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**DAAD Webinar Series: Getting a Graduate Degree at
University of Koblenz-Landau**
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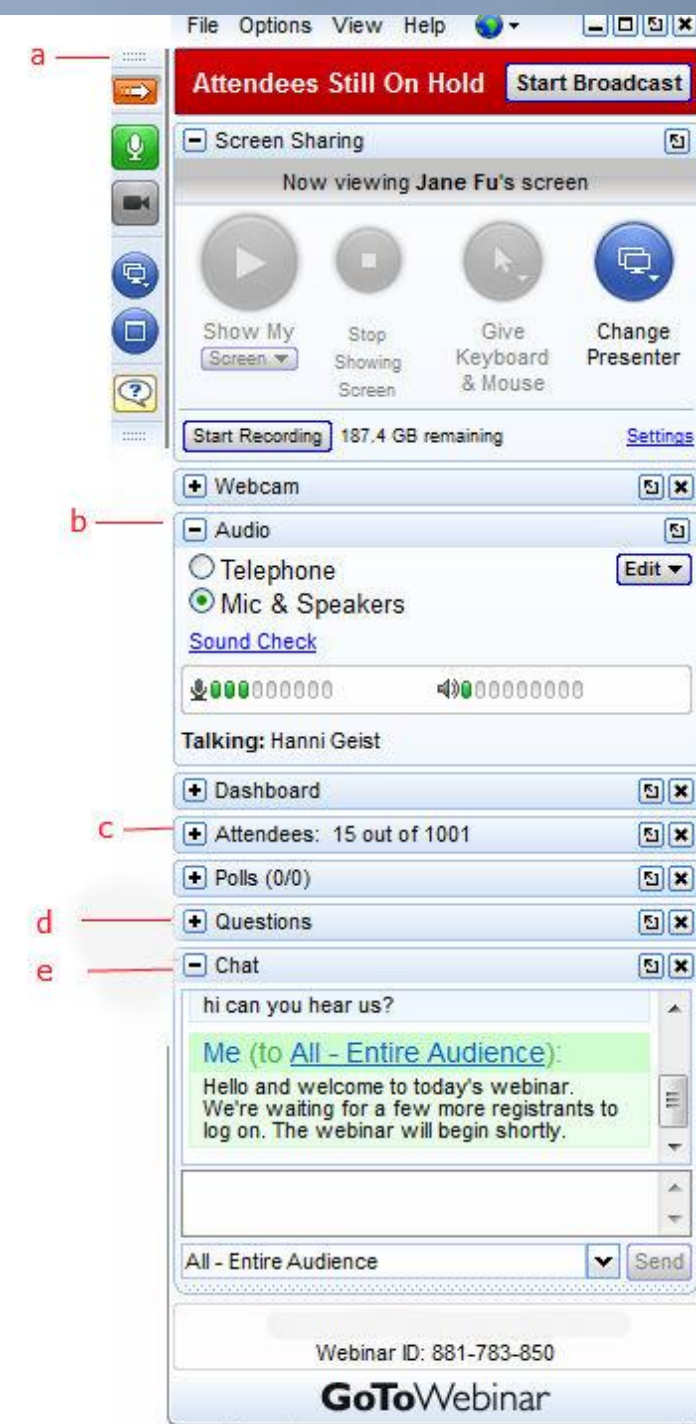
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Today's Presenters



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Today's Agenda

- **DAAD**
 - **What is DAAD?**
 - **Scholarships and Grants**
- **University Koblenz-Landau Germany**
 - **University overview**
 - **M.Sc. Environmental Science**
 - **M.Sc. Ecotoxicology**
- **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



DAAD Worldwide



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,
2016**

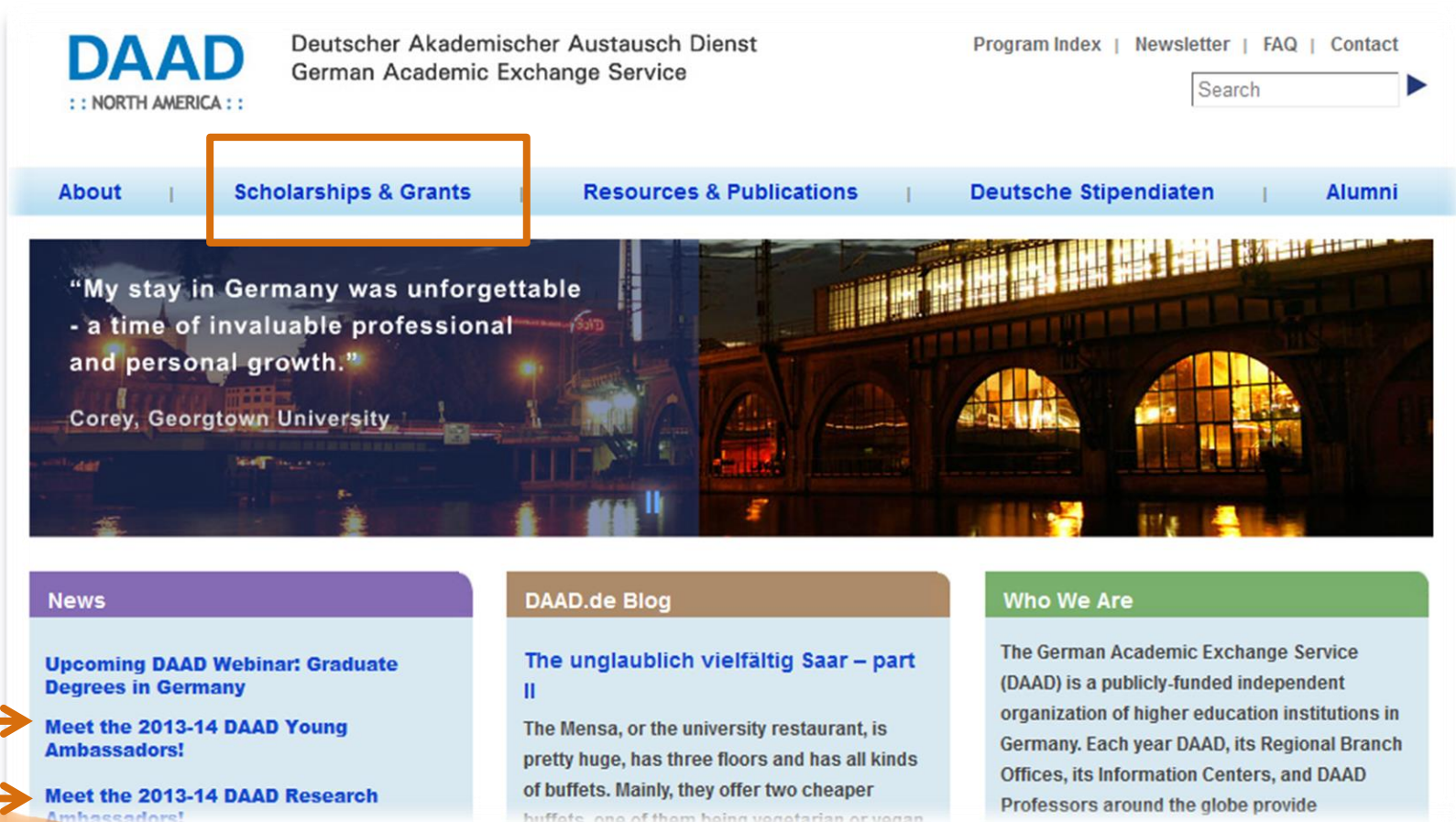
Study Scholarship for Graduate Students

- **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

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Do you have any questions?



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