



# Lutherische Theologische Hochschule

Oberursel, Germany

## Why Study Abroad at Oberursel?

- The opportunity to experience life in Germany and to learn from Confessional German Lutheranism.
- Oberursel is centrally located in Europe, making travel throughout Europe inexpensive and easy.
- The opportunity to visit historic Luther sites.
- Costs are covered by the exchange program, and credits are transferable.
- Exercise and improve your German.
- The opportunity to form close friendships with students from around the world.

## Oberursel Study Abroad Information

Students in the Master of Divinity Program of Concordia Theological Seminary may fulfill part of their requirements under the tutelage of Lutherische Theologische Hochschule.

### Selection

One student is selected each year to study at LThH. Selection is made by Dr. Schulz who coordinates the exchange program with LThH. Students interested in studying at LThH should speak with Dr. Schulz.

### Language of Instruction

The language of instruction at LThH is German, and students wishing to study at LThH must demonstrate a proficiency in German.

### Duration of Study

The duration of study at LThH is approximately one academic year of about 10 months. The academic year at LThH has two semesters of four months each. The academic year at LThH begins in October and ends in the middle of July. Students from CTSFW enroll at LThH in the beginning of October and return the following year in July.

### Immigration

The immigration laws of the United States and Germany require students to obtain a student visa. A tourist or visitor visa cannot be used for study, nor can it be converted into a student visa.

## **Credits**

Ordinarily, the student who studies at LThH will take courses that correspond to the requirements of a student's second year of seminary at CTSFW. CTSFW will accept, by transfer, up to 25 credit hours from LThH for a student's full year of study. The Academic Dean of CTSFW will determine the precise amount of credits to be given for the work done at LThH.

## **Finances**

For federal financial aid purposes, students who attend LThH are considered to be enrolled in an eligible program of study at CTSFW. Because of this, federal student loan repayment is deferred.

Each student is required to pay his own flight expenses. At LThH each student will receive a monthly stipend to cover expenses.

CTSFW remains responsible for disbursing federal and institutional financial aid and monitoring the federal financial aid eligibility and satisfactory academic progress of its students during study at LThH.

## **More Information**

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