

BECY SUMMER SCHOOL

BECY: JOIN US!



Participants and lecturers of the BECY Summer School 2015

THE NETWORK

The Strategic Network Bio-based Economy is a network of six leading universities coordinated by the University of Hohenheim. The project is funded by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) and the Federal Ministry of Education and Research for the duration of 2013 to 2016. These are the BECY partner universities:

UNIVERSITY OF HOHENHEIM



KØBENHAVNS
UNIVERSITET



Universidade de São Paulo



SPONSORED BY THE



Federal Ministry
of Education
and Research

Funded by:

DAAD

Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst
German Academic Exchange Service

Application for the Summer School

Details about the Summer School and the registration at:
www.uni-hohenheim.de/becy

Registration opens 1 February 2016

BECY Co-ordinator:

Dr. Gabriele Erhardt
becy@uni-hohenheim.de

UNIVERSITY OF HOHENHEIM
OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS



Summer School BECY Summer School on Bio-based Economy

5 - 23 September 2016

SAVE THE DATE



University of Hohenheim | BECY Network Office

D-70593 Stuttgart | Germany

Tel. +49 711-459 22192 | Fax +49 711-459 23668

becy@uni-hohenheim.de | www.uni-hohenheim.de/becy



www.uni-hohenheim.de/becy

THE BECY SUMMER SCHOOL 2016



The BECY Summer School on Bio-based Economy aims at giving an overview about current bioeconomic topics.

In a three week programme the BECY Summer School gives you an insight into the whole life cycle of bio-based materials: Bioenergy, Biomaterials, Biotechnology, Food Technology, as well as Ethics and Social Aspects of a future bio-based economy. Furthermore the different National Systems of Bioeconomies are part of the course.

In a mix of lectures, laboratory experience and excursions professors of the BECY partner universities teach you about the topic Bio-Based Economy in an interactive way and in an international surrounding.

During the first two weeks the students will stay at Hohenheim Main Campus during the last week they will be living at the agricultural research station Ihinger Hof.

Week 1 Main Campus Hohenheim	
Sun, 04 Sept	Arrival
05 - 09 Sept	Introduction to Bioeconomy, National Systems of Bioeconomy I (NSBE), Biotechnology I, Bioenergy, NSBE Excursion
Sat, 10 Sept	opt. Weekend-Programme
Sun, 11 Sept	e.g. Heidelberg

Week 2 Main Campus Hohenheim	
12 - 16 Sept	Food Science, Biotechnology II, Bioenergy II, Socio-economic and ethical Impacts I, Bioenergy Excursion
Sat, 17 Sept	opt. Weekend-Programme
Sun, 18 Sept	e.g. Ulm

Week 3 Research Station Ihinger Hof	
19 - 22 Sept	NSBE II, Bioenergy III, Socio-economic and ethical Impacts II, Food Science Excursion
23 Sept	16:00 End of School

Definition Bioeconomy:

*"Bioeconomy [...] covers all manufacturing sectors and associated service areas that develop, produce, process, handle, or utilise any form of biological resources, such as plants, animals, and microorganisms."*¹

Core information	
Duration	3 weeks: 5 - 23 September 2016 Arrival date: 4 September 2016
Credits	7,5 ECTS
Level	Master & PhD students
Course structure	Mix of lectures, laboratory experience and excursions
Exam	Written exam at the end of the Summer School + group presentations
Accommodation	Accommodation will be provided in shared rooms (3 bed rooms) next to the university of Hohenheim. During the stay at the research station Ihinger Hof, shared 4 to 6 bed rooms are available (full board - Ihinger Hof only)
BECY Partner Institutions	For students of the BECY partner universities a limited number of scholarships is available covering the Summer School fees. Application for the scholarship by registration for BECY Summer School School fees include technical excursions and accommodation as described above. The touristic weekend programme will be offered for an extra fee. Students are required to cover their own costs for public transport, food, private and touristic excursions, insurance and personal needs.
Hohenheim Students	Summer School Fees not yet available at press deadline. Accommodation only included at Ihinger Hof
Visa	Participants are responsible for obtaining the correct visa that allows them to study legally in Germany for the duration of the Summer School.
Insurance	Participants are required to have health insurance that covers illnesses and accidents as well as civil liability insurance valid for Germany.

