I would like to welcome you to the Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt (KU). At our University we believe our role is to go beyond simply providing young people with knowledge and enabling them to gain professional qualifications. We are also committed to excellent teaching, strong research, and social responsibility. The KU is an excellent place of teaching and learning, and it is also a community.

As the only Catholic university in the German-speaking world, it is a unique institution in the higher education sector. We understand the term ‘Catholic’ in its original sense of ‘all-embracing’, ‘universal’. The KU is always concerned with people and society as a whole. It is important to us to be involved in the community beyond our campus, to engage in dialogue, and to take on responsibility. We invest in interdisciplinary and international networking, and we promote voluntary work. All of this makes the KU a unique place for people to come together in an excellent research and teaching environment. The Christian view of human life forms the foundation of our academic community. Accordingly, the KU is not only committed to offering students a broad range of subjects, top-class teaching, and excellent facilities; it also stands for knowledge rooted in values.

I invite you to find out for yourself – through this flyer or, even better, by visiting us here at the Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt.

Prof. Dr. Gabriele Gien
President of the Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt

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- 8 faculties
- 8 research centers
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- 1,893,115 cataloged volumes in the University Library
- 2.4 billion euros in third-party funding

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New building at the Ingolstadt School of Management

Sommerresidenz in Eichstätt
A small university – a wide range of study options

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