September 3, 2014

Greetings from the DAAD Information Center (IC) in San Francisco! I hope you had a wonderful summer, whether you traveled far or stayed at home to recharge your batteries. Ready or not, the new semester has already begun on most campuses or will soon begin. To all students, administrators, and faculty, I wish you a successful, interesting and, don't forget, fun semester.

In this newsletter issue, find out what's new with the IC San Francisco and get a glimpse of the fall schedule. The fall semester also means that we have new Research and Young Ambassadors; I'm happy to introduce to you four new Young and four new Research Ambassadors in the Western region of the United States. The new academic year also brings a new round of funding applications. You can find all relevant information and deadlines at www.daad.org and, of course, in our brand new Scholarships and Grant Brochure.

As always, please don't hesitate to contact me at daadsf@daad.org with any questions you have. And please be in touch if you'd like to connect while I'm on the road.

All the best,
Hanni

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**DAAD IC San Francisco Office Change**

New office in old location: the IC San Francisco office has moved, but not very far. The new DAAD Information Center office is located in the heart of the Goethe-Institute on the second floor. This will give the Goethe-Institute San Francisco and the DAAD Information Center San Francisco opportunity to intensify future collaborations. For event updates, go to www.daad.org/daadsf and www.goethe.de/. The mailing address and phone number remain the same.

Here are some first impressions of the new office at 530 Bush Street, Suite 204:
DAAD North America Now On Instagram

Have you ever wondered what DAAD North America experiences on the road? Now you can get an impression of DAAD's presence at conferences, info tours and social events, such as the World Cup. Follow us on Instagram at http://instagram.com/daadnorthamerica.

DAAD IC San Francisco Fall Activities

The Fall brings another round of Study Abroad Fairs, university visits and conferences. Please see below the DAAD IC San Francisco tentative fall schedule. For updates, please check www.daad.org/daadsf.

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<td>Info tour Colorado and Wyoming (Colorado School of the Mines - Golden, University of Colorado - Boulder, Colorado State University - Fort Collins, University of Wyoming - Laramie, University of Northern Colorado - Greeley)</td>
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<td>November 4-7</td>
<td>NAFSA Bi-Regional Conference, Portland (OR)</td>
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<td>Idealist.org Graduate Fair (DAAD represented by Young Ambassador Breena Miller (USF), Research Ambassadors Manfred Franke and Deborah Anna Brown (SFSU))</td>
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<td>December 15-19</td>
<td>National Meeting of the American Geophysical Union, San Francisco (CA)</td>
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**Scholarships and Grants 2015/16**

Mark your calendars with the deadlines for this selection of DAAD North America grants:

**Scholarships and Grants for Undergraduates and Graduates**

**Undergraduate Scholarship**
Deadline: January 31, 2015
More info: [www.daad.org/undergrad](http://www.daad.org/undergrad)

**RISE Research Internships in Science and Engineering**
Deadline: January 15, 2015 *(Please note this is a new deadline)*

**RISE professional**
Deadline: January 31, 2015

**Study Scholarship for Artists/Musicians**
Deadline: October 31, 2014
More info: [www.daad.org/?p=gradstudy_arts](http://www.daad.org/?p=gradstudy_arts)

**Study Scholarship for Graduate Students**
Deadline: November 4, 2014 earlier for partner universities
More info: [www.daad.org/grad_study](http://www.daad.org/grad_study)

**Research Grant for Graduate Students**
Deadline: November 4, 2014 (earlier for partner universities)
More info: [www.daad.org/?p=gradresearch](http://www.daad.org/?p=gradresearch)

**University Course Summer Grant**
**Deadline**: December 15, 2014  
More info: [www.daad.org/summercours2](http://www.daad.org/summercours2)

**Intensive Language Course Grant**  
Deadline: December 15, 2014  
More info: [www.daad.org/languagecourses](http://www.daad.org/languagecourses)

**Grants for Faculty**

**Faculty Research Visit Grant: Research Stays for University Academics and Scientists**  
Deadline: October 15, 2014  
More info: [www.daad.org/researchvisit](http://www.daad.org/researchvisit)

**Group Study Visit**  
Deadline: November 1, 2014  
More info: [www.daad.org/groupvisits](http://www.daad.org/groupvisits)

Please visit [www.daad.org](http://www.daad.org) for all available DAAD Scholarships and Grants for North America.

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**DAAD Young Ambassadors 2014/15**

DAAD Young Ambassadors are North American undergrads who have recently studied in Germany and are interested in promoting study in Germany at their home universities. They represent DAAD at Study Abroad Fairs, speak to students at info sessions, and are an overall wonderful resource on studying in Germany and DAAD scholarships. Do you have a dedicated student who studied in Germany? Are you interested in supporting the student in his/her effort in promoting studying in Germany and DAAD grants? Every year, we ask Study Abroad offices in North America to nominate their candidates. Please check our website for more information [https://daad.org/ambassadors](https://daad.org/ambassadors).

There are four new Young Ambassadors in the Western region of the United States and one continuing Ambassador. Click on their names below to read more about these young academics and their experiences in Germany. Visit the Young Ambassador [webpage](http://www.daad.org) to see the full list of Ambassadors located throughout the US and Canada.

- **Victoria Bierwirth** - South Dakota School of Mines and Technology (Technische Universität Bergakademie Freiberg), top middle
- **Mia Mihailovic** - Oregon State University (Universität Tübingen), top right
New DAAD Research Ambassadors

DAAD Research Ambassadors are a group of scholars and scientists committed to a wide range of activities to promote research in Germany, from providing information, mentoring, participating in panel discussions or information fairs, to being available to answer questions via email, hosting information events, etc. Below is just a short list of new Research Ambassadors from the Western United States. For a full list of new and continuing Research Ambassadors in Canada and the USA, please visit the Research Ambassadors website.

- Dr. Jürgen F. Brune - Research Professor - Mining Engineering, College of Earth Resource Sciences and Engineering, Colorado School of Mines (TU Clausthal), bottom, right
- Dr. Tobias Hofmann - Assistant Professor of Political Science University of Utah (Free University of Berlin, University of Heidelberg, Humboldt University of Berlin, University of Konstanz), top, right
- Julian Reyes - PhD Candidate, Civil and Environmental Engineering Washington State University (Department of Water, Waste, and the Environment - University of Kassel, Institute of Crop Science and Resource Conservation - University of Bonn), bottom, left
- Dr. Toshiko Takenaka - Professor of Law University of Washington School of Law (Karl Max-Planck-Institut für Innovation und Wettbewerb), top, left

Fall 2014 Webinar Series

DAAD North America is happy to offer the Fall 2014 Webinar Series. Please click on the respective links for more details and to register to the webinars. All webinars are free of charge and a recording as well as the presentations will be made available on our website shortly after the session. Please contact Hanni Geist at daadsf@daad.org for any questions.

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Our website (https://www.daad.org/daadsf) provides you with more up-to-date news. If you have any questions, please contact our Editorial Team.