To the international students nominated as visiting students for the summer term 2022 at Osnabrück University of Applied Sciences

Dear students,

the measures taken to contain the Coronavirus pandemic are confronting universities worldwide with ongoing challenges. To ensure the continuity of teaching, studies and research, a great sense of responsibility is required of each individual, coupled with an openness to new forms of social interaction in learning contexts and in daily life. An important prerequisite for this openness is the willingness to adapt flexibly to changing conditions. This is particularly true in the field of international university cooperation and student mobility.

In the current winter term, Osnabrück University of Applied Sciences is currently switching back from face-to-face classes to online teaching, thereby following the federal and regional Corona-regulations. These regulations depend on infection and hospitalization rates in the region and govern public life and the situation on campus. They focus on proof of vaccination or recovery or testing and on social contacts (maximum number of people to gather with, obligation to wear FFP2 masks etc.).

However, for the upcoming summer term, the university is planning to return to classes taking place in a face-to-face setting. Yet, we cannot predict how the situation will be in spring. Therefore, we can only ask for your flexibility and for your understanding for restrictive measures that might be in place during your time at our university.

If you like to come to Osnabrück despite the uncertainty, you are most welcome! Please carefully check the information on study conditions, on current entry and travel restrictions, and on rules of conduct under Corona conditions on the Corona website of Osnabrück University of Applied Sciences. There, you will also find specific information for international students.

Please keep in touch with the International Faculty Office at our university and inform us in case you change your plans or if you need further advice and support.

With kind regards,

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