

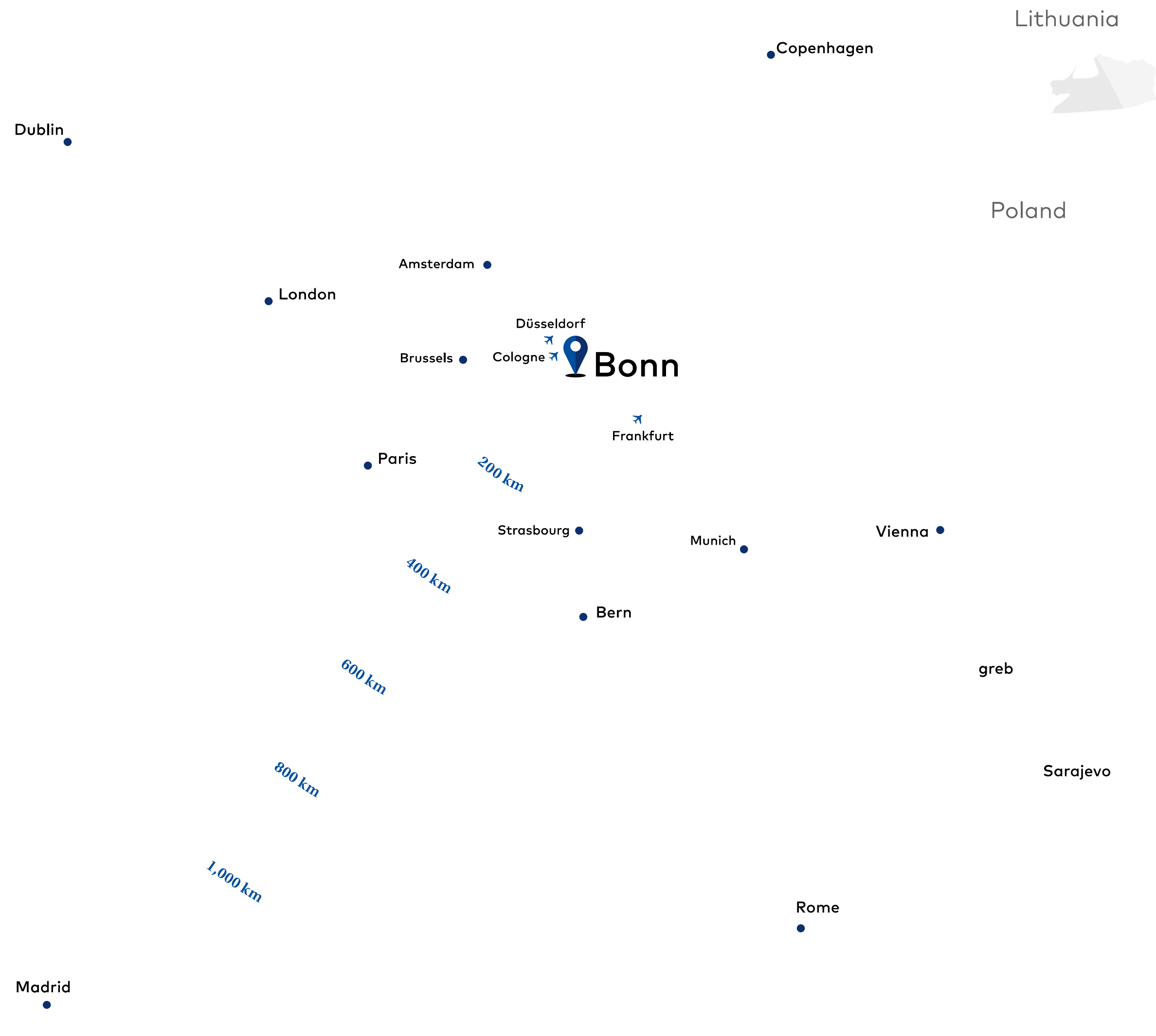




UNIVERSITY OF BONN International

City of Bonn — In the Heart of Europe

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City of Bonn

- 2,000 years of history
- Ludwig van Beethoven's birthplace (1770)
- Former capital (1949–1990)
- Federal City, UN City
- 338,396 inhabitants from 176 countries



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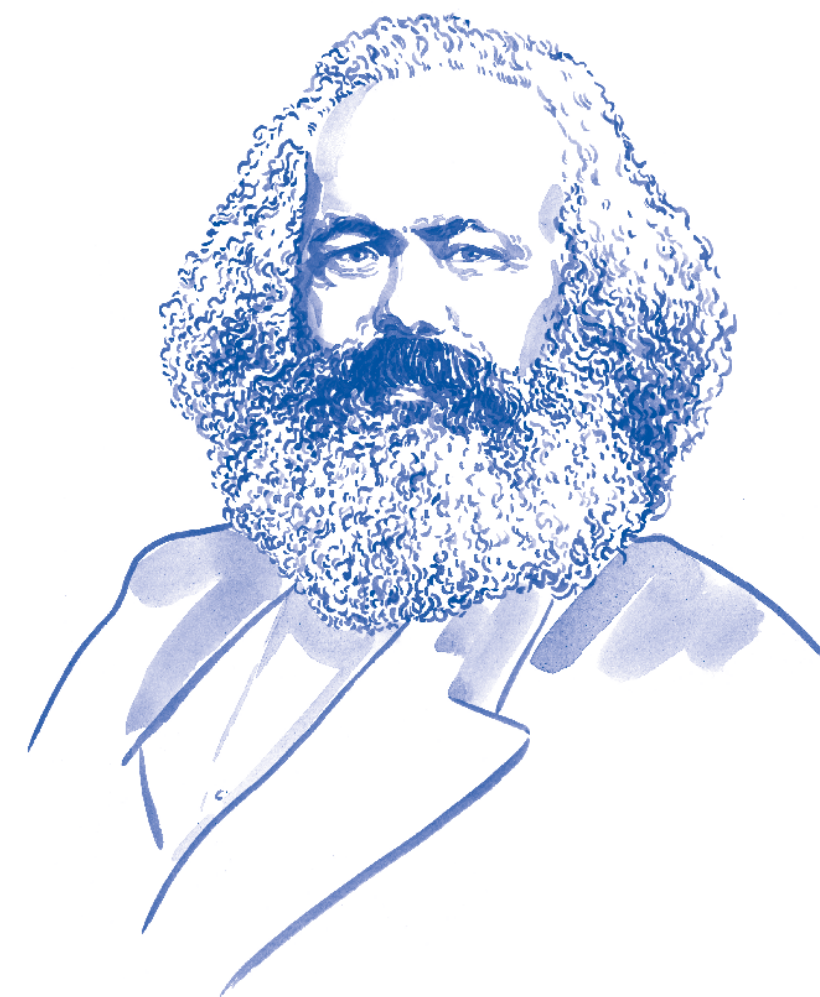
An Excellent Tradition

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- Founded in 1818
- University of Excellence since 2019
- Famous scholars and alumni
- 9 Nobel laureates
- 3 recipients of the Fields Medal
- 2 palaces

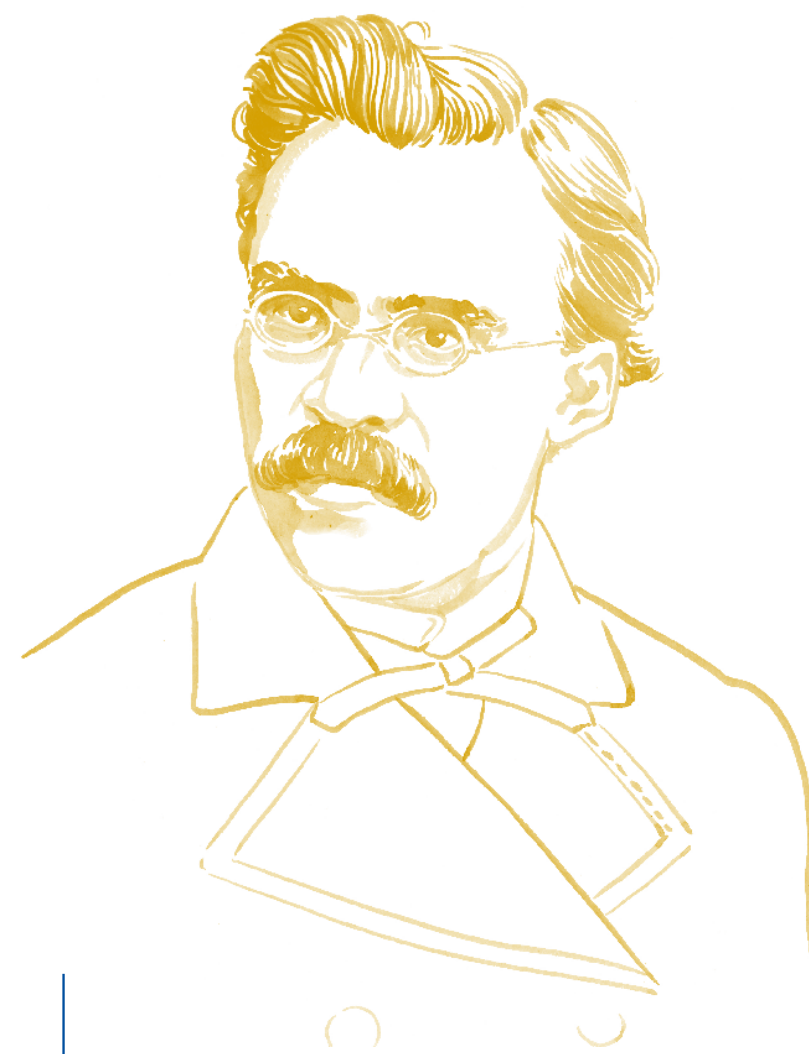
1818

Karl Marx (1818–1883): German philosopher, economist, social theorist, political journalist—a protagonist of the labor movement and famous critic of both capitalism and religion.



1835

Friedrich Nietzsche (1844–1900): German classical philologist and philosopher.



1864

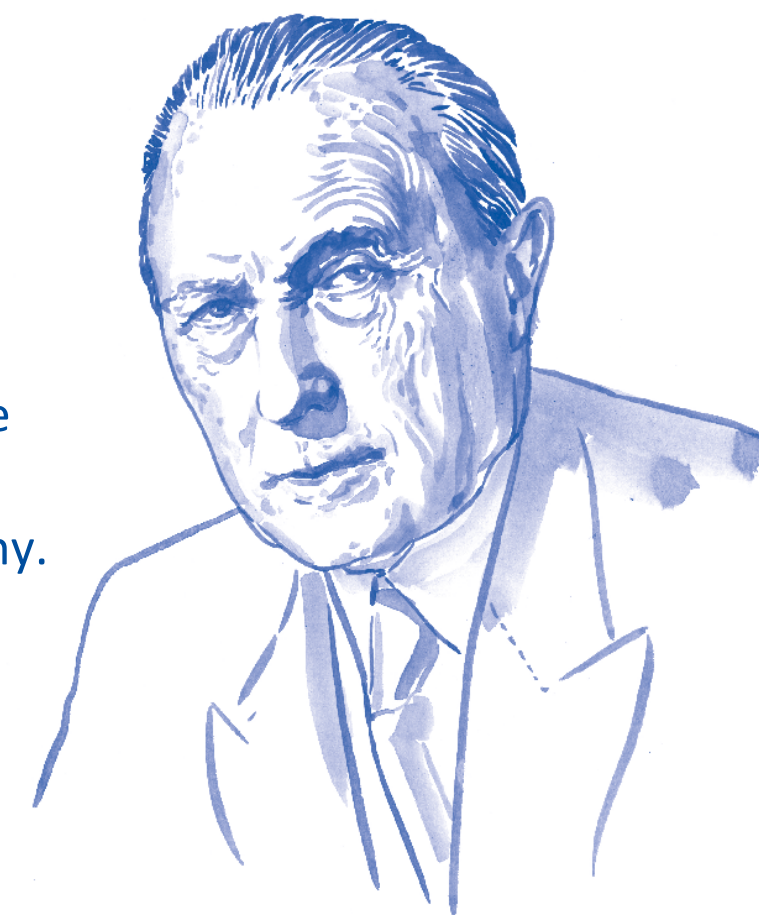
1889



Heinrich Rudolf Hertz (1857–1894): German physicist; first scientist to conclusively prove the existence of electromagnetic waves.

1897

Konrad Hermann Joseph Adenauer (1876–1967): the first Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany.



1899

Maria von Linden-Aspermont (1869–1936): zoologist, parasitologist and the first German woman to hold the title of professor, bestowed by the University of Bonn in 1910.



1907

Leah Goldberg (1911–1970):
Jewish poet, translator,
literary scholar and
children's book author.



1933

Karl Barth (1886–1968):
Swiss Protestant
Reformed theologian.



1934

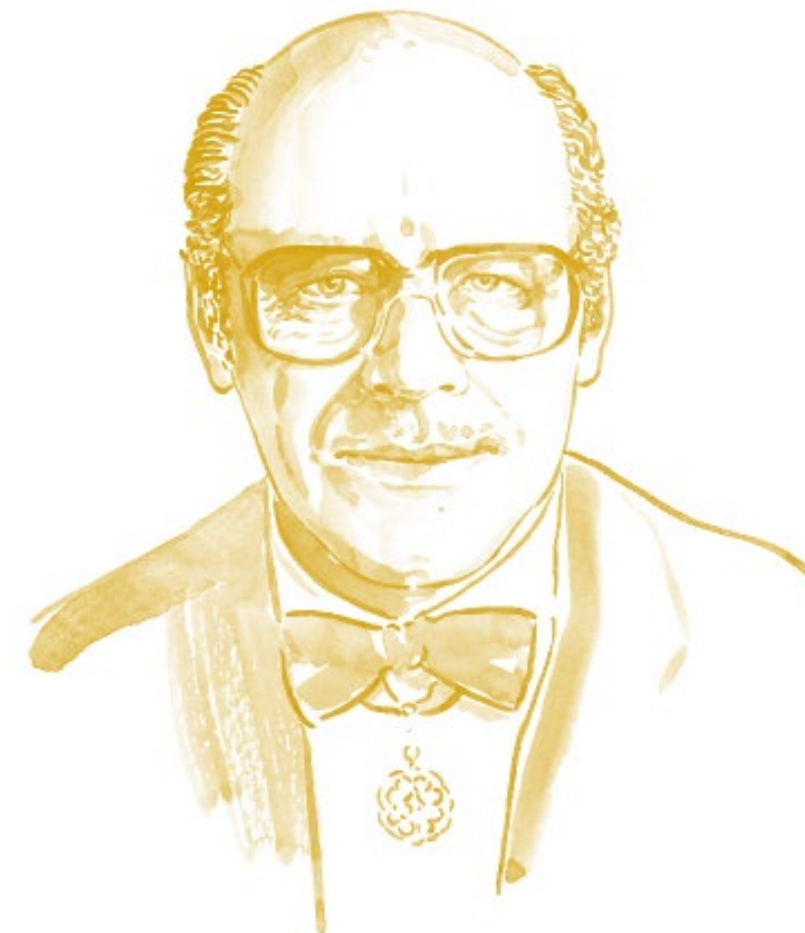
Annette Kuhn (1934–2019):
German historian, peace
researcher and women's
studies scholar.



1980

1989

Wolfgang Paul (1913–1993):
German physicist and Nobel
Prize winner in Physics.



2015

Isabel Schnabel (*1971):
German economist,
member of the Executive
Board of the European
Central Bank (ECB).



Seven Faculties

Faculty of Protestant
Theology

(since 1818)

Faculty of Catholic
Theology

(since 1818)

Faculty of Agriculture

The only
one in
NRW

Faculty of Mathematics
and Natural Sciences

Faculty of Medicine

(since 1818)

Faculty of Arts

Faculty of Law and
Economics

University Hospital

Facts and Figures International

- 33,192 students (winter semester 2022/23), including 4,480 international students (13.5%) from 136 countries
- 6,468 doctoral students, including 1,683 international doctoral students (26.0%)
- 668 outgoing students (academic year 2021/22)

38 international degree programs, including:

- 26 English-language master's degree programs (including 3 with double degrees)
- 9 multilingual degree programs (including 2 bachelor's and 7 master's programs; all with double degrees)
- 3 degree programs for continuing education



Rank 76 in the “Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU)/ Shanghai Ranking” 2022;
rank 4 among German universities



Rank 89 in “THE World University Rankings 2023”
by Times Higher Education (THE); **rank 7** among
German universities

Global Exchange Program

Program offers

- Open to students from more than 40 partner institutions around the globe
- Duration: one semester or two semester
- Free [Intensive German Language Course Before Starting the Semester](#)
- Free [In-Semester German Language Courses](#)
- Participation in regular university classes (Bachelor and Master level)
- Guaranteed housing in a single dorm room or apartment

- Student groups (choirs, debate club, environmental clubs, etc.)
- University sports (fitness, dancing, martial arts, soccer, yoga, etc.)
- Concerts, lectures, screenings and art exhibitions
- Free transportation with bus, train and tram in all of North Rhine-Westphalia
- Free bike rentals 30 minutes per day available throughout the city
- Approximate living costs per month: 800 € - 1000 €



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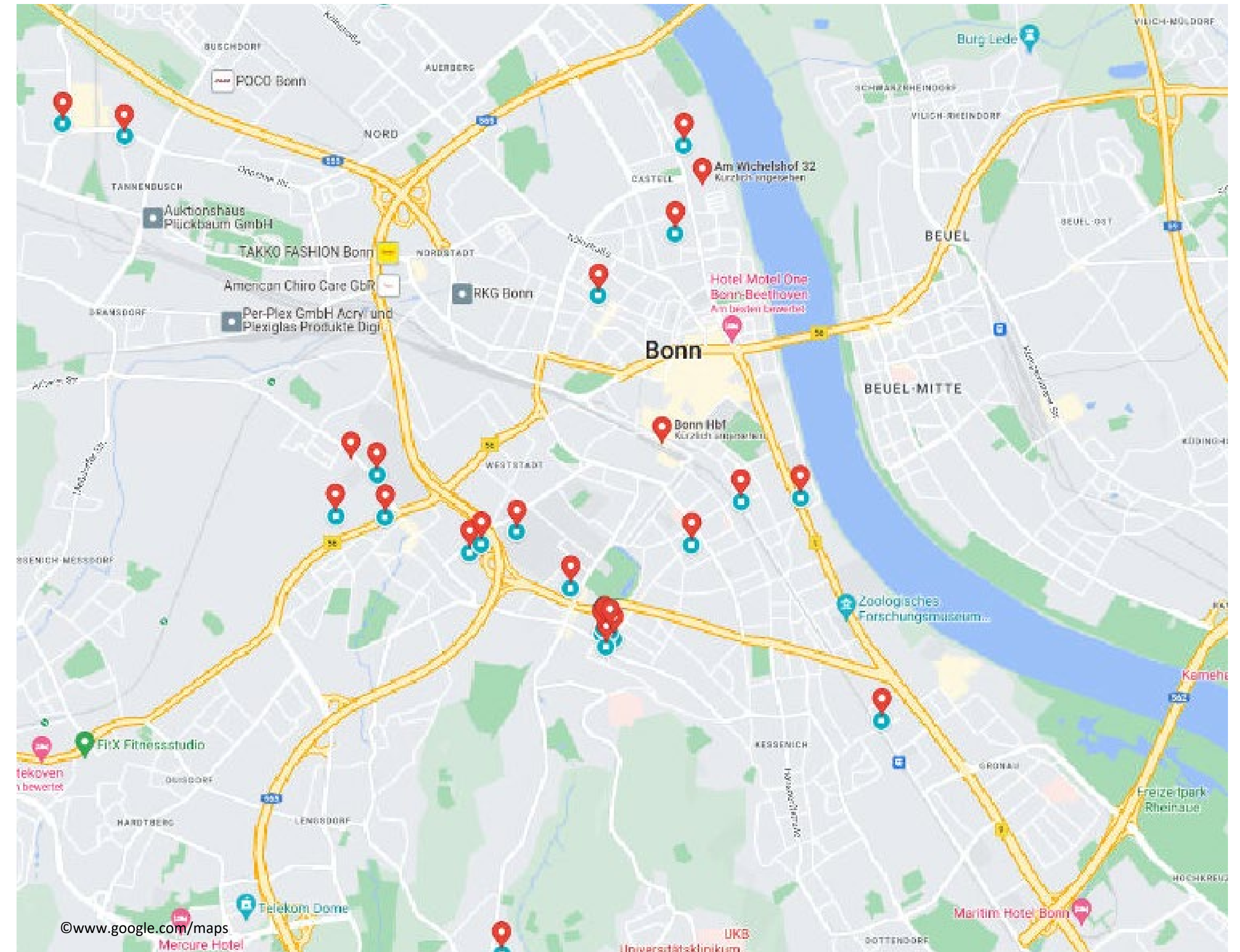


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Housing

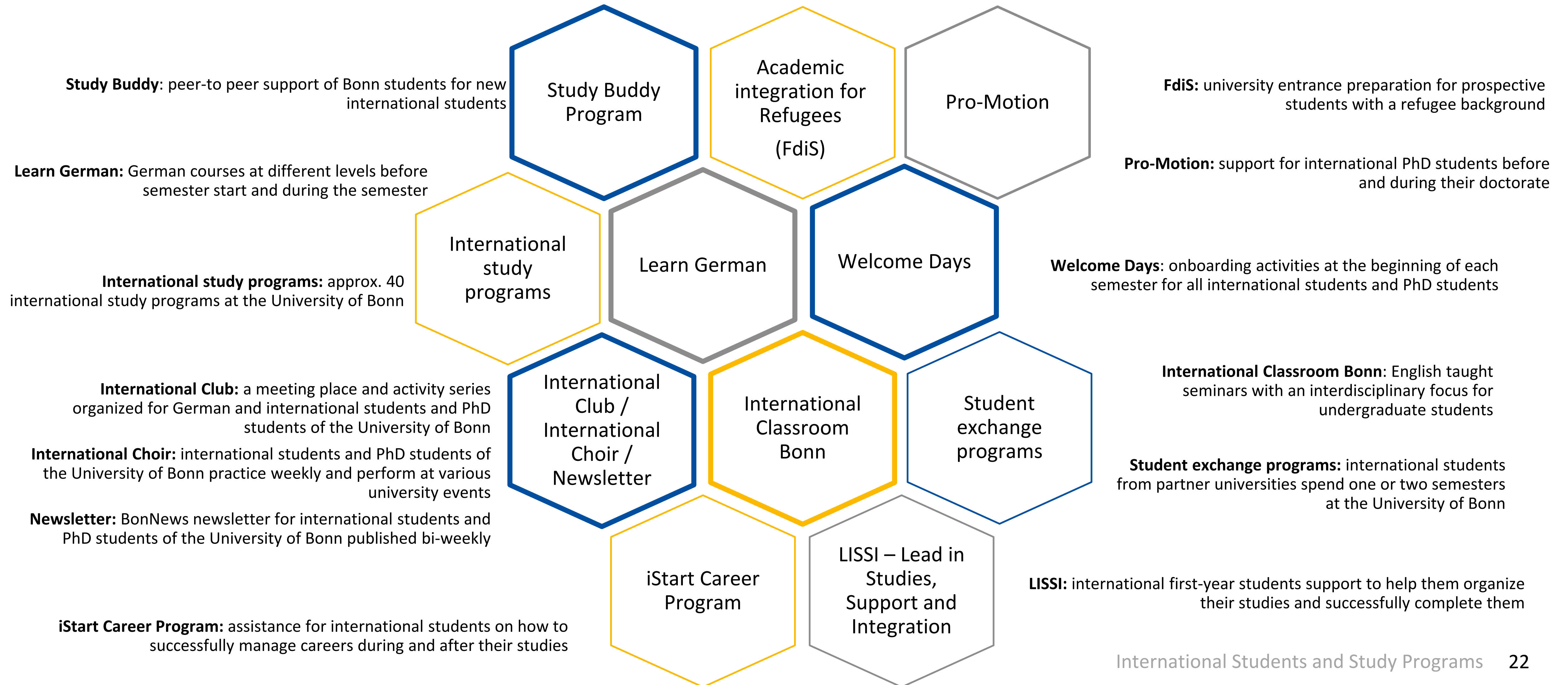
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- Guaranteed housing in a single dorm room or apartment
- 29 student dorm buildings spread throughout the city
- Rent: 300 € - 560 € per month





Support for international students



- onboarding activities including: online pre-arrival events, welcome events upon arrival, special topic info events (e.g. health insurance etc.) social events
- September and October for winter semester & March and April for summer semester
- open for all international students (including exchange and degree seeking students) and PhD students
- www.uni-bonn.de/welcomedays

Study Buddy Program

- students studying at the University of Bonn (mentors) accompany 1-3 new international students (mentees) when they arrive in Bonn and start their studies
- introduction into the program and events throughout the semester with other Study Buddy groups
- registration of international students is recommended at least 3 weeks before arrival
- www.uni-bonn.de/studybuddy

International Club / International Choir / Newsletter

International Club

- meeting place for international and German students (language practice, sports, country evenings, debates, game nights, cooking events, etc.)
- 3-4 events per week
- www.uni-bonn.de/int-club

International Choir

- choir for international students, German students and PhD students

- practicing once per week leading to performances and recording projects
- www.uni-bonn.de/int-chor

Newsletter BonNews

- informs on free time activities, German cultural aspects, important dates/public holidays, job offers etc.
- bi-weekly

- English taught seminar series on undergraduate level with interdisciplinary focus
- Approx. 25 seminars per semester on a large variety of topics
- www.uni-bonn.de/international-classroom-bonn
- Examples winter semester 2023/24:
 - Germany - An Introduction into Geography, History and Politics
 - Media Governance in Germany and Beyond
 - Cosmopolitanism and Globalism: ancient and modern conceptions of being a citizen of the world
 - Career Planning with Effective Altruism and Futures Thinking

- Intensive German Language Course Before Starting the Semester:
 - Approx. 8 courses with approx. 15 participants each on level A1.1 – B2.2
 - 4 ECTS (56 lessons)
- In-Semester German Language Courses:
 - Everyday German language courses:
 - Approx. 18 courses with approx. 15 participants each on level A1.1 – B2.2
 - 4 ECTS (48 lessons)
 - German Special Topic courses:
 - Approx. 14 courses with approx. 15 participants each on level A2 – C1
 - 2 ECTS (24 lessons)



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