

# NEWSLETTER

MASTER'S DEGREE IN ENGLISH AND AMERICAN STUDIES  
EUROPEAN JOINT DEGREE IN ENGLISH AND AMERICAN STUDIES



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## IMPORTANT BOX



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### Travel Allowance

Receive up to €200 travel allowance when participating actively in a conference!

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### Faculty of Humanities : Prizes for MA Theses

Are you planning on sharing the academic findings of your MA thesis in a peer-reviewed journal? The Faculty of Humanities awards up to €700 for articles based on MA theses in the category of "Quality Assured Publications". For more information check out the faculty's [homepage](http://www.fh.uni-graz.at).

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## News & Events

**Call for application starts in November— DEADLINE March 18 (2019)**

**Takes place from June 30 to July 13 (2019)**

**Costs:** €1.500 all-inclusive package, **scholarships** available

**Interested? Watch the GUSEGG trailer to see how the summer school works:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xRFAUe59bew>

### GUSEGG Summer School 2019

The Graz International Summer School Seggau is **designed for internationally oriented, highly motivated students from all disciplines**, who wish to deepen their understanding of current European and international affairs by studying and discussing global developments and challenges within the context of transformation processes and demographic change reflecting aspects of individual, social, political, religious, cultural, literary, regional, economic, cohort and national identities.

**Topic:** "RADICAL (DIS)ENGAGEMENT: STATE - SOCIETY - RELIGION" interdisciplinary and international program with students and lecturers from more than 20 countries

### 7 GOOD REASONS TO APPLY

- 2-week summer university with a unique campus atmosphere at Seggau Castle
- 6 ECTS credits (for participation and seminar paper)
- Lectures, panel discussions and 7 parallel seminar modules (small groups)
- Discussions and networking opportunities with international lecturers and guests
- All-inclusive package (tuition, meals, accommodation, extra-curricular program and excursion to Graz)
- Developing skills in public speaking, academic writing, creative writing and critical thinking
- Publishing opportunity in [Off Campus: Seggau School of Thought](http://www.offcampus-seggau.at) publication series

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**Joint Degree Application Deadline April 4, 2019**

Are you interested in a MA program that offers specialized training in English and American studies focusing on 3 core areas: literature, linguistics & cultural studies? Then check out the European Joint Master in English and American Studies: [www.jointdegree.eu/eas](http://www.jointdegree.eu/eas)

**Tint—online Literary Journal**

Tint is an **online literary journal** with an explicit focus on writers who produce creative texts in English as their second or non-native language. Founded by our very own Lisa Schantl.

Find out more about *Tint Journal* in their Media Kit (attached in English and German), and soon on website [www.tintjournal.com](http://www.tintjournal.com).

**Joint Degree Alumni Section**

You are a Joint Degree student and would like to socialise as well as facilitate networking with fellow (future) alumni? The new chapter of the alumni association will help you to network efficiently, receive information about job prospects, scholarships, etc. To join follow this link: <https://alumni.uni-graz.at/de/angebote-vorteile/mitglied-werden/enrollment-document/#c287357>

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