

“PCP Dual” – A new and improved teaching concept



Dear Sir/Madam,

Answering the ongoing Covid-19 challenge that affects especially our international students, we have worked out a dual Pre College Program version to support them in studying here in Vienna without delay.

We have decided to offer **special distance learning classes** for those students who cannot make it to Vienna on time and have to **attend from home**. This means that all students have the chance to start their studies **on time**, no matter where they are, and **without any additional cost**.

All **students here in Vienna** will have their **normal classroom lectures** which will be adapted to the government's **Covid-19 precautions**.

Vienna – Covid-safe and most livable city

Austria has for several months been one of the countries in Europe coping best with the Covid-19 challenge, and the closely monitored situation with modified safety precautions promises low case numbers also in the future. On this safe basis the UAS Technikum Wien can maintain their teaching program also the following semester. To meet the requirements of our students, who might be affected by the worldwide unstable situation and changing regulations concerning travel, we have made a few adaptations.

Classroom teaching

- All students who have succeeded in getting their student visa in time and have taken residence in Vienna by the time the semester starts in October, will join regular classroom lectures as they would have under normal circumstances.
- These classroom lectures will of course be held under the necessary Covid-19 precautions, to be adapted according to the regulations announced by the government.
- Precautions may include having smaller student groups in class, alternating classroom presence with online presence, and offering digital media as additional teaching methods.

Distance learning



- For those students who are having trouble getting their student visa on time, we will offer additional online classes. These students will thus be able to start their studies in October as planned, will join their fellow students in Vienna during the online classes together, and will learn all topics that are taught in classroom lectures in these additional online lectures.
- These additional distance learning lessons will be held via Zoom. Students will be required to join, as they would join the classroom lectures, and actively partake in these lessons.
- All students, be they in Vienna or still at home, will be able to start the Pre College Program on time, despite troubles caused by Covid-19 regulations

PCP Dual – Admission possible even in October

Admission to the PCP in 2020 is still possible until October 2020. The semester is scheduled to start October 12th. Pre-classes already started in July but can be joined anytime.

PCP English – Our new program for Technical and Business Studies

Our new **Pre College Program for Technical and Business Studies in English** will also be adapted this way. This new two semester program offers a chance to acquire all the pre-knowledge necessary for admission to Austrian bachelor studies in the economic and technical field – in English. Students from all around the world have the possibility to study in Austria even if they do not have an extensive knowledge of German.

This PCP for Technical and Business Studies in English includes elementary classes in English, German, Mathematics, Physics, Business Administration and Accounting, Electronic Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering, providing the students with a solid basis for further studies either at Technikum Wien, or at several other Austrian universities, for example

Bachelor in Electronics and Business Distance Study (UAS Technikum Wien)
Bachelor in Creative Computing (St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences)
Bachelor Informatics (IMC University of Applied Sciences Krems)
Bachelor Artificial Intelligence (Johannes Kepler University Linz)
Bachelor Information Management (Johanneum University of Applied Sciences Graz)
Bachelor Computing Science (University of Alberta, St. Pölten)
Bachelor Smart Engineering of Production, Technologies and Processes (UAS St. Pölten)

Best regards,
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