Equality and diversity

The world is colourful

And so we are. At our open-minded university, we stand up for equal opportunities for all people. Everyone is allowed to be himself and show their individuality. We make diversity visible on Diversity Day or in special programs and promote interaction with each other.

For more diversity

Under the focus Diversity Day, we show how diversity belongs in our everyday life with events and projects on queer diversity, gender identities and lived relationship and life models.

Living equal opportunities

Whether you are a staff member or a student – any time is a good time for family planning. We promote family-friendly and student-friendly campus life, with a _('female students,') and show their individuality. We make diversity visible on Diversity Day or in special programs and promote interaction with each other.

University development – our responsibility

Our university should be a place where as much as possible is possible for everyone. That is why we have made equality and diversity as central themes in our concept for University Development 2030. We celebrate the diversity and uniqueness of each individual.

Knowledge Exchange

We research and act transparently and purposefully for global challenges and the world of tomorrow. Knowledge transfer is firmly anchored in our University Development Initiative 2030.

Entrepreneurship Hub and TuK-Haus are the driving force behind spin-offs and ideas and research results find their way into application. The innovation office promotes ideas and projects, especially with a focus on social engagement of students and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs). We are also in the process of setting up structures for the social engagement of students and early-career researchers, especially with a focus on social responsibility.

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We are part of the German University of Applied Sciences University Alliance (DVA). We are one of the people in the alliance. The initiative drives forward structures for the knowledge and technology transfer for universities of applied sciences and promotes them as a social and economic institution.

Ideas lead to spin-offs

At the Tall Blinds and the Entrepreneurship Hub, we work together to enable students to set up their own companies. We also provide support to students and early-career researchers, especially with a focus on social responsibility.

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Our university looks back on centuries of history: Duke Carl I of Brunswick-Lüneburg founded the Collegium Carolinum in 1745 as a modern educational institution between school, academy and university. With a tradition of historical humanistic education, technical subjects and modern applied sciences, the Collegium Carolinum became the foundation of today’s Braunschweig as a center of science in 1878 under Duke Ernst-August I of Hanover. The University of Applied Sciences Braunschweig – Hochschule Technikum Braunschweig, which was formed in 1970, was renamed to today’s central campus, was founded and (renamed) Technical University in 1976.

Global Alumni Network

Our Alumni Office, with other supporters, for example, organizes the Annual Meeting and numerous other events. Alumni are also an important part of the Alumni Network, which is an established network that brings together students and former students from all over the world. What they have in common are very special memories of their time at our university or network with former fellow students? Would you like to hold a lecture for students, get involved with the university or network with former fellow students? Stay in touch with us – whether you are a student at or have finished your studies at our university. You can then get new impulses or to exchange knowledge and experiences.

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Braunschweig is a good place to live for its more than 250,000 inhabitants – a so-called “swarm city”. A strong research and science environment attracts young people in their early career. But there is also a lot to learn about everyday university life. Our performance dimensions: Research, Teaching, Transfer, Students and Governance.

With the University Development 2030, TU Braunschweig is on a path to become a research university that makes a difference for the global challenges of today and tomorrow. That is why we have been working for years on the issues of our future in interdisciplinary and cross-faculty research centres. Our strategic overarching themes: Equality and Diversity, and Knowledge Exchange. Digitalisation, Internationalisation, Urbanisation, Resource Depletion, Climate Change and Globalisation.

With our around 17,000 students and 3,800 staff, we are large enough for international research and teaching, but not too large for personal interaction between staff and students. In addition to an active campus life, the city of Braunschweig has a lot to offer. Water sports on the River Oker, cafés, restaurants and a young cultural and pub scene.

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How it all began.

By the way, Braunschweig is in fact only about 320,000 people in the metropolitan area. At Technische Universität Braunschweig we live up to our reputation as an open-minded and international university into which the students come from a wide variety of countries. We are proud to be one of the leading universities of technology in Germany and a member of the Thierry-Girard University of Technology e.V.

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