Study programs

The range of study programs offered by the Faculty of Informatics reflects the diversity of this dynamic scientific discipline, as well as the current state of the art in international research.

Available programs

- five Bachelor programs
- nine Master programs (three of them in English)
- supplementary program on innovation for students enrolled in Master programs
- Vienna PhD School of Informatics
- various other doctoral programs

All courses of study are characterized by a special emphasis on technological and engineering aspects. No other Austrian university provides informatics programs of similar breadth and depth.

Institutes of the Faculty of Informatics

- Computer Engineering
- Computer Aided Automation
- Information Systems
- Computer Languages
- Computer Graphics and Algorithms
- Design and Assessment of Technology
- Software Technology & Interactive Systems

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The Faculty of Informatics carries out top-level scientific research and is a significant player in defining and shaping current trends within the discipline. As a research institution it is very well integrated into the international scientific community.

**Main research areas**

- Business Informatics
- Computational Intelligence
- Computer Engineering
- Distributed and Parallel Systems
- Media Informatics and Visual Computing

**Fundamental research and application**

The Faculty’s focus is on fundamental research. At the same time, however, it sets great store by intensive cooperation with industry and business, as well as application-oriented research projects which contribute to solving present or future problems in the economy in government and in everyday life.

Its long and successful tradition of international scientific collaboration and fruitful cooperation with industry and business is reflected in numerous research projects.

**Informatics – a key technology**

In order to do justice to the discipline’s crucial role in the 21st century, the Faculty of Informatics pursues both a technology-based and a multidisciplinary approach.

The Faculty of Informatics is Austria’s biggest research and training facility in the areas of computer science and business informatics.

**Social responsibility**

In addition to providing high-quality training, the Faculty’s scientists are committed to the principles of ethically sound research, assuming responsibility for technological development and making a meaningful contribution to society. Their research results are made available to the general public.

Informatics is a pivotal science in today’s information and knowledge-based society. Information and communication technologies (ICT) are increasingly permeating the economy, government and society, as well as the lives of individuals.