



## PhD students: Checklist important documents to bring to Frankfurt for EU citizens

1. A **passport** or équivalent identification document.
2. Certified copies in German or English of your **secondary school leaving certificates** (High School Diploma, GCE, Baccalaureate etc.), of your **university degrees** and **proof of language skills**.
3. Your **marriage certificate and your children's birth certificates** if your wife and/or your children are accompanying you. If possible, these documents should be translated into German.
4. Confirmation of your **health insurance coverage**, if your coverage is also valid for your visit to Germany. Please remember that you must have health insurance coverage for yourself and any family members beginning the first day of your stay in Germany. If the health insurance that you have in your home country will not cover you while you are abroad, you must obtain health insurance in Germany for the duration of your entire stay.
5. If applicable, a **statement regarding any current or previous illnesses** (also any recent X-rays) as well as any medication you are taking at the time of your departure
6. If you have **personal liability or private accident insurance** in your home country, you should find out whether the coverage is also valid in Germany. If so, please bring the appropriate documents with you.
7. An **international "green" insurance card** to confirm that you have automobile liability insurance that is valid in Germany (if you plan to bring your own car to Germany).
8. Confirmation from your automobile liability insurance provider that you have an accident-free **driving record**. This will enable you to obtain a lower insurance premium if you intend to take out liability insurance while in Germany.

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