

Housing Information – Independent Search

Due to the large number of exchange students and difficult housing situation in general, the International Center is forced to offer it's housing service on a first-come-first-serve-basis.

You can search for accommodation also independently e.g. by using the following websites (see below). There are e.g. accommodations in private and shared flats (in German: WGs or Wohngemeinschaften) or apartments. Prices vary usually between ca. € 300 - 650 per month depending on the size, equipment and the distance from campus.

If you search for housing on your own, please consider that the process may take several weeks. The following steps need to be done:

- Browsing for suitable apartments
- Getting in contact with the landlord
- Interviewing with the landlord, checking and visiting the accommodation (*in German: Wohnungsbesichtigung*)
- Making a rental contract with the landlord, which usually includes a deposit (*in German: Kaution*) and, if you use the services of a real-estate agent, (*in German: Makler*) also a provision.

However, you have to take in consideration that a lot of the offers are often not furnished, especially apartments, so they might not have the full equipment like bed, wardrobe and accessories such as pillows, blankets, cups and plates for kitchen etc. It is your personal decision, if it would be an option for you to buy all the things you need for your exchange period.

Here you can find some useful links:

<http://www.wg-gesucht.de/en/> (English version and many English-speaking users)
<http://www.immonet.de/> (in German only)
<http://www.immobilienscout24.de/> (in German only)
<http://www.studenten-wg.de/> (in German only)
<https://immo.rheinpfalz.de/mieten/wohnung/worms> (in German only)
https://asta.hs-worms.de/?page_id=32 (in German and English)
<https://www.ebay-kleinanzeigen.de/s-wohnung-mieten/worms/c20315194> (in German only)
<https://www.meinestadt.de/worms/immobilien/wohnungen> (in German only)
<https://www.immobilo.de/mieten/wohnung/worms> (in German only)
<https://www.wohnungsboerse.net/Worms/mieten/wohnungen> (in German only)

Furthermore, there is a Facebook group of Hochschule Worms students.

Here you can also find accommodation offers:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/studierende.hs.worms/>

Studierendenwerk Vorderpfalz

<https://stw-vp.de/en/wohnen/studentisches-wohnen/>

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We do not recommend to look for housing during our Orientation, as this is time consuming and you have to keep the appointments on the Orientation schedule. Furthermore, you are not able to register without a permanent address in Germany. Therefore, please take care about housing in time – before our Orientation starts.

For the first days in Worms it could be a possibility to stay e.g. in a **youth hostel**.

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