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FH Vorarlberg Key Facts and Core Competences

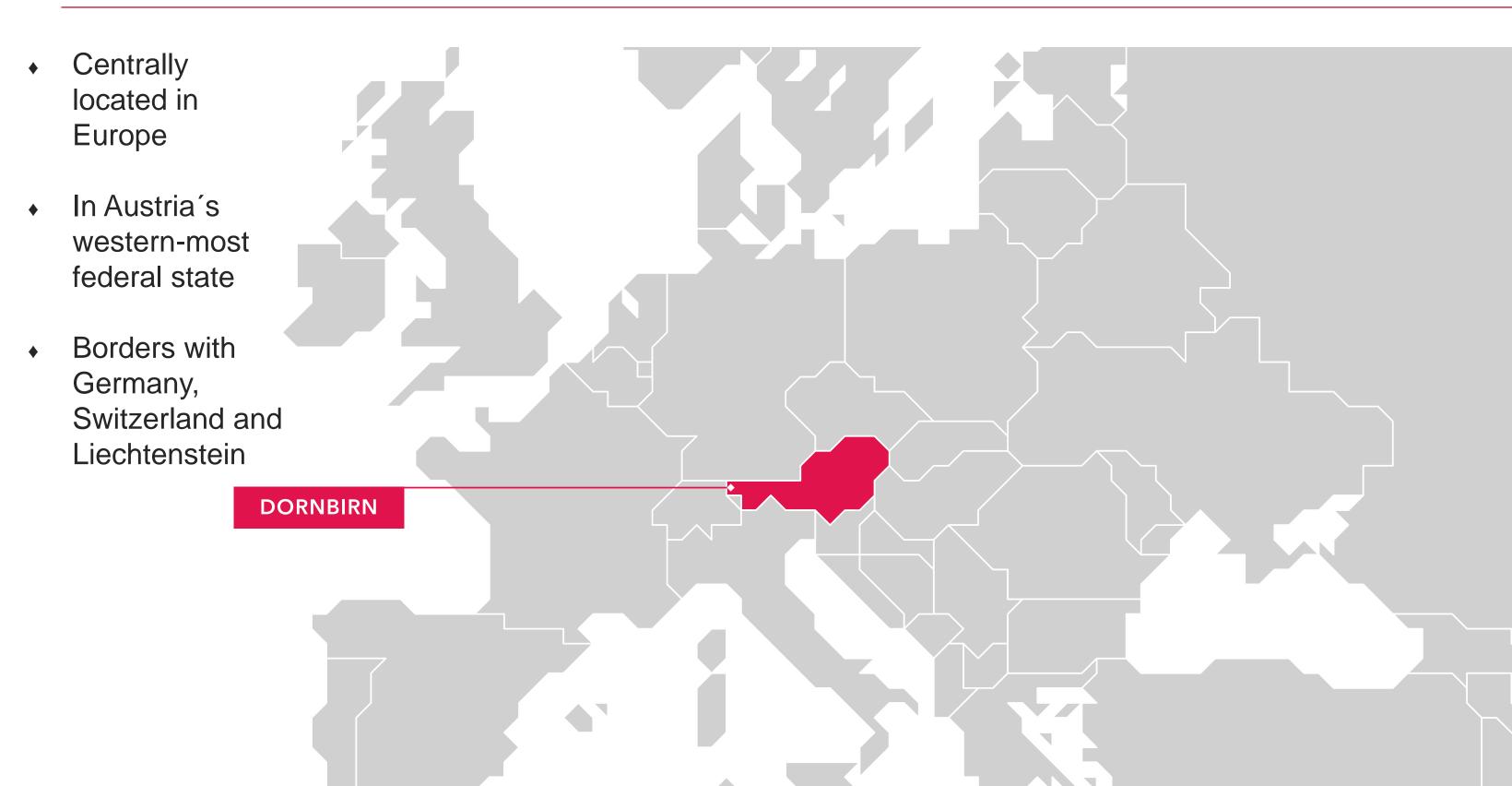
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# Location FH Vorarlberg: Austria - Vorarlberg - Dornbirn



# Vorarlberg - an impressively diverse region

### Interesting to know about Vorarlberg

- 380.000 inhabitants
- One of Europe's strongest economic regions
- Austria's export champion (60 %)
- A model region for Energy Efficiency
- Surrounded by the majestic Austrian & Swiss Alps
- Incredible landscapes
- Unique blend of urban life and natural simplicity
- Excellent range of leisure and sport activities
- Diverse art and culture scene
- Highest standard of living
- Extraordinary quality of life in every respect
- Safe environment
- Excellent destination for travelling around in Europe



# Vorarlberg University of Applied Sciences (FH Vorarlberg)

### **Key facts**

Founded 1994

1.300 students / 250 staff members

Excellent student-staff-ratio

State-of-the-art infrastructure

19 degree programmes

5 Research Centres

Small class sizes

Efficient and practice-oriented instruction

Immediate connection between research

and studies

International focus

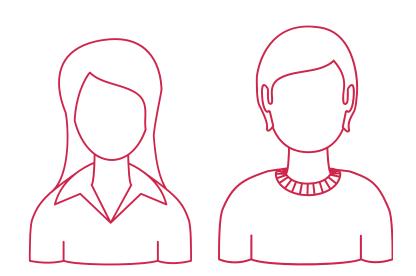
### **Core competences**

**Engineering and Technology** 

Business

Design

Social Work



# Degree Programmes

#### Bachelor Degrees – 3 years

- International Business (full-time + part-time)
- Mechatronics (full-time + part-time) / Mechanical Engineering / Electrical Engineering
- Computer Science Software and Information Engineering
- Engineering and Management
- InterMedia
- Social Work (full-time + part-time)

#### Master Degrees – 2 years

- Business Process Management / Accounting, Controlling & Finance / International Marketing & Sales
- Computer Science
- InterMedia
- Mechatronics
- Social Work
- Energy Technology and Energy Economics

#### **Further Education**

Via Schloß Hofen



### Research and Development

As a University of Applied Sciences we are very much focused on working together with business and industry.

In the joint ventures with business and industry FH Vorarlberg is guided by the principle of serving the region through internationally recognised research and has channelled the resources into 5 strategic areas:

- Microtechnology
- User Centred Technologies
- Process- and Product-Engineering
- Social and Economic Sciences
- Energy



### International Activities

### Internationalisation has a high priority

- Cooperation agreements with 110 higher education institutions
- In 23 countries in Europe
- In Australia, Brazil, Chile, China, Costa Rica, India, Mexico, Peru, Puerto Rico, South Korea, Taiwan, Turkey, USA.

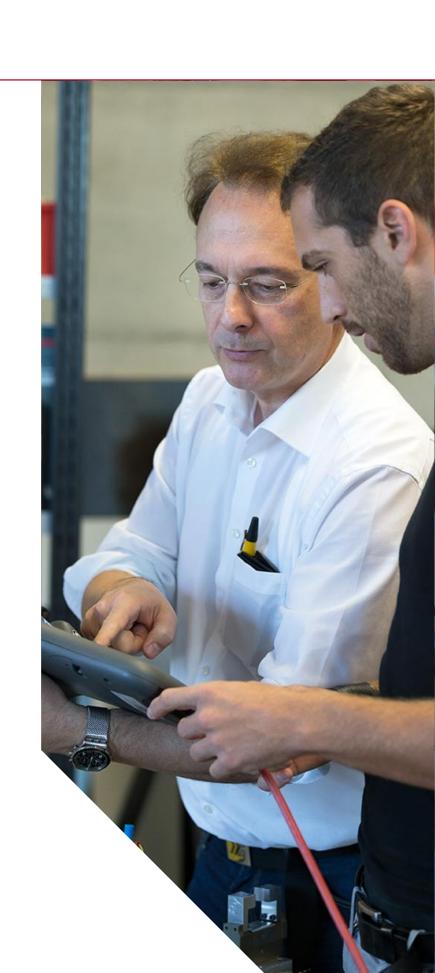
### Strong focus on mobility activities

- More than 50 % of the fulltime bachelor students study for at least one semester abroad
- 120 international exchange students per year
- Short Term Programmes in BRIC Countries



### Fields of cooperation

- ◆ Training for academic staff and joint development of lectures or Teamteaching; one lecture per semester at FH Vorarlberg and one lecture at the Iranian partner university.
- Study trips to Iran and Vorarlberg including company visits (Master Degree Programms).
- Cooperation in research projects in the areas Microtechnology, User-Centred Technologies, Process and Product Engineering, Social sciences and economics and especially <u>Energy</u> (Demand Side Management, Materials, ...).



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