

# Estimated International DUAL DEGREE Budget for 2018/19

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ITEM	AMOUNT/MONTH (avg.)	AMOUNT/YEAR (avg.)
Accommodation + Utilities	€ 290	€ 3,480
Meals	€ 140	€ 1,680
Transport	€ 30	€ 360
University (books, supplies, etc.)	€ 30	€ 360
Student Union Fee <small>(payable per semester)</small>		€ 144
German Health Insurance	€ 90	€ 1,080
Leisure	€ 60	€ 720
Clothing	€ 50	€ 600
Telephone/Internet/TV-Radio License	€ 30	€ 360
Residence Permit		€ 100
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>€ 720</b>	<b>€ 8,884</b>
Credit for Residence Permit		€ 8,640

Payment of the Student Union Fee must be made by bank transfer prior to the beginning of each semester.

The residence permit has to be paid in cash upon pick-up at the Foreigners Registration Office. At the time of the application for the residence permit, students are required to have sufficient funds amounting to € 8,640 in their German so called frozen/blocked bank account in favor of the "Ausländerbehörde Landshut, Luitpoldstraße 29, 84034 Landshut". We offer to assist the students in opening a blocked/frozen account in Germany, but would advise the students to have the above-mentioned amount of money ready. Students should be familiar with their country's regulations regarding sending money to Germany. It is the student's responsibility to ensure that funds are available at the required time.

Moreover, Landshut University of Applied Sciences provides affordable student housing. The budget for accommodation and utilities reflects the cost of living in a single room in student dormitories (state-owned apartment complexes close to campus). Early application for housing is strongly recommended. Any household is obliged by law to pay licensing fees to the "Gebühren-Einzugs-Zentrale" or "GEZ" for short.

Finally yet importantly, we highly recommend German Health Insurance as German hospitals and doctors usually do not collaborate with US-American insurance companies as no Social Security Agreement has been signed.