

You are interested in the UdK's International Conducting Academy Berlin (ICAB) and can't decide which course to apply for?

The **Masters** is a two-year programme of full-time study. Those accepted enrol as students of the UdK and follow a programme of study as laid out in the "Studienordnung" listing all the modules that need to be completed. The Masters is suited to:

- applicants intending to continue their conducting studies beyond Bachelor level.
- applicants who have received a Bachelor's degree in a related field and can demonstrate conducting proficiency.
- applicants who have not completed a Masters in Conducting at another institution.
- applicants who, at the time of enrolment, can meet the German language requirements of the B2 certificate.

The **Advanced Professional Training for Conductors** (APT) is a unique course in Germany offering further high-level training for conductors. It is a one year course where participants are taught alongside Master students but are not required to complete any further supporting modules. It is suited to outstanding applicants:

- who are not eligible for the Masters because they (a) do not fulfill the academic requirements or (b) already have a Masters degree in conducting from a Bologna Process country.
- who do not fulfill by the application date the German language requirements.
- who wish to study for just one year.
- who already have some professional experience and are seeking highly individualised guidance / mentoring as they move forward with their careers.

Participants are not enrolled as students at the university but are participants in a further training programme administered by the Berlin Career College of the University of Arts. Applicants should be aware that they will not receive the special German student status including discounted travel on Berlin's public transport system and access to student health insurance for students under the age of 30.

If you are applying as a non-European Union citizen and you require a residence permit for Germany please contact the Foreign Student Office at the UdK before applying.