

IMPORTANT NOTE

Before applying for any summer/winter programme, read the [GRO website](#) for important information on:

- General Eligibility Requirements and Application Process
- Module Mapping and Financial Aid
- Visa Application, Travel Advisories and Student Insurance

University of Tübingen: Online Summer School I

Host University Website	European Politics and Human Rights Click here .
Programme Location	Online
Programme Dates	June 7 - July 2, 2021
Application Deadline	March 31, 2021

Information accurate as of February 2021

COVID-19-related updates

Due to the COVID-19 situation, the host university has announced that they are offering their summer courses in 2021 online.

Students may apply for module mapping and transfer a maximum of eight (8) MCs (this is applicable only to electronic summer programmes 2021). Please note that some Schools or Faculties (including School of Computing) will not approve module mapping for remote or online courses. Please check with your home School or Faculty Dean's Office to determine if module mapping can be approved for remote/online courses before applying to the partner university.

ESTIMATED COST OF PARTICIPATION

1	Programme Fee	EUR 100
2	Financial Aid Available Through NUS GRO	Financial Aid options will not be available for programmes/classes that are conducted fully online. If programmes are hybrid, only on-site participation would qualify a student for financial aid. If a physical/on-site programme switches to fully online before the commencement of the programme, NUS reserves the right to adjust or retract the financial aid package

PROGRAMME DETAILS

4	Academic Content	<p>For the most updated information, click here.</p> <p>Detailed information on the program can be found in the syllabus here .</p> <p>In the aftermath of the Second World War, for the first time in European history, former enemies created a political union in order to coordinate their economic and political activities, and to establish a unique supra-national system protecting citizens' rights. Over the past decades, this unique cooperation of sovereign nation states gradually led to the emergence of an individual rights-based</p>
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		<p>supranational political system: the European Union (EU). But the past years have seen the EU facing more and more criticism from various sides and a plethora of challenges threaten the European community and what held its societies together for a long time.</p> <p>The Online Summer School I on "European Politics and Human Rights" will deal with the historical and political dynamics of European Integration and cover the current challenges Europe and the EU face today: Brexit, political fragmentation and radicalization, migration, the pandemic and more.</p> <p>First, this course will introduce students to the EU as a political system, characterized by the separation of powers principle, with significant executive, legislative, and judicial powers. It will cover how policies are made in this unique multi-layered system of governance and discuss current political challenges. Second, classes will then focus on the issue of human rights in Europe, covering a wide range of topics including an introduction to the theory and implementation of human rights and to EU politics to assess and protect them by significant executive and legislative powers. Students will be confronted with authentic problems and cases and will discuss and analyze the problems occurring when trying to defend basic rights. The so-called European Refugees Crisis will also be a special topic of discussion.</p> <p>How it is done?</p> <p>The Online Summer School I will be based on online material that you can access at any time using Tübingen university's MOODLE system, as well as on live online discussions including video conferences via ZOOM (about two hours each). The latter will take place at pre-set times, either at 9:00 am (German time) or 2:00 pm (German time), depending on the cohort / group a student is assigned to based on the time zone they are in Hence, by combining synchronous and asynchronous tools of teaching and learning you have the chance to gain valuable insights into new cultures and countries, share your perspectives with international classmates and learn more about Europe, the EU, and its human rights system.</p>
5	<p>Eligibility Requirements</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undergraduate students of humanities, social sciences, law and economics • Participants must be enrolled as students at their home university • Very good command of English • Further information <p>NUS' generic eligibility requirements apply, please see GRO website for details.</p>
7	<p>Application Procedure at NUS</p>	<p>Please apply through NUS Education Records System - Global Education (EduRec-GE) first if you want to do module mapping.</p> <p>You should also apply to the host university concurrently once you have submitted an application in NUS Edu-Rec.</p>

8	Application Procedure at Host University	<p>Please click here for application information.</p> <p>A complete and well-prepared application is a prerequisite for your possible admission to the program. We will only consider applications including all required supplemental documents and that reach the office by the deadline of March 31, 2021 (23:59 German time). All documents have to be submitted in English. Should you have any questions or problems, please contact us at info@european-studies.uni-tuebingen.de.</p>
9	Confirmation of participation	<p>You will be informed by the host via email about possible financial support together with the information on your acceptance or rejection.</p> <p>You have to accept EduRec-GE offer as well as the host university offer to confirm your participation in this programme.</p> <p>Please read the cancellation policy of this programme before accepting and paying for the programme.</p>
10	Module Mapping	<p>You can start the module mapping process after you apply in EduRec and accept the offer for the programme. Click here for a step-by-step guide on applying for module mapping. Please read the FAQs on module mapping for Summer Programmes in 2021.</p> <p>For clarification, students may contact the SEP administrators/coordinators at their respective home Faculty/School Dean's Office or the academic department. Module mapping request is subjected to approval from the Faculties.</p>
11	Transcript	<p>Please provide a valid, personal mailing address in the online registration portal so that the host can send your transcript to you after the summer programme.</p> <p>Please do not request for your transcript to be mailed to NUS Global Relations Office (GRO).</p>

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
15	Contact Information	<p>Questions about the programme? Contact the host university at: info@european-studies.uni-tuebingen.de</p> <p>Questions about module mapping? Visit this webpage.</p> <p>Questions specific to NUS GRO? Contact us at: askGRO</p>