

Master's Program "Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM)-MENA" Admission Requirements

You are eligible for the IWRM-MENA master's program if you hold a BSc or BA with a visible connection to the field of water resources management with a minimum average grade of 3.0 (according to the German system).

In order to receive admission applicants need to fulfill the following requirements:

Criterion: Relevance of previous university degree

You have to prove the successful passing of a minimum of 15 ECTS of relevant study courses within your previous university study program to the master's program IWRM-MENA.

Criterion: English language certificate

- Test scores (or other proof of English language proficiency) must be no older than five years and are to be presented at the time of application
- Native English speakers have to prove that English was the language of instruction during their school **and** university education
- The following English language certificates are **accepted** :
 - TOEFL ibt: 79 Points; TOEFL ibt at home: 79 points
 - IELTS Academic: Band 6.0; IELTS Indicator: Band 6
 - Cambridge ESOL: FCE
- A **TOEFL itp** (institutional testing program) is **not accepted**

All applications are subduced to a selection procedure with the following **additional requirements**:

Criterion: Motivation

In order to prove your study motivation you have to hand in **two separate documents**: a **motivation letter** and a **research proposal**.

- A)** The motivation letter should be written in **max. 500 words in English**, explaining
- Personal understanding of Integrated Water Resources Management (**One Sentence**)
 - Motivation to apply for the joint exchange program in Germany and in Jordan (**One Paragraph**)
 - Motivation to apply in **relation to your previous experiences / education (One Paragraph)**
 - Motivation to apply in relation to **your future aspirations / preferred occupation** in line with the specialization the IWRM-MENA master's program offers (**One Paragraph**)
 - Name three main benefits you expect to gain from the program (**List**)
 - Name three main contributions you could make to the program (**List**)
 - Five arguments of personal characteristics. Why you should be selected according to your view (**List**)
- B)** The research proposal should be written on **two pages in English**, fulfilling the following:
- The subject and content of the research idea/proposal should be in line with the course content of the IWRM-MENA master's program
 - The focus of the research proposal should be on the MENA region
 - The subject must be of significance regarding the current scientific discussion
 - It should be written in adherence with the scientific principles (e.g., structure, citation, sources of literature, methodology, data quality, consistency)

Additional non-obligatory criterion: Practical / Work experience

A prove of practical experience / work experience within the field of Integrated Water Resources Management will enhance your eligibility to the master's program.