

**Tuition Statute for the Graduate Degree in
Visual and Media Anthropology
(Master of Arts)**

PREAMBLE

Based on section 14 (1) No. 6 of the Partial University Constitution of October 27th, 1998 (FU-Mitteilung [Gazette of the Freie Universität Berlin] No. 24/1998), the Freie Universität Berlin's Board of Trustees issued on July 11th, 2008 the following tuition statute for the Graduate Degree in Visual and Media Anthropology (Master of Arts)*:

§ 1 Compulsory Tuition

The Freie Universität Berlin charges tuition for enrollment in the Graduate Degree in Visual and Media Anthropology (Master of Arts).

§ 2 Tuition Rate

- (1) Tuition for enrollment in the two-year Graduate Degree in Visual and Media Anthropology (Master of Arts) shall be € 4,450 per student and academic year, i.e. € 8,900 in total, plus semester fees and charges as applicable.
- (2) If the studies exceed two academic years, fifty percent of the enrollment rate for one academic year (€ 2,225) plus semester fees and charges as applicable shall be payable for each additional semester of studies (each academic half-year).
- (3) In cases of financial need and in the event of particular social circumstances on the part of the applicant, the rate may be reduced upon written request. This shall be decided by the Selection Committee. No reduction shall be granted for the semester fees and charges specified in Paragraph 1.

§ 3 Payment Procedure

- (1) The obligation to pay the tuition fees arises when the student is notified in writing of his/her admission to the Graduate Degree in Visual and Media Anthropology (Master of Arts). The deadline for the payment of the tuition fees due for the academic year (€ 4,450 plus semester fees and charges as applicable) should be made by August 31st for the academic year concerned.

- (2) If the studies are not started and/or are broken off within a time period of four weeks after the start of the studies (start of the introductory seminars), three quarters of the rate payable for the first academic year shall be refunded. Should the studies be broken off at a later time, the rate for the entire study program (€ 8,900 less any sum already paid) shall be payable.

§ 4 Entry into Force

This statute shall come into effect on the day of its publication in the Mitteilungen (Gazette of the Freie Universität Berlin).

* This statute was approved on August 4th, 2008 by the Berlin Senate administration overseeing institutions of higher education.