Undergraduate Study Opportunities for Engineering at the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)

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Today’s Presenters

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Today’s Agenda

- DAAD
  - What is DAAD?
  - Scholarships and Grants
- Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)
  - University overview
  - Carl Benz School
- Q&A
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
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

• **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, 2015**
Study Scholarship for Graduate Students

- 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
- Final-year undergrads may apply
- About 60 awarded annually
- €750/month; insurance; travel stipend

Deadline: November 2015
Do you have any questions?

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