

DEUTSCHLAND AMBASSADORS INITIATIVE

The **Deutschland Ambassadors Initiative** brings together alumni of German universities for a series of talks and networking events in the U.S. Part of the Year of German-American Friendship and organized by German universities liaison offices based in the U.S., this initiative invites alumni to join a growing network of thousands of members from diverse backgrounds, ages and professions who share a passion for Germany. Several consortia, representing more than 35 renowned individual German universities and universities of applied sciences, established **liaison offices in New York**, located within the building of the German Consulate General, to expand and deepen academic exchange between the two countries.



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UAS7 is a strategic alliance of 7 leading German Universities of Applied Sciences (UAS) committed to excellence in teaching and research, working in close cooperation with German businesses and industry. The New York liaison office administers student and faculty exchange programs with North American partners, and promotes B.A./M.A. degrees and short-term (summer) programs. The office serves as a node for transatlantic partnerships and outreach.



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The **University of Cologne**, founded in 1388, is a research university at the highest level and one of the oldest and largest universities in Europe. Our New York office helps launch partnerships, implements the UoC's summer school in New York, reaches out to the alumni residing in the U.S. or Canada, and organizes events with UoC researchers in North America. The office is a member in NAFSA and IIE, as well as a main supporter of the German Center for Research and Innovation (DWIH) New York.



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Universität Heidelberg is one of the top-ranking locations in the world of international research and scholarship. Germany's oldest university draws on its expertise in established subjects while creating meaningful interdisciplinary dialogue between different branches of science. **Heidelberg University Association**, New York, supports Heidelberg University's strong transatlantic academic co-operations and the close ties to its former students in the U.S. through the network **Heidelberg Alumni U.S. (HAUS)**.



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The University of Freiburg set up Alumni Freiburg to ensure that former students could maintain their academic and personal links with their “old” university even after their studies had ended. The liaison office is a point of contact for former students of all faculties, nationalities and generations, and it aims to establish a global alumni network with the university’s some 250,000 former students.



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Fresenius University of Applied Sciences is a private, state recognized UAS - the oldest educational institution of its kind, it is divided in to five departments - Economics & Media, Health and Social Affairs, Chemistry & Biology, Design and Online Plus. The university has campuses in major cities of Germany and a study center in New York City which focuses on business.



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The **University Alliance Ruhr** (UA Ruhr) is a consortium of Ruhr University Bochum, TU Dortmund University and the University of Duisburg-Essen, the three largest universities in Germany’s Ruhr area. With 120,000 students, 1,300 professors, 14 collaborative research centers and an expansive network of research institutes and companies, UA Ruhr represents one of the largest and most innovative research locations in Germany. UA Ruhr’s New York office facilitates research collaborations and supports student and faculty exchange.

Campus OWL Germany



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Campus OWL is a network of five higher education institutions in East Westphalia-Lippe, Germany. The New York based liaison office promotes opportunities for study and research and facilitates collaboration with North American partner institutions. Campus OWL represents a variety of different university types (universities, universities of applied sciences, university of music) with locations in Bielefeld, Detmold, Gütersloh, Höxter, Lemgo, Minden and Paderborn and altogether over 65,000 students and more than 500 study programs in all academic fields.