

MORE

Why MORE?

The MORE programme gives refugees who are interested in university education the possibility to get familiar with the Austrian higher education system.

MORE students are admitted as extra-curricular students. The MORE programme is offered in every university city in Austria. Universities grant a certain number of spots for MORE students.

The language of instruction is either German or English. At AAU, MORE students can sign up in principle for all courses and seminars.

What does the MORE programme offer?

- Enrolment as a non-degree seeking (extra-curricular) student*
- No tuition fees and no ÖH fee
- Possibility to attend courses and seminars from all faculties
- Full access to AAU's library and its resources
- Possibility to take exams at the end of the semester (if passed successfully, the grades will be listed on a certificate of academic performance).

Who can take part in the MORE programme?

- Asylum seekers in possession of an "Aufenthaltsberechtigungskarte" (residence permit) according to § 51 of the Austrian Asylum Act
- Recognised refugees**
- "Subsidiär Schutzberechtigte" according to § 52 of the Austrian Asylum Act
- "Geduldete" (individuals with a tolerance permit) according to § 46a of the Austrian "Fremdenpolizeigesetz"

Further requirements

- As the language of instruction is either German or English, you need to have good knowledge of English and/or German (level B1 in accordance with the CEFR, Common European Framework of Reference for Languages).
- You would like to continue university studies you have started in your home country or would like to enrol at an Austrian university.

5 steps to become a MORE student at AAU:

Step 1 Pre-register via email to more-initiative@aau.at by submitting a copy of your residence permit (“white” or “grey” card or Alien Passport)

Registration deadline: 31 December for the summer semester

31 July for the winter semester

Step 2 Please check your email account regularly, you will be scheduled an appointment for your interview at the International Office.

Step 3 Be present for the interview and online registration at the **International Office** of the University of Klagenfurt.

Step 4 Enrol as a MORE student at the **Admission Office** (“Studien- und Prüfungsabteilung”).

Step 5 Have a look at the course list provided by the International Office, select courses and register for them online using your AAU student account.

We are looking forward to your application!

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* MORE students are not enrolled in a specific degree programme, but can choose from a range of courses in the various fields of study at AAU.

**** Important information regarding “bedarfsorientierte Mindestsicherung”**

If you are currently receiving “bedarfsorientierte Mindestsicherung”, please ask your “Arbeitsmarktservice” about possible financial consequences before signing up for the MORE programme.

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