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# Today's Presenters



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### Today's Agenda

#### DAAD

- What is DAAD?
- Scholarships and Grants

#### FU-BEST

- FU-BEST's intensive German language component
- Menu of 30+ subject courses
- GermanPLUS+ package for students with advanced German language skills
- Extracurricular activities
- Volunteering and internship options at FU-BEST
- Student accommodation in homestays and apartments
- 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 <u>all</u> stages and in <u>all</u> 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





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