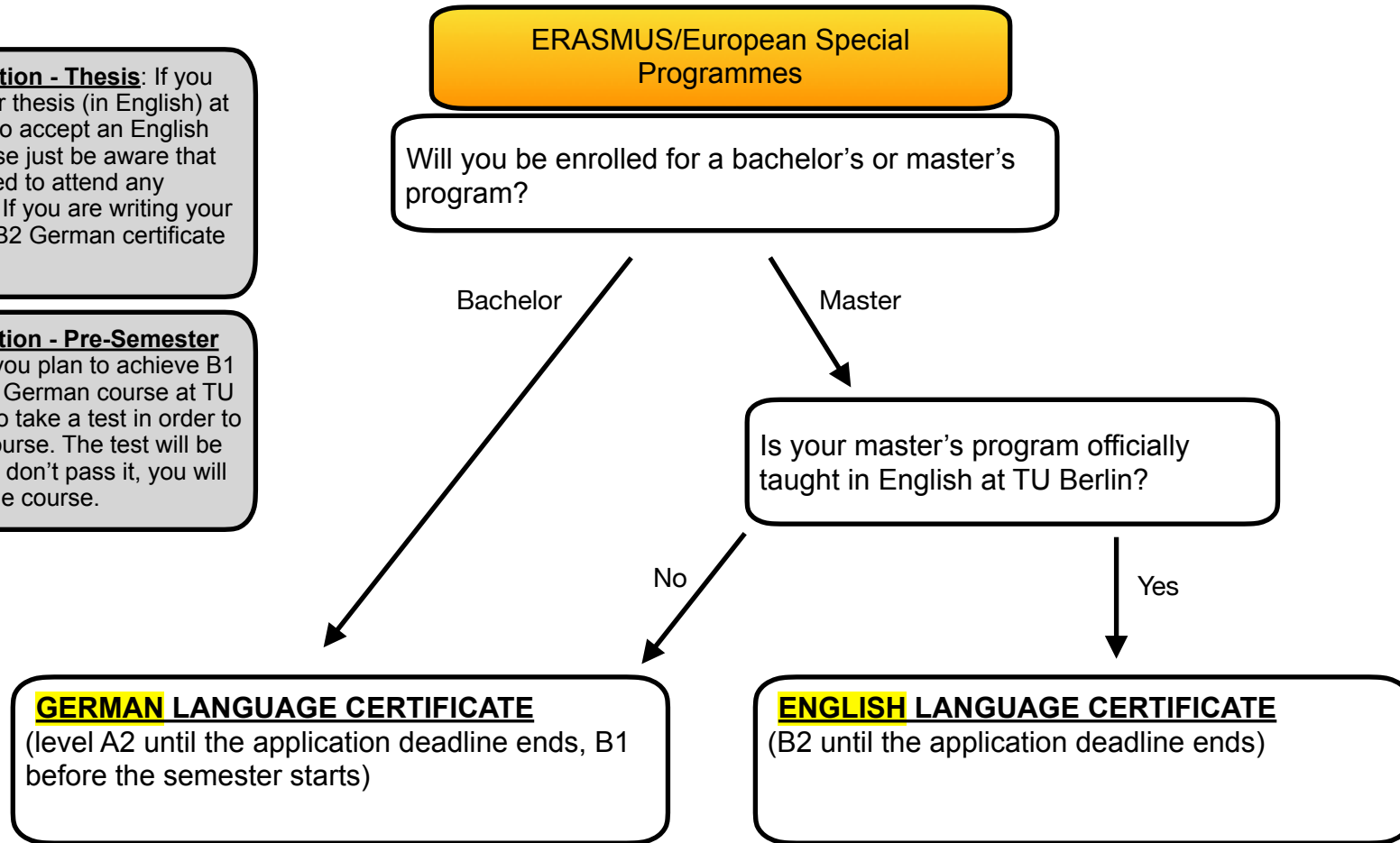


What kind of language certificate do I need?

Additional information - Thesis: If you just plan to write your thesis (in English) at TU Berlin, we will also accept an English certificate (B2). Please just be aware that you will not be allowed to attend any courses in this case. If you are writing your thesis in German, a B2 German certificate is required.

Additional information - Pre-Semester German Course: If you plan to achieve B1 by registering for the German course at TU Berlin, be prepared to take a test in order to be admitted to the course. The test will be at A2 level and if you don't pass it, you will not be admitted to the course.



IMPORTANT:

If you submit an A2 German language certificate, we accept you under the condition that you **submit a B1 German language certificate again before the semester starts** (deadlines below). If you fail to provide proof, we will have to cancel your exchange.

Deadlines

for submitting proof of your B1 German language certificate:

In general: August 31st for the winter semester, February 29th for the summer semester

If you attend the Pre-Semester German Intensive Course at TU Berlin: September 30th for the winter semester, March 31st for the summer semester

What kind of language certificate do I need?

Dual Degree

Is your program officially taught in English at TU Berlin?

Yes

No

ENGLISH LANGUAGE CERTIFICATE
(B2 until the application deadline ends)

GERMAN LANGUAGE CERTIFICATE
(B2 until the application deadline ends)

Alliance4Tech

As an A4T student you already provide proof of your language skills at your home university and therefore, do not need to submit a language certificate at TU Berlin.

Is my language certificate sufficient?

Please read the following information carefully and check if your language certificate fulfills our requirements.

Clear

The certificate must be issued in German or English. It needs to show the language level according to the CEFR.

Reliable

You need to have taken a test to achieve the relevant language level (course registrations are not sufficient). The certificate must be issued, signed and stamped by a reliable language school/institution. We do not accept language certificates issued by the International Office of your home university or OLS certificates for example (self-tests in general are not sufficient).

Recent

The certificate must be recent. If you submit an A2 language certificate it can't be older than 1 year; anything above (B1, B2, C1, C2) can't be older than 3 years at the time of the application deadline (summer semester: December 1st, winter semester: June 1st)