

FUNDING

There are **no tuition fees** in Germany!

You will only pay an administrative fee of currently €317 per semester. This gives students full access to public transport in Bonn and the entire state of North Rhine-Westphalia.

You can make a living here with around 800€ per month (including mandatory health insurance).

There are some funding opportunities for international students. Check with the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD).

<https://bit.ly/1pfka2m>

OUR PHD PROGRAM: BIGS-OAS

You can also continue your study and do your PhD at the University of Bonn.

For the enrollment there is no requirement of German language proficiency.

The Bonn International Graduate School – Oriental and Asian Studies (BIGS-OAS) leads doctoral students to completion of their PhD within four years.

For more information check:

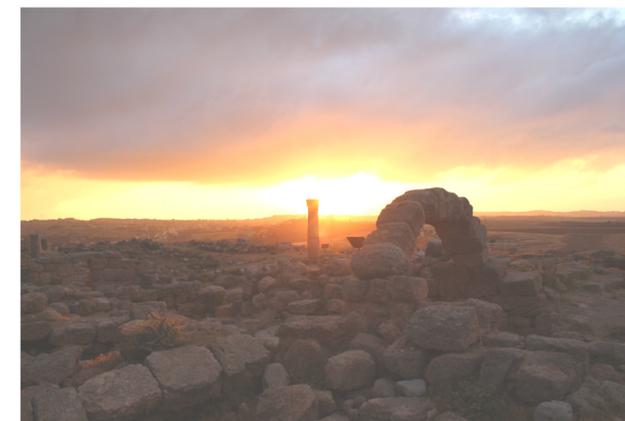
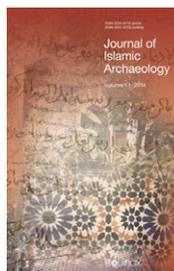
<https://www.ioa.uni-bonn.de/bigs-oas/de>

YOUR PROFESSOR

The program is being taught mainly by Prof. Dr. Bethany J. Walker.

She is a highly recognized researcher internationally and author of fundamental reference works in the field.

Prof. Walker is also the editor of the Journal of Islamic Archaeology.



ISLAMIC ARCHAEOLOGY

Master Program

Do you want to study Islamic Archaeology?

Come to the University of Bonn!

Enjoy the various practical opportunities in our English-language M.A. program, like fieldwork abroad and hands-on training in the lab.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact Prof. Walker and her team directly:

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University webpage of Islamic Archaeology:

<https://bit.ly/2AUMK8E>

We are located here:

<https://goo.gl/maps/wHGMyaVSOqGqhB6e6>

Find us also on Facebook:

<http://www.facebook.com/IslamicArchaeologyBonn>

University brochure for international students:

<https://bit.ly/2nwaQDO>

CONTENTS OF THE PROGRAM

This M.A. program is dedicated to the archaeological study of material culture of Islamic societies and societies of Muslim hegemony, from the earliest periods to recent times.

Our research unit has strengths in the Umayyad/Abbasid, Mamluk and Ottoman periods, particularly in Jordan.

We emphasize interdisciplinary work!



SCHEDULE OF COURSES

Sem. 1	Introduction to Research Methods	Introduction to Islamic Material Culture	Elective
Sem. 2	Internship in Islamic Archaeology	Research Problems in Islamic Archaeology Today	Elective
Sem. 3	M.A. Colloquium	Theory and Methods in Islamic Archaeology	Elective
Sem. 4		M.A. Thesis	

All courses in detail: <https://bit.ly/3qPHfCJ>

PREREQUISITES

The program is open for students who have finished a **B.A. program in Islamic Studies, Art History, Archaeology** or similar subjects.

Knowledge of Middle Eastern languages (Arabic, Persian, Turkish) is recommended, but not compulsory.

Language courses, Archaeology courses, or Museum studies can also be used as Electives.

The program is taught in English, there is no German language prerequisite.

The English level requested for international students is B2 at the time of enrollment.

ENROLLMENT

Our program starts **each winter semester** (October – March) and runs for two years.

Please apply for the M.A. Asienwissenschaften (Asian Studies) with the Schwerpunkt (major) „Islamic Archaeology“.

You have to **apply online** using the portal of the University of Bonn: <https://bit.ly/3uKFGHc>

Usually, there are two enrollment periods for each program: in May and in the end of August.

ASSETS OF OUR UNIT IN BONN



Enjoy **hands-on training** in our lab with thousands of artifacts (ceramics, lithics, bones, glassware, metal objects).



Join the archaeological **field projects** of the Research Unit in Jordan or Israel.



Last but not least:

Our research unit has a very friendly and international atmosphere.

Bonn is a very cozy, but as the former German capital, also a cosmopolitan city.