

Fach-Bachelor  
Zwei-Fächer-Bachelor  
**Fach-Master** ◀  
Master of Education  
Promotion

### ► Numbers and Facts

**Start:** Winter semester  
**Duration:** 4 semesters  
**Degree:** Master of Arts

### ► Application and Enrolment

#### Admission requirements

Admission requirements for a Master's degree is usually a Bachelor's degree or an equivalent degree in the same or a closely related field of study and proof of technical and personal suitability. For more information on admission requirements please refer to the admission order of the Master's programme "Economics and Law".

#### Application

Applicants with German university entrance qualification apply online at the University of Oldenburg.

EU and international applicants apply via uni-assist e.V.

Detailed information and the deadlines can be found in internet: [www.studium.uni-oldenburg.de/bewerben](http://www.studium.uni-oldenburg.de/bewerben)

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### ► For general questions

#### For questions regarding your course of study

Student advice centre  
Zentrale Studienberatung

#### For questions regarding application and enrolment

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Immatrikulationsamt

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[www.uni-oldenburg.de/studium](http://www.uni-oldenburg.de/studium)

### ► Further Information

#### Website of China Focus „China – Economy and Language“

[www.wire.uni-oldenburg.de/41624.html](http://www.wire.uni-oldenburg.de/41624.html)

#### Available courses

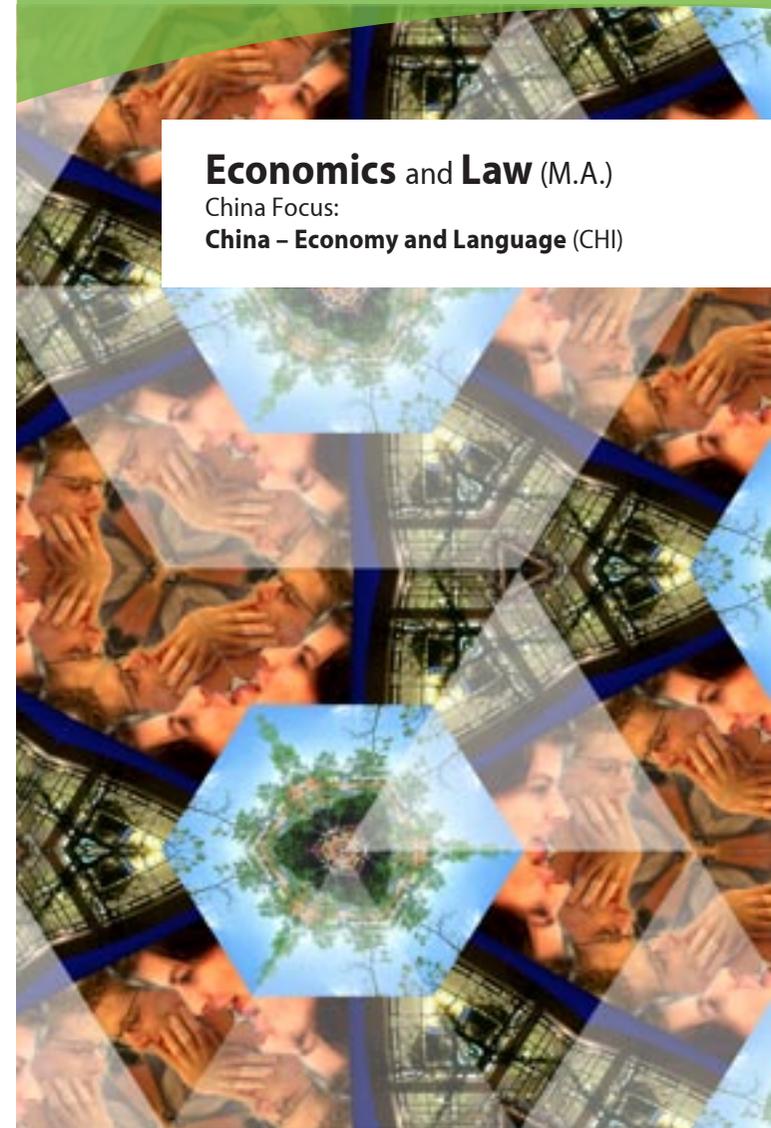
[www.studium.uni-oldenburg.de/studienangebot](http://www.studium.uni-oldenburg.de/studienangebot)

#### Funding

[www.studium.uni-oldenburg.de/finanzierung](http://www.studium.uni-oldenburg.de/finanzierung)

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## Economics and Law (M.A.)

China Focus:

**China – Economy and Language (CHI)**

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China's economic and political significance is increasing, as is the demand for employees and leaders with the linguistic skills and cultural knowledge required to build relationships with the Chinese partners on different levels.

This new Master's specialisation is intended to address these ever increasing demands. It is integrated into the Master's programme in Economics and Law, and is suitable for graduates of the Bachelor's programme in Business Administration, Economics and Law, as well as Chinese studies or Cultural studies with a focus on China.

This four-semester Master's programme is intended to familiarise students with the Chinese economic and legal system and the country's culture as well. E-learning and language instruction combine to provide students with the skills they need to succeed in this area.

Instructors include university professors and lecturers with an excellent knowledge of the country and its ways, as well as visiting professors from Chinese partner universities and instructors with practical experience, who report on their experiences working in the realm of the Chinese economy. It is expected that students in their third semester spend time studying at a Chinese partner university.

The prerequisites for the Master's programme include a good knowledge of English, as well as at least a basic understanding of Chinese. You can take part in an intensive course at the Language Centre before the beginning of the semester.

### ► Structure and Content

Altogether 120 credit points (KP, equivalent to ECTS) have to be earned during four semesters of study. The Master's programme with China Focus contains 16 study modules and 6 KP will be awarded for each. The master's thesis is credited with 30 KP.

The first semester consists of five modules, three from general fields of economics, business administration and law, plus one module on law in China and one module of training in Chinese language. The second semester consists of more specialized courses in Chinese language, culture and economy as well as courses on international trade and international law.

The third semester, which takes place in the form of an exchange semester at one of our partner universities in China, is aimed at developing the intercultural and language skills of the students. In addition to courses in Chinese language, there are courses offered in English or, with appropriate qualifications, courses in Chinese which focus on economics and business modules with respect to China. In order to enhance the practical abilities of the students, a short internship in China (or in a China-related business or institutional environment) is also provided as a module.

Students are expected to write their master's thesis in the last semester and to participate in a colloquium on research methodology.

| 4th Semester                                 | Research Methods Colloquium         | Master's Thesis                            |                                            |                          |                              |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 3rd Semester<br>(Exchange semester in China) | Foundations 7 (VWL)                 | CHI 5 (VWL)                                | CHI 6 (BWL/VWL)                            | CHI 7 (Language)         | CHI 8 (Language/BWL/VWL)     |
|                                              | China in the World Economy (Online) | Chinese Economy in Transformation          | Business Practice in China                 | Chinese III              | Internship in China          |
| 2nd Semester                                 | Foundations 6 (BWL)                 | CHI 1 (Law)                                | CHI 2 (VWL)                                | CHI 3 (Language)         | CHI 4 (VWL/Language)         |
|                                              | Strategic Management                | Transnational Relations and Law            | International Trade, Production and Change | Chinese II               | Economy and Culture in China |
| 1st Semester                                 | Foundations 1 (BWL)                 | Foundations 2 (VWL)                        | Foundations 3 (Law)                        | Foundations 4 (Language) | Foundations 5 (Law)          |
|                                              | Organisations-Management-konzepte   | Economic Policy or Advanced Macroeconomics | International and EU Economic Law          | Chinese I                | Law in China                 |

[Note: Abbreviations in German include "BWL" = "business administration" and "VWL" = "economics".]

### ► Careers and occupational fields

The Master's programme with the China focus provides a multiple qualification through its combination of Economics and Law Studies with cultural China competence. This creates excellent career opportunities both in European companies with activities in China, Chinese companies in Europe and international organizations, associations and non-governmental organizations.

The "Economics and Law" (M.A.) imparts an in-depth knowledge of conceptual perspectives and analytical methods of economics and law. These are the keys to different career

opportunities not only in the private sector but also in the public service and NGOs. It also lays the foundations for further academic qualifications.

### ► Target group/Admissions requirements

Requirements for admission to the Master's degree Economics and Law are a Bachelor's degree (B.A. or B.Sc.), or an equivalent degree. The degree should include – if not separately certified

- Completion of modules or courses in Business Administration to the equivalent of 18 KP.
- Completion of modules or courses in Economics to the equivalent of 12 KP.
- Completion of modules or courses in Law to the equivalent of 12 KP.

Thus a total of 42 credits from the specialist area economic and law must be proven. In the case of missing modules, students are allowed to begin with a minimum of 30 KP proven and to gain up to 12 KP (two modules) within the first two semesters.

Students in the China programme who can prove a sufficient knowledge of the Chinese language, are allowed to substitute up to 12 KP in modules from other parts of the Master's programme for modules "Chinese I" and "Chinese II".

Proof of basic knowledge of Chinese language is required in terms of

- HSK 1 or
- by passing a similar language test such as YCT with a suitable score or
- by passing a placement test at Oldenburg University which checks the prerequisites for successful participation in module "Chinese I"

Basic knowledge of Chinese language can be acquired, as needed, through attending an intensive course at the department or at the Language Centre at Oldenburg University before the beginning of the first semester (in October).