

# Ideal qualification for your career in International Social Work

- Qualification to work professionally and interculturally in Europe and around the world.
- Comparative experiences in social work and social service programs in Germany and the UK.
- Critical understanding of theoretical principles and development of skills that will prepare you for the cultural, social, political and economic diversity of international practice in social work.



Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst German Academic Exchange Service

This program is supported by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) and the Federal Ministry of Education (BMBF).

# Who are the academic leaders in this study program?

#### **Evangelische Hochschule Ludwigsburg**

Prof. Dr. Heike Stammer · Prof. Dr. Melinda Madew



#### Newman University Birmingham

Senior Lecturer Graham Brotherton · Dr. Sharon Hall



## Where can you get further information?

Contact the International Office (IO) of the EH Ludwigsburg. You are most welcome to arrange an appointment with us.

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# **Welcome Applicants!**

One Course – Two Universities
Double Degree in
International Social Work



#### Evangelische Hochschule Ludwigsburg

Protestant University of Applied Sciences, state accredited University of Applied Sciences under the auspices of the Protestant Church of Württemberg, Germany

# Double Degree in International Social Work with Children, Young People and Families

The Protestant University Ludwigsburg and the Newman University in Birmingham-UK, jointly offer a seven semester Bachelor Degree in International Social Work with Children, Young People and Families. At the end of the study program, students from Germany and the UK are awarded a dual recognition from both universities.

The double degree program leads students to cutting edge political discourses on themes that affect children, young people and families in their communities.

The program opens opportunities to experience innovative classes through social laboratories, e-learning teams, blended learning methods and community practice. It provides professional practice with international social service agencies in the UK and Germany.

Students attend seminars taught in multi-disciplinary approaches by teachers representing diverse academic backgrounds.



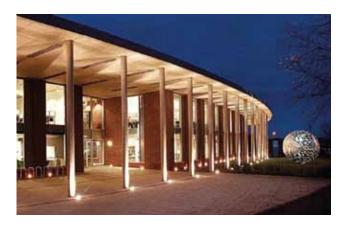
# Study program at a glance

The double degree program is open to students already registered under the **International Social Work or Social Work degree programs** at the Protestant University Ludwigsburg. Students from Germany study in Newman University Birmingham in their **fourth and fifth semesters**. While studying in the EH, German students will be joined by British students in their third and seventh semesters.

	Germany EH	UK Newman
Semester 1	EH students	UK students
Semester 2	EH students	UK students
Semester 3	Joint cohort	
Semester 4		Joint cohort
Semester 5		Joint cohort
Semester 6	EH students	UK students
Semester 7	Joint cohort	

### **Financial support**

For the double degree program, the EH Ludwigsburg has succeeded in getting financial support from the BMBF through the DAAD. All students who qualify under this program will receive a monthly scholarship that potentially covers cost of living in the UK during their fourth and fifth semester abroad.



### **Admission requirements**

- Ability to cope with innovative teaching methods and challenging course content
- Willingness to study modules and seminars taught in English
- Resilience in adapting to multi-cultural life in all its diverse challenges in the UK
- Capacity to offer support, collaboration and team solidarity with teachers and other students

### **Applications**

Application to the double degree program is open to first semester social work students at the start of the winter semester. Documents written in the English language are submitted to the International Office.

- CV (Europass)
- Motivation letter

The admission requirements in International Social Work also apply to candidates in the double degree.