

CHANGING CITIES LAB

How do we want to deal with our urban heritage in the context of climate change?

Join the exploratory lab from 15.-25. July in the UNESCO World Heritage City of Lübeck

Apply by March 17

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PROGRAMME

The international summer school hosted by TH Lübeck, University of Applied Sciences, seeks to explore the various current dynamics and challenges affecting our cities today. This year's focus is on how our urban heritage, including the built environment but also cultural, socio-economic and local values, can adapt and evolve in the context of climate change.

Lübeck as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, is an ideal location for this study. In an exploratory format - the *Changing Cities Lab* - Bachelor students from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to conduct research and on-site experiments to develop contextualized adaptation strategies that work with Lübeck's tangible and intangible heritage.

The programme includes theoretical inputs from local experts and international lecturers, as well as workshops to equip the students with methods and tools for change. Working in small groups, the students will first focus on a selected aspect of change before joining their findings and collaboratively developing a strategy or project for one of the case study sites.

15.7. MONDAY	16.7. TUESDAY	17.7. WED.	18.7. THURSDAY	19.7. FRIDAY	20.7. SATURDAY	21.7. SUNDAY	22.7. MONDAY	23.7. TUESDAY	24.7. WED.	25.7. THURSDAY
Welcome	INPUTS & DISCUSSION			Interim Colloquium	EXCURSION		Studio work INPUTS ON DEMAND	Final presentation & Research colloquium	Side program (facultative) Check-out & departure	
Exploring Lübeck <small>GUIDED TOUR</small>	Lübeck's heritage and climate	International good practices	Methods & tools for change		Hamburg's urban resilience project	Exploring the Baltic sea				
Setting up the lab <small>WORKSHOP</small>	On-site analysis & studio work			Design Thinking <small>WORKSHOP</small>						
	OPEN LAB									

WHO CAN APPLY?

We welcome Bachelor students of all disciplines relating to urban planning and design, urban studies and architecture. On successful completion of the course, you will receive a certificate of participation, including work hours, worth **3 ECTS**.

REGISTRATION

To apply, please send a 3-page PDF document comprising of a motivation letter; a concise CV and a letter of recommendation from your institution to: vivienne.mayer@th-luebeck.de. References and work samples are not necessary.

The **application deadline is March 17**. Information about the acceptance will be sent via email on March 20.

FEES & SCHOLARSHIPS

There are no tuition fees for the Summer School. However, students will be responsible for their own travel, accommodation and meals during their stay. Costs for a hostel in the city centre for the whole eleven days stay are around 350€.

We offer full scholarships (travel and daily allowance) to a limited amount of students. Please specify your need and eligibility in your application.

IMPORTANT NOTES

The entire program is conducted in English. A minimum English proficiency level of B2 is recommended to effectively participate in the program.

As we are unable to provide computers for your use, we ask you to please bring your own laptop.

If you have any questions don't hesitate to reach out to: vivienne.mayer@th-luebeck.de.