



## Please watch out! What you need to pay attention to when applying for M.Sc. Computer Science

In addition to the English taught master's program "Computer Science", the University of Stuttgart offers the **German taught** master's program "Informatik", which is also called "Computer Science" when translated into English. You can easily **avoid a mix-up** when applying by selecting the correct semester in the first tab in the C@MPUS management portal that is displayed to you right after you started your application.

### Application periods as distinguishing feature

The application deadline for the English taught master's program Computer Science is approximately 9 months before the actual semester begins. Therefore, if you want to submit your application by **July 15**, you have to choose the **summer semester of the following year** in C@MPUS. If you would like to apply by **15 January**, select the **winter semester of the same year**.

Example: By e.g. 15 July 15 2021, you would have to select the summer semester 2022 in the first tab in C@MPUS (not the winter semester 2021/22).

The screenshot shows the C@MPUS online application portal. The header includes the University of Stuttgart logo and the C@MPUS logo. The main content area is titled "ONLINE APPLICATION" and has a "Help Support" link. On the left, there is a sidebar with navigation links: "Start of course", "Select degree programme", "Personal data", "Correspondence address", and "Academic background". The "Start of course" section is active and contains the following text: "Please choose the semester for which you wish to apply at the University of Stuttgart. Please note that there are degree programs which might not be offered in every semester or for which you can only apply for a higher semester. Bachelor programs at the University of Stuttgart usually start in winter semester. Most International Master of Science programs only start in the winter semester." Below this text is a dropdown menu labeled "Start of course" with "Summer semester 2022" selected. Further down, there is a note: "When applying, please consider the upper limit of" followed by a bulleted list: "max. 6 undergraduate programmes subject to NC for the first semester", "max. 6 undergraduate programmes for the first semester", and "max. 6 applications for Master's programmes for the first semester". A final note states: "If you exceed the upper limit with this application you may have to withdraw another application before you will be able to continue with this one. Please note that you can only file one application each for the first and for a higher subject-specific semester."

Another criterion for differentiation is the **requirement of language skills**. For the English taught master's program Computer Science, you do **not need any knowledge of German**. So if you are asked to submit a German language certificate, please do not proceed with the application.

### Contact us!

If you have any doubts or are confused during your application, please do not hesitate to either contact the co-program manager, Miss Stefanie Anstein, or the Coordinator of the International Service Point (ISP) of Faculty 5, Miss Annette Maske. The contact details of both can be found on the [website of M.Sc. Computer Science](#).