

Upon recommendation of the Rectorate, the Senate of the University of Freiburg resolved the establishment of University College Freiburg (UCF)

on September 26, 2012. The resolution was seconded by the University Council.

This charter was presented to Prof. Bernhard Zimmermann, founding Dean of Studies, and to Dr. Nicholas Eschenbruch, founding Director of Education, on the occasion of the University College Freiburg inauguration ceremony on June 24, 2013.

Drawing on the University of Freiburg's tradition and excellence in research and teaching, University College Freiburg serves as an interfaculty platform and teaching laboratory for the advancement of interdisciplinary programs in higher education.

Building on the University of Freiburg's mission as a Universitas Litterarum, University College Freiburg pursues the objectives of interdisciplinarity, internationalization and innovation in teaching and learning.

Based on the principles of epistemological enquiry, academic expertise and on the unity of research and teaching, University College Freiburg is a visionary institution for conveying

- intellectual versatility,
- socially informed responsibility,
- communicative competency and
- grounded excellence.

Freiburg, June 24, 2013