

University of Münster – An Overview

Overview

- _ founded in 1780
- _ one of Germany's largest universities

- _ **7,700 full-time employees (2023)**
 - _ 610 professors
 - _ 33 assistant professors
 - _ 5,080 academic staff
 - _ 2,000 non-academic staff



**Universität
Münster**

- _ **42,500 students**
 - _ 7,680 conferred degrees (2023)
- _ 15 faculties
- _ over 120 subjects of study
- _ over 280 degree programmes

- _ **annual budget: € 845 m (2023)**
- _ **third-party funding: € 194.5 m (incl. medicine, 2023)**

The city is our campus ...

240 buildings throughout the city

- university buildings
- medical buildings
- residences, dining halls



15 faculties

- _ Protestant Theology
- _ Catholic Theology
- _ Law
- _ School of Business and Economics
- _ Medicine
- _ Educational and Social Sciences
- _ Psychology/Sport and Exercise Sciences
- _ History and Philosophy
- _ Philology
- _ Mathematics and Computer Science
- _ Physics
- _ Chemistry and Pharmacy
- _ Biology
- _ Geosciences
- _ University of Music

Sustainability

The University of Münster takes responsibility for its social, ecological and economic actions.

It takes sustainability into account in research, teaching, transfer and operations. This includes energy efficiency measures and climate protection as well as the responsible handling of financial investments and a socially responsible personnel policy. Numerous research projects also address the topic of sustainability.



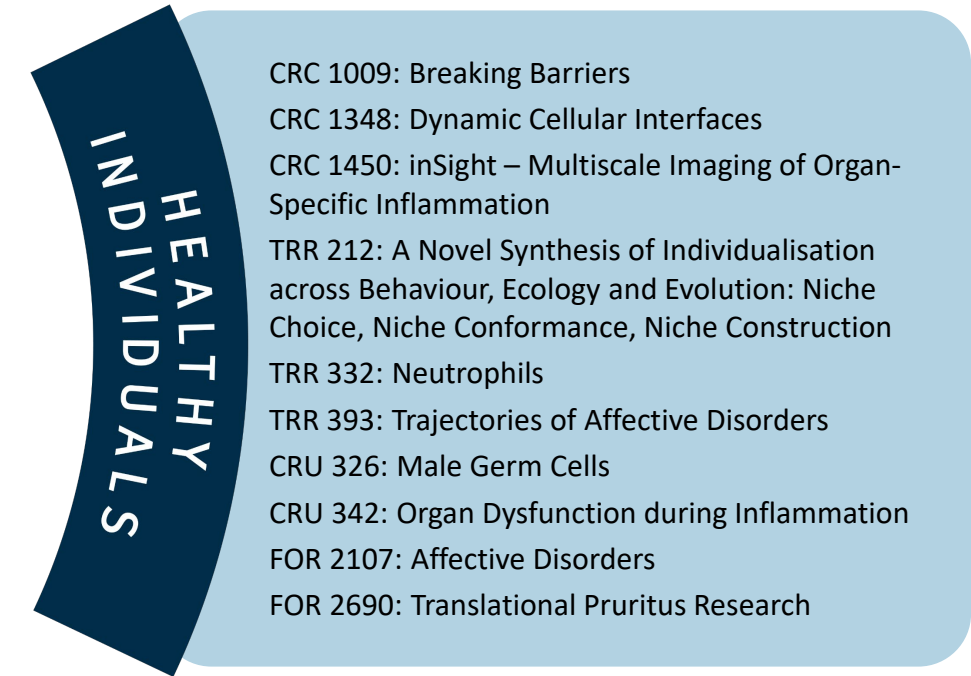
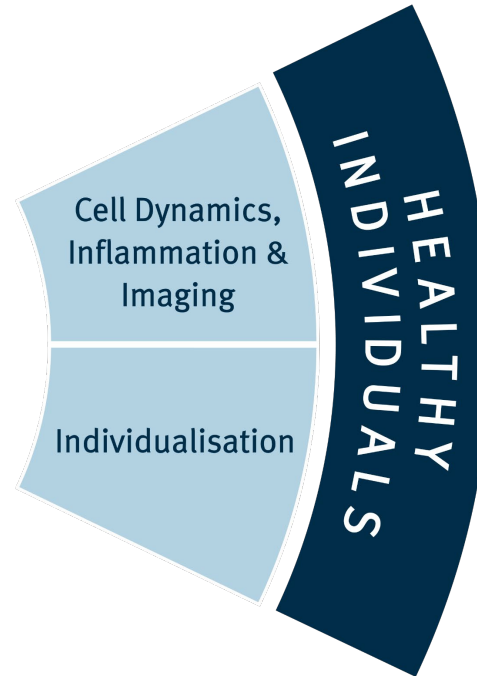
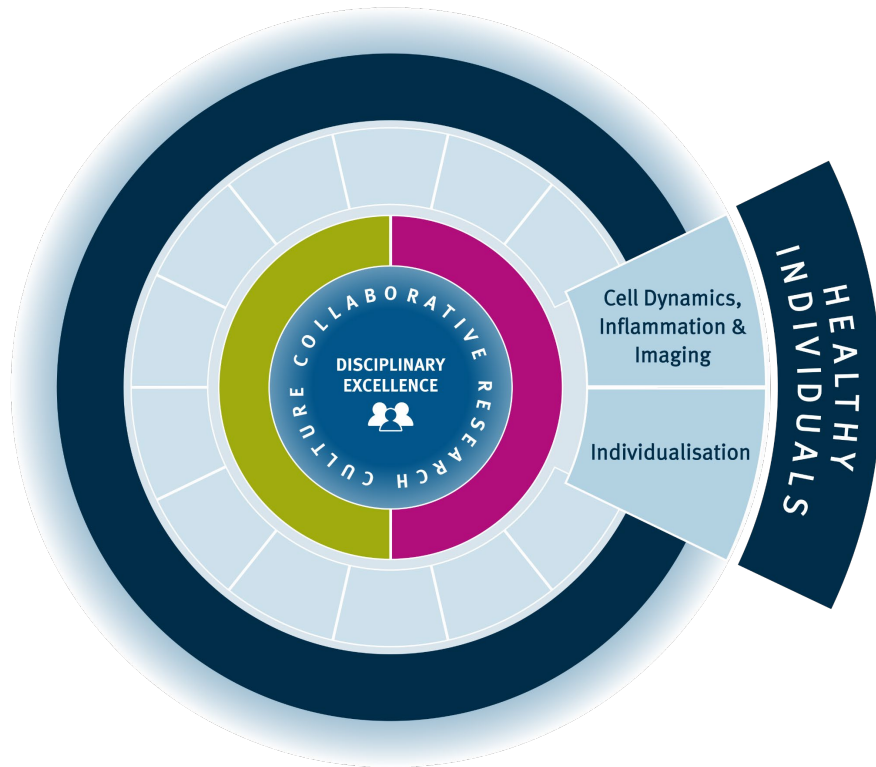
Cutting-edge research

— The University of Münster pools its strengths and resources to promote interdisciplinary cutting-edge research with social significance in four “impact areas”:

1. Dynamic Societies
2. Healthy Individuals
3. Conceptual Foundations & Emerging Technologies
4. Sustainable Futures



HEALTHY INDIVIDUALS

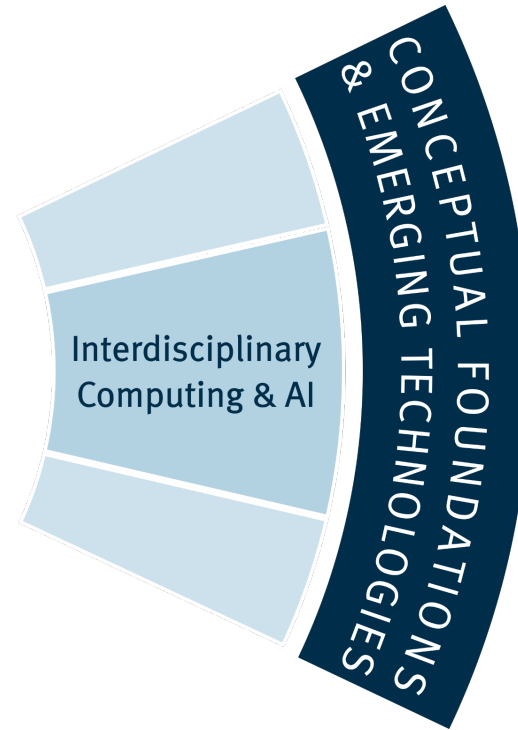
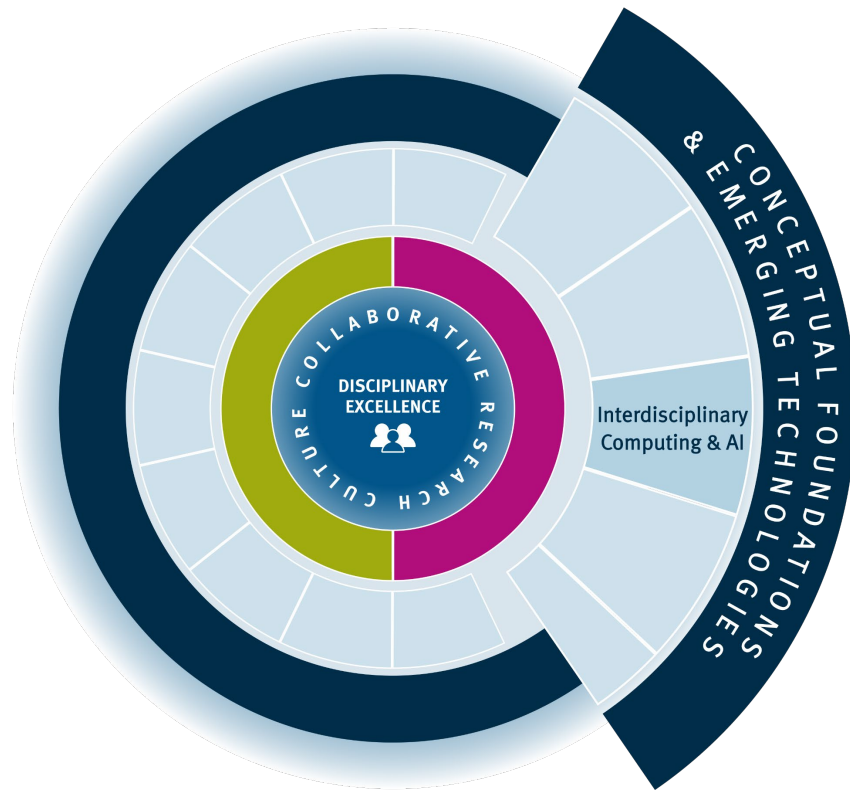


– Claudia Bozzaro
– Dominik Heider

– André Karch
– Benjamin Risse

– Michael Quante
– Monika Stoll

DATA SCIENCE



EXC 2044: Mathematics Münster

CRC 1450: inSight – Multiscale Imaging of Organ-Specific Inflammation

CRC 1459: Intelligent Matter - From Responsive to Adaptive Nanosystems

FOR 5393: Future Digital Towns

Newly established in 2025:

Center for Data Science and Complexity



– Tim Hahn

– Oliver Kamps

– Oliver Koch

– Mario Ohlberger

– Benjamin Risse

– Thorsten Quandt

– Angela Schwering

– Tanya Braun

Support for early-career academics

Tenure Track

- _ offers young academics the opportunity to obtain a permanent professorship after a limited probationary period; facilitates and simplifies planning for a career path to a professorship

Young Professors Programme (YPP)

- _ supports assistant professors with and without tenure track as well as junior research group leaders in their personal and career development and in their everyday professional life
 - _ training and events
 - _ mentoring
 - _ networking and exchange
 - _ individual support

WiRe “Women in Research”

- _ scholarship programme for international women researchers from postdoc level onwards

Erstklassig! (First Class!)

- _ scholarship programme for women academics on the path to a professorship

“Professional Teaching Competence in Higher Education”

- _ NRW state certificate issued by the Centre for Teaching in Higher Education



Strategic goals of internationalisation

Bright minds from around the world

recruiting international students and academics, welcome services

Studying without borders

internationalising teaching and study programmes

International services

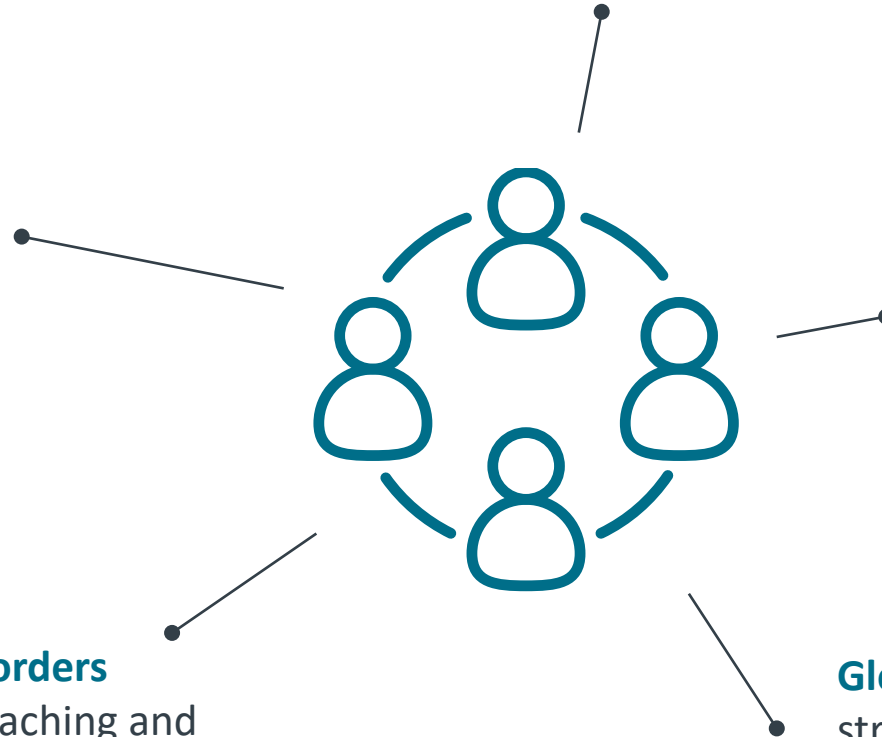
creating an attractive environment for international teaching and research

Worldwide science

internationalising research collaboration

Global network

strategically orienting international relations



Facts and figures

3,440

international students from 122 countries

1,300

students on study abroad annually

700

visiting researchers

600

international staff members

550

university partnerships worldwide

30

international degree programmes

Top position

in the ERASMUS (outgoing) mobility programme

Member

of Ulysseus European University

Münster – A city of science and lifestyle

- _ around 320,000 inhabitants (de.statista.com)
- _ 10 universities, around 63,000 students (stadt-muenster.de, annual statistics 2023)
- _ founded in 793 AD
- _ city of the Westphalian Peace of 1648
- _ vibrant and traditional
- _ safe and green
- _ historical city centre
- _ bicycle-friendly city
- _ broad range of cultural and sport activities
- _ diverse recreational and shopping opportunities





living.knowledge

