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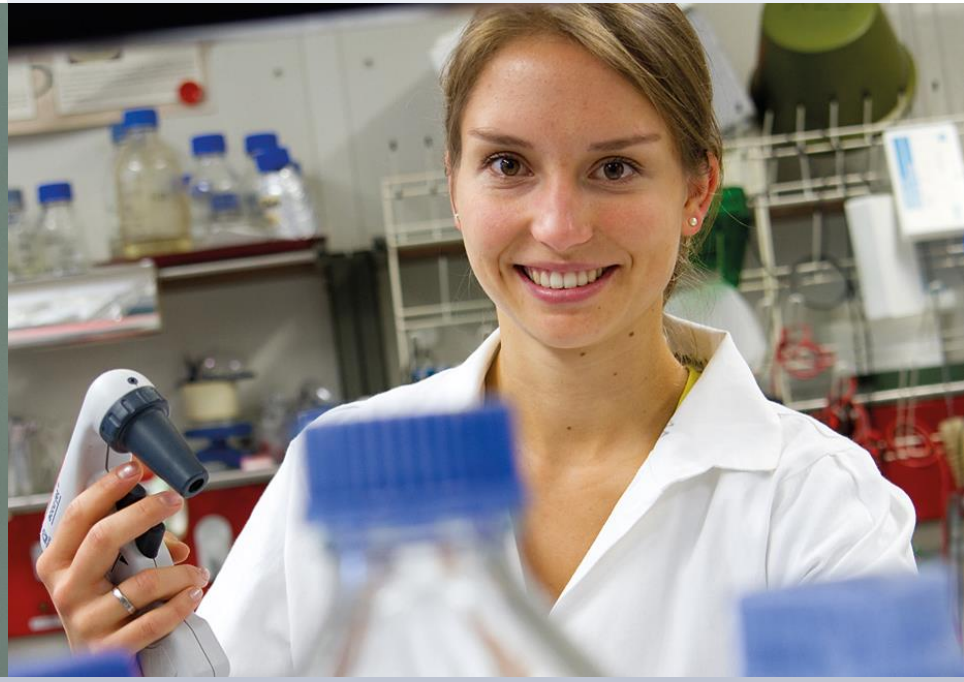

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1477

- 1453 Renaissance in Italy
- **University of Tübingen established**
- 1492 Columbus reaches the New World
- 1495 Leonardo da Vinci: „The Last Supper“
- 1498 Vasco da Gama: Sea route to India
- 1509 Copernicus: Heliocentric theory
- 1517 Martin Luther: Protestant Reformation

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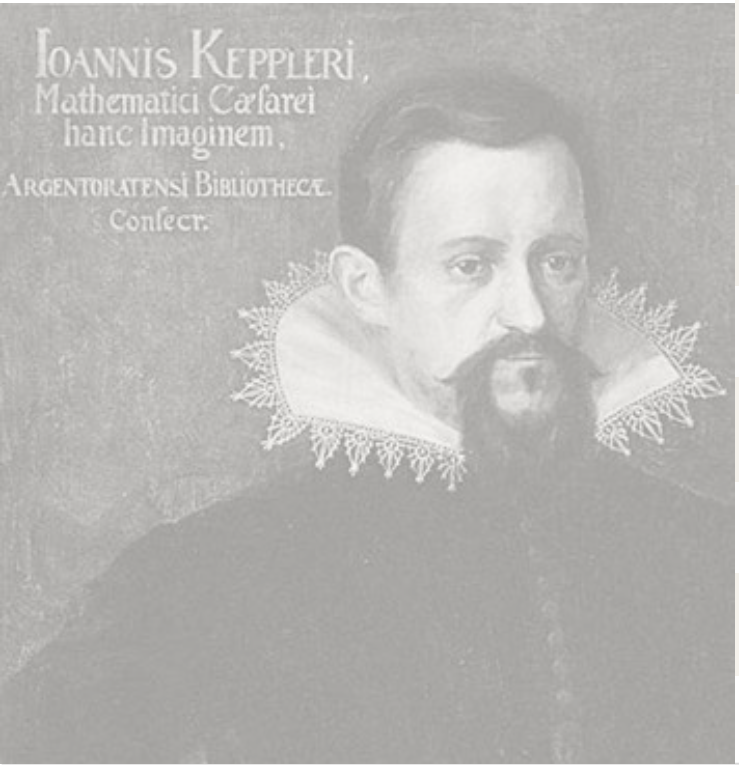
Famous alumni



Johannes Kepler Astronomer

G.W.F. Hegel Philosopher

Friedrich Miescher Physician and biologist

Ferdinand Braun Physicist

Alois Alzheimer Psychiatrist, neuropathologist

Joseph Ratzinger Theologian

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11 Nobel Laureates … nurtured by the University of Tübingen

1999	Günter Blobel Medicine
1995	Christiane Nüsslein-Volhard Medicine
1991	Bert Sakmann Medicine
1988	Hartmut Michel Chemistry
1979	Georg Wittig Chemistry
1967	Hans Bethe Physics
1939	Adolf Butenandt Chemistry
1923	Fritz Pregl Chemistry
1909	Ferdinand Braun Physics
1907	Eduard Buchner Chemistry
1904	William Ramsey Chemistry

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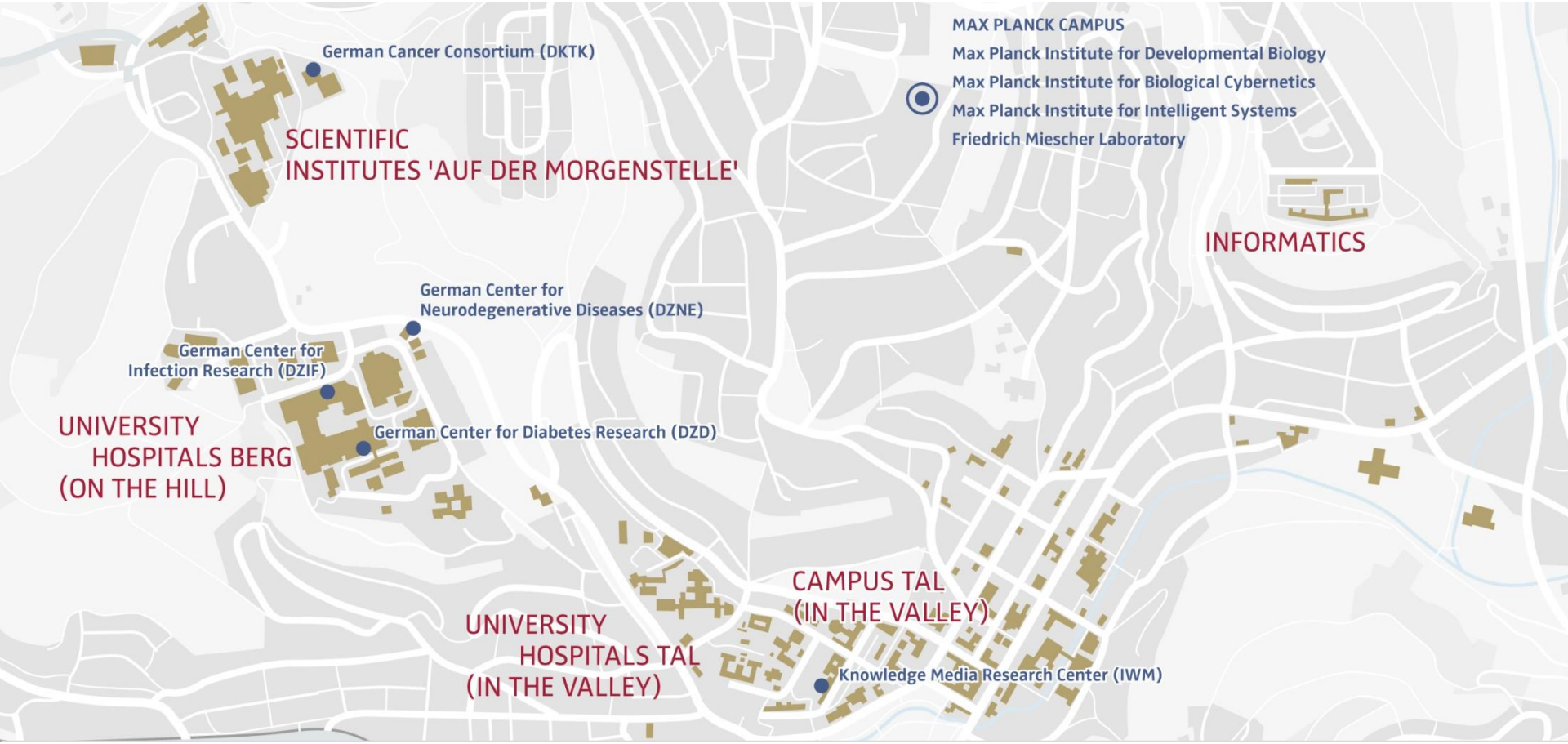
Tübingen Campuses



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University structure

	The President's Office
Faculty of …	Protestant Theology
	Catholic Theology
	Law
	Medicine
	Humanities
	Economics and Social Sciences
	Science
Center for …	Islamic Theology

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Core research

- Neuroscience
- Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning
- Plant Molecular Biology
- Translational Immunology and Cancer Research
- Microbiology and Infection Research
- Human Evolution and Archaeology
- Language and Cognition
- Education and Media
- Geoscience and Environmental Science

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Research at the University of Tübingen (sample)

7 collaborative research centers (SFB)

5 transregional collaborative research centers (TR SFB)

8 research training groups funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG)

257 projects in the 7th European Framework Program and Horizon 2020 including …

- 24 ERC Starting Grants
- 6 ERC Consolidator Grants
- 7 ERC Advanced Grants
- 2 ERC Proof of Concept
- 1 ERC Synergy Grant

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Degree programs

Over 330 degree programs, 130 subjects

Innovative

e. g. Machine Learning, Medical Technology, Molecular Medicine, Geoecology, Nano-Science, Media Informatics, Sport Management, Islamic Theology

International

e. g. Neurological and Behavioral Sciences, Applied Environmental and Geosciences, Computational Linguistics, International Economics and Business Administration

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International partners

North America
116 partners in Canada and the USA

Latin America
25 partners in Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Mexico, Peru, Uruguay and Venezuela

Europe
336 partners in almost all European countries

Africa
13 partners in Botswana, Egypt, Gabon, Rwanda, Senegal, South Africa, Togo and Uganda

Asia
41 partners in various Asian countries, among them China, India, Japan, Korea, Thailand and Taiwan

Oceania
10 partners in Australia, Fiji and New Zealand

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Student numbers

Winter semester 2018/19

All students	27,565
Female	16,147
New enrollments	5,319
International students	3,924

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The Excellence Initiative and the Excellence Strategy
at the University of Tübingen

Excellence Initiative 2012-2019:	Institutional Strategy
	Graduate School LEAD (education science)
	Cluster of Excellence CIN (neuroscience)
Excellence Strategy 2019-2025:	Machine learning
	Infection research
	Cancer research

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