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Today’s Agenda

- DAAD
  - What is DAAD?
  - Scholarships and Grants
  - Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg
    - University overview
    - Degree Programs in Humanities, Social Sciences and Theology
    - Application | Campus life | Costs | Nürnberg and Erlangen region
  - Q&A

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Before we start...

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- YES
Before we start...

- All lines are muted – submit questions by typing.

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(d) Questions pane

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(e) Chat

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What is the DAAD?

- German national agency for international academic cooperation and exchange
- Independent association of German universities
- DAAD provides
  - Scholarships and grants (to academics at all stages and in all disciplines)
  - Information and counseling about studying & research in Germany
  - Support for internationalization of German universities
  - The study of German language and culture abroad
Why study in Germany?

- Quality of Education
- Cost
- Career & Opportunities
- Language & Culture
- Social Life
- Safety

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DAAD Scholarships

• Funding for
  ➔ study abroad
  ➔ internships
  ➔ senior thesis research
• Monthly stipend or lump sum
• Open to students in all fields
• Previous knowledge of German not required, but advantageous
• Health insurance
• Some travel reimbursement
• All-Grantees meeting
Undergraduate Scholarship
https://www.daad.org/undergrad

- For sophomores and juniors (at time of application)
- Funding study, thesis research and/or internships
- Independently designed or organized programs
- All academic fields
- 4 to 10 months during the German academic year
- €650/month, insurance, travel stipend

Deadline: January 31, 2016
Study Scholarship for Graduate Students
https://www.daad.org/1891914

- For graduating seniors, graduate students and recent graduates (at time of application)
- Support for 1 or 2 years of study in Germany
- Can be used to earn a Master's degree at a German university
- German language ability should be commensurate with needs
- about 60 awarded annually
- €750/month; insurance; travel stipend

Deadline: November 4, 2015
Research Grant
https://www.daad.org/gradresearch2

• 1-10 months with the possibility of an extension
• For graduating seniors, grad students & postdocs
• Must have well-defined research project
• Can also be used to complete PhD in Germany
• Around 30 short term (< 6 mo.) and 60 long-term awarded annually
• Invitation by host institution essential
• Monthly support of up to ~ €1,000; travel stipend; insurance

Deadlines:
November 4 (10-month and short term) & May 15 (short-term grant)
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