



The main campus of the Technical University of Munich is conveniently located in the heart of the city. Photo: Albert Scharger / TUM

## Welcome to Munich

Munich is one of the most beautiful and livable cities in the world with an excellent reputation as a research hub.

As part of the TUM Global & Alumni Office the Welcome Services team supports international postdocs and guest professors with their relocation to Munich.

We help researchers easily integrate into the everyday academic life of TUM, providing a central point of contact for the campuses in Munich, Garching and Freising. Additionally, we convey further helpful contacts at TUM and other Munich institutions.

To make your start in Munich as smooth as possible, the Welcome Services team can support you in numerous ways:

- Visa Application and Residence Permit
- Health Insurance and Taxes
- Finding Accommodation
- Family Service
- Welcome Events
- Cultural Program and Networks

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# Welcome Services for international researchers







Welcome to TUM: the main entrance of TUM's campus at Arcisstrasse 21.  
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A beautiful and lively city: The Welcome Services team helps you find a place to call home in the heart of Munich. Photo: Marina Schreier / TUM



A visit to the opera house is one of the countless cultural opportunities in Munich. Photo: Felix Loechner / Muenchen Tourismus

## German Public Authorities

### Visa Application and Residence Permit

The Welcome Services team supports international researchers and their families through the whole administrative process of relocation.

This starts with the German visa application – if applicable – and continues with all administrative requirements in Germany, including residence and work permits.

### Health Insurance and Taxes

The team also helps international researchers find health insurance and navigate the German tax system.



The Welcome Services team gladly supports you in person or online.  
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## Accommodation and Family Service

### Finding Accommodation in Munich

The Accommodation Service helps international researchers find suitable housing in Munich and Garching.

Since finding an apartment can be a challenge, please submit your housing inquiry as early as possible before the start of your proposed stay.

### Family Service

On all campuses TUM provides information on childcare, schooling options, runs a school holiday program, and helps you make arrangements for family members in need of care.



You may also want to live close to the burgeoning TUM campus in Garching.  
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## Leisure and Cultural Activities

### Welcome Events

During your stay at TUM, you will be invited to several welcome events where you can meet representatives of the university, the City of Munich and other research institutions.

### Cultural Program and Networks

The Welcome Services team organizes monthly cultural events to introduce Munich to all international researchers and their families.

Moreover, there are lots of international networks and communities in Munich with which the team will gladly connect you.



Spouses receive valuable information at TUM's international networking events. Photo: Ulrich Benz / TUM



