

**Universität Trier's Partnership Program with  
CLARK UNIVERSITY WORCESTER, MA,USA**

**Clark University's English Department and the Universität Trier's Anglistikabteilung, Fachbereich II** have been officially approved to forge ahead with a new partnership program, a program intended to enhance your marketability in Germany as well as in English-speaking parts of the world.

By participating in this program, you will have earned two **Independent Masters degrees** by the time you finish at the Universität Trier--one from each of the partner universities.

To be accepted to the program, you must have successfully completed--by **the time you begin at Clark**--the Zwischenprüfung along with two Hauptseminare and be accepted by the **Clark** English Department's M.A. program.

Application forms can be requested of the advisors indicated below and are due at **Clark** in mid-February of the year you wish to attend. Please note: you should apply to German institutions for aid or grants well ahead of this February deadline.

At **Clark**, in addition to your thesis and oral defense, you will need to take eight 200-level courses (one of which must be the thesis course, and two of which can be reading courses) as well as participate in the Departmental colloquium, all of which you should be able to accomplish in one calendar year.

Your **Clark** advisor will help you choose courses that contribute to the writing of your **Clark** M.A. thesis in literature, which you may complete during the following summer either at **Clark** or back at the **Universität Trier**. If you decide to write your thesis in Trier, however, you must return to **Clark** for the one-two hours oral defense.

Your **Clark** thesis committee will include two Professors from **Clark** and one professor from **Trier**. The oral defense will be graded by your two **Clark** thesis professors, but submission of this grade will be delayed until an oral presentation is also made at Trier and that grade communicated to your **Clark** committee.

Back at **Trier**, both **Clark** grades will be duly noted and worked into your **Trier** grades. In other words, your **Clark** thesis will count as your Trier Wissenschaftliche Hausarbeit, and your **Trier** oral presentation will function as your Mündliche Prüfung in Literaturwissenschaft. Once you've accomplished these, all you should have to complete to earn your **Trier** degree in Anglistik is your Mündliche Prüfung in Linguistik und Mittelalter and your Mündliche Prüfung im 2. Hauptfach.

If you qualify academically, **Clark's** English Department will also help you with a substantial tuition grant. For example, during 2009-2010, tuition at **Clark** was ca. \$34,500 per year. As a Trier exchange student you will only have to pay 25% of the tuition, i.e. ca. \$ 8,700.

For more information, contact:

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APPLICATIONS UNTIL JANUARY 31 (submit to Prof. Dr. Gerd Hurm)