companies. They handle the management of procurement and distribution departments, analyze data in order to obtain information for more sustainable strategies of logistical processes, are responsible for warehouses and vehicle fleets and work on projects involving multiple departments to improve customer service and grow the company's success.

Good to Know

- → In recent rankings, International Logistics Management has always been rated the best of over 70 bachelor's programs in economics at universities of applied science in Austria.
- → Logistics is decisive for the boom in online retailers. Logistics ensures that the ordered goods reliably arrive on time.
- → Logistics will make a crucial contribution to achieving the EU's strict climate goals ("EU Green Deal").
- → Logistics ensures that even in times of crisis (Covid-19 pandemic, war in Ukraine, etc.) we can receive urgently needed goods and food.
- → New starting autumn 2025: The full-time ILM program first to fourth semester will be held in English, so that even students without knowledge of German can enroll. During these semesters, non-German-speaking students are offered assistance to help them learn German. The ILM program final two fifth and sixth semesters are held in German. This is intended to give all foreign students the opportunity to take up a professional career in an Austrian company or in the German-speaking world.
- → The part-time courses are held in German, with the exception of the third semester in which many lectures are in English.

Practical Experience and Research

The largest Austrian research institution for logistics (logistikum.at) located at the FH OÖ Campus Steyr ensures that the latest research results are incorporated into teaching and organizes networking with logistics companies through the Logistics Network Association (vnl.at) in Steyr.



The full-time ILM course is placing increasing emphasis on the international aspect of logistics and gives all students, regardless of their mother tongue, the opportunity to better connect and shape the world in terms of logistics. The diversity of our students emphasizes the international flair of the course right from the start, providing an excellent basis for career opportunities in Austria, Germany and all over the world.

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