



DHGE
Duale Hochschule
Gera-Eisenach

A photograph of several students sitting at a desk in a classroom, looking at a laptop and writing in notebooks. The image is framed by a green and white diagonal striped border.

INFORMATION FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS

What path can I take?

Degree programmes with hands-on experience

„I studied mechanical engineering and now work as a quality planner for Thüringische Weidmüller GmbH in Wutha-Farnroda, which is where I worked during my studies. It was really nice to meet my future colleagues while I was still studying. It got my career off to a flying start.“

Antonia Timme



**MECHANICAL ENGINEER
(BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING)**

„Since graduating as an electrical engineer, I've been working as a construction and project manager for PUI-Elektro GmbH in Gera. I think a dual study programme ensures the perfect balance between theory and practice.“

Steve Hupfer



**ENGINEER FOR ELECTROTECHNOLOGY
AND AUTOMATION
(BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING)**

„I graduated with a Bachelor of Science in the field of business information systems. I started working for my current employer, DB Systel GmbH, while I was at university. It's a subsidiary of Deutsche Bahn. I work as a consultant in the marketing and communication department.“

Daniel Zeidler



**COMPUTER SCIENTIST
(BACHELOR OF SCIENCE)**

„I studied business administration in Gera and now work as a managing director of Städtische Wohnungsgesellschaft Altenburg mbH. I think DHGE graduates have a professional advantage over their competitors due to their theoretical knowledge and scientific methods.“

Lutz Schneevoigt



**BUSINESS MANAGEMENT EXPERT
(BACHELOR OF ARTS)**

„After completing my degree in social work, I started working as a family counsellor at Caritas in Eisenach. I'm now in charge of our flexible educational support for outpatients. My studies at the DHGE prepared me for my daily work.“

Sina Zeilmann



**SOCIAL EDUCATION WORKER
(BACHELOR OF ARTS)**

STUDY PROGRAMMES AND OPTIONS

| BUSINESS STUDIES | <i>CAMPUS</i> |
|---|---------------|
| BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (Bachelor of Arts) | |
| Trade | Gera |
| Industry | Gera |
| Logistics | Gera |
| Health Care Management | Gera |
| Public Management | Gera |
| Real Estate Business Administration | Gera |
| Services Management | Eisenach |
| Digitalisation Management | Eisenach |
| International Business Administration | Eisenach |
| Trade Management | Eisenach |
| E-Commerce | Eisenach |
| Industrial Management | Eisenach |
| Tourism Management | Gera |

| SOCIAL STUDIES | <i>CAMPUS</i> |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| SOCIAL WORK (Bachelor of Arts) | |
| Rehabilitation | Gera |
| Social Services | Gera |
| Child and Youth Care | Gera |

| TECHNICAL STUDIES | <i>CAMPUS</i> |
|---|---------------|
| ENGINEERING (Bachelor of Engineering) | |
| Construction | Eisenach |
| Plastics Technology | Eisenach |
| Mechatronics and Automation | Eisenach |
| Production Technology | Eisenach |
| Technical Management | Eisenach |
| Measuring Technology and Quality Management | Eisenach |
| INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING (Bachelor of Engineering) | Eisenach |
| Technical Sales | Eisenach |
| Industrial Digitalisation | Eisenach |
| ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING / AUTOMATION TECHNOLOGY (Bachelor of Engineering) | |
| Process Automation | Gera |
| Industrial Electronics | Gera |
| PRACTICAL INFORMATICS (Bachelor of Engineering) | Gera |
| TECHNICAL INFORMATICS (Bachelor of Engineering) | Gera |
| BUSINESS INFORMATICS (Bachelor of Engineering) | Gera |

How can I apply?



STUDY REQUIREMENTS AND APPLICATION

We know that students want to obtain an academic degree and develop in-depth practical knowledge as quickly as possible.

Applicants are required to have a general university entrance certificate (allgemeine Hochschulreife), a subject-specific university entrance certificate (fachgebundene Hochschulreife) or an entrance certificate for a University of Applied Science (Fachhochschulreife). Highly qualified professionals who do not possess a regular university entrance certificate may be admitted upon the successful completion of a trial study period or entrance exam.

Applicants will first need to apply for dual studies with a partner company. More information can be found under “Study Exchange” on our website. Applicants may also submit applications to companies that are not yet partners of the Cooperative University.

Applicants must conclude a training contract with the cooperating company, using the form provided by the university. The contract will stipulate not only the training and study requirements but also the training allowance and amount of vacation leave. Admission to the programme will be granted by the Cooperative University. A copy of the completed training contract must therefore be submitted to the university by either the partner company or the applicant.

What does my path look like?

THEORY AND PRACTICE COMBINED

No half measures. Students who enrol in one of our dual study programmes have two partners who collaborate in providing them with valuable qualifications: The Cooperative University will provide the theoretical portion, and the practice partner will enrich that learning by offering practical experience. Students alternate between these portions every three months, so that they are simultaneously studying at the university and working for the practice partner.

This has many advantages – the regular exchange of learning environments allows students to apply, deepen and expand their knowledge. This is the best way to refine the practical understanding of academic and scientific concepts and develop social skills!

KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

We will give you various skills and knowledge to set you up for your professional career:

- Specialist skills (expertise)
- Methodological skills (identifying and bridging gaps in knowledge, solving problems and applying knowledge to new problems)
- Social skills (communication, leadership, cooperation, negotiation and responsibility)
- Organisation skills (time management and adaptability)
- Presentation skills (oral and written communication)

REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTNER COMPANIES

We ensure the quality of our partner companies.

You can look forward to:

- Highly specialised and qualified supervisors
- Content guidelines for a diverse range of challenging activities in the practical phases
- A monthly training allowance

Why study at the DHGE?

Financial independence through monthly allowance

Academic studies with a clear practical focus

Very high chances of being taken on by the training company after graduation

Exercises, seminar-based lectures and lab practicals in small groups

Personal support from professors and instructors from the field

Short study period: 3 years

AT A GLANCE

- Start of term: 1 October
- Degree: Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Engineering, Bachelor of Science (depending on the degree programme chosen)
- ECTS points: 180
- Duration of studies: 3 years (6 semesters) with alternating theoretical and practical stages every three months

Wherever your path may take you:

**We wish you all the best
for the future!**



*You can find much more detailed information at
www.dhge.de*

Do you still have questions? We'll be happy to answer them:

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