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DAAD Funding for Students: 2024/25

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German Academic Exchange Service

About DAAD

- Germany's national agency for international academic cooperation and exchange
- Founded in 1925 as a way of connecting Germany to the world

DAAD provides:

- Scholarships & grants (for all disciplines, at all stages);
- Information and counseling about studying & research in Germany;
- Support for internationalization of German universities;
- The study of German language and culture abroad.

Facts & Figures:

- Offices worldwide in 57 countries
- DAAD USA and Canada: Regional Office NY & Information Point SF and Toronto
- Over 140,000 people supported by DAAD-administered programs in 2022





DAAD North America Ambassadors

- Find Research Ambassadors in the US and Canada:
<https://www.daad.org/en/about-us/network/research-ambassadors-profiles/>
- Find Young Ambassadors in the US and Canada:
<https://www.daad.org/en/about-us/network/young-ambassadors-profiles/>



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Why Germany? Because . . .

- Has high academic and living standards at a reasonable cost;
- No or low tuition fees;
- Offers an outstanding research infrastructure;
- Is home to almost 360,000 international university students;
- More than 2,000 international study programs on offer.



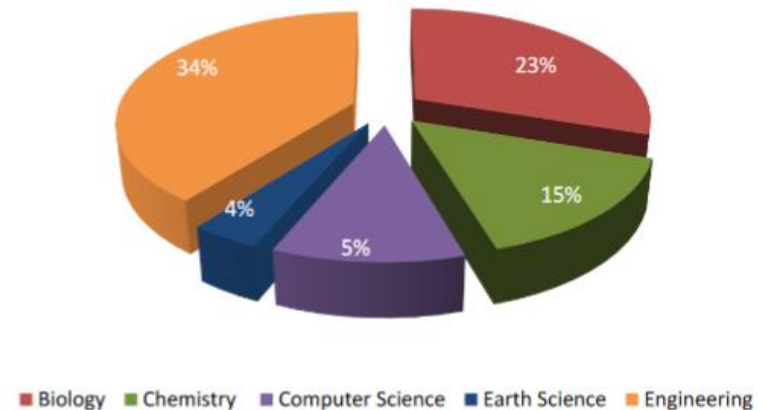
Opportunities to Intern and Research in Germany



RISE Germany (Research Internships in Science and Engineering)

- 10 -12 week summer research internship in lab of German doctoral student
- For Sophomores (2nd year) and Juniors (3rd) in Biology, Chemistry, Engineering, Geology, Computer Science and Physics (need to have fulltime student status upon return)
- No German language skills required
- **Scholarship details**
- € 861 per month, international travel subsidy & health insurance; housing assistance provided
- Three-day RISE meeting for all grantees
- Opportunity to participate in 2-week intensive language course before starting the internship

Research areas 2019



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www.daad.de/riase/en

Database opens October 15th

Deadline: November 30th

RISE Professional

- Workplace internships 10 weeks to 6 months in leading German companies
- For Masters & PhD students and some recent Bachelor graduates
- German language requirements depend on the nature of the internship
- Scholarships and housing assistance are provided
- €861-1200 monthly stipend / minimum wage, international & domestic travel subsidy, health insurance
- Three-day RISE meeting for all grantees

Selection of partnering companies:



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Merck KGaA
Darmstadt, Germany



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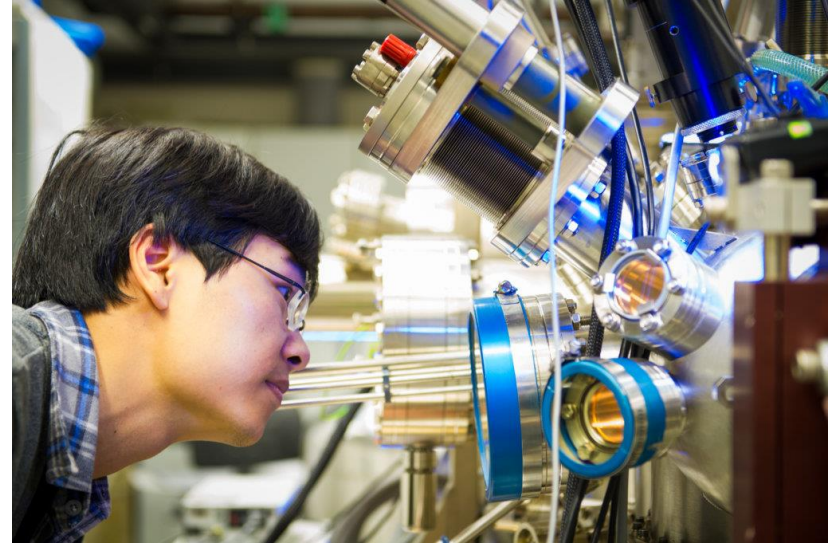
www.daad.de/rise/en

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Applying to RISE

- Web-based application process
- Application window: Oct. 15 - Nov. 30
- Register with portal at:
www.daad.de/rise
- Choose up to three options
- File online application



Facts

- 2019: ~1,900 applications, 316 interns placed
- RISE Germany: some virtual internship opportunities



RISE Germany: 441 internships 2022

Find your internship:

<https://www.daad.de/app-rise/rise/index/registration>



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DAAD RISE GERMANY



RISE (Research Internships in Science and Engineering)

Internship applicant - Overview

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Dear RISE Germany applicant,

Welcome to our RISE Germany 2022 database!

This year you can choose among 441 internship offers. Before you start your application we kindly ask you to read the instruction of how to use the application form carefully.
Thank you!

[Read first: How to use the online application form »](#)

Information: Deadline for applications is November 30th

[Find your internship now! »](#)

My application:

[Create/Edit application](#)

My application status:

- ✔ Please upload mandatory files before submitting your application.
- ✔ Application was submitted
- ✔ Your professor has submitted the letter of reference.
- ✔ Your application is complete and it will be forwarded to the PhD student(s).



RISE (Research Internships in Science and Engineering)

Internship applicant - Offers

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Please do not forget to print out the offers you apply for in order to have the project description at hand when required. After having submitted your application you will not be able to access the projects descriptions again.

Subject area

Engineering

Type of university

Search term

Search

435 offers

Ref. Code

Rostock_EN_4507

Bochum_EN_4428

Luebeck_CS_4401

Field of specialisation

Bioengineering
Chemical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Communications Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Energy Systems
Engineering, Applied Mathematics
Engineering, others
Hydraulic Engineering
Materials Science
Mechanical Engineering
Nanotechnology

ution of Challenging
blems with Composite

3-Month Research Internship at the Chair of Digital Communications, Ruhr-University Bochum in Bochum

3D Printing: Application in Industrial Automation System

- Memorize your favorites
- Apply to up to 3 internships

Questions? Check:
<https://www.daad.de/rise/en/rise-germany/find-an-internship/faq/>

Internship applicant - Offer

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Memorize offer

Fast Method for the Solution of Challenging Bioelectromagnetic Problems with Composite Structures • Rostock - Universität Rostock

Ref. Code	Rostock_EN_4507
Field of Study	Engineering / Electrical Engineering
Name of internship provider	Ms. Paula Respondek
Special Requirements (lab experience, computer skills, etc.)	Programming skills in, for example, Julia, C++, Fortran, or Python. Description of project and work placement, experimental techniques and possible tasks (PDF)
Duration of internship	Up to 90 days (3 months)
Suggested starting date (yyyy-monthname-dd), earliest start date:	2022-May-15 May 15, 2022
Estimated costs of housing?	300-400 Euro

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Hear from a DAAD Young Ambassador / RISE intern

University of Washington - Meg Takezawa



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DAAD RISE (2022)



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<https://www.daad.org/en/about-us/network/young-ambassadors-profiles-2/>

DAAD Alumni Meg Takezawa



Meg Takezawa, DAAD-RISE Alumna

- Fourth-year chemistry student at the University of Washington
- Interned at the Institute of Sensor and Actuator Technology, Coburg, Germany

Tips for Applying

- Have confidence!

- *No one is an expert (yet)! German proficiency is not required for many programs.*

- Make sure you elaborate “Why Germany”

- *Arguably, there may be similar programs worldwide – why Germany specifically?*

- DAAD-RISE specific: Choose 3 labs based on project details and location

- *Remember, you will be living there for at least 2 months!*

Research Grants



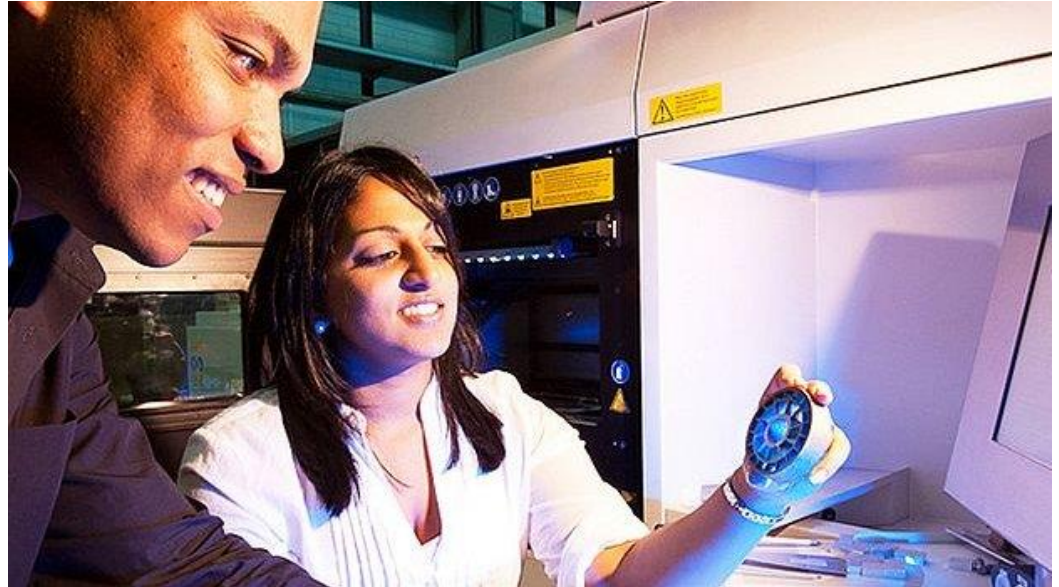
- For Master's students, PhD candidates or postdocs with a well-defined research project
- Short term (1-6 months)
- Long term (7-12 months)
- Bi-national / Cotutelle degree program (12-18 months)
- Invitation by host institution essential
- Monthly support of € 934 for graduate students, €1,200 for PhD and postdocs; travel stipend; health & liability insurance

<https://www.daad.org/research-grants>

Deadline: November 3, 2023

DLR-DAAD Research Fellowships

- Program offered in partnership with German Aerospace Center (DLR)
- Open to PhD students & postdocs working in:
Aeronautics,
Space,
Transportation,
Energy
- Funds 3-year PhD studies or Postdocs research stay of 6-24 months
- Monthly stipend of €1,760 (PhD) € 2400 (Postdocs) plus travel allowance and insurance coverage
- More at: www.daad.de/dlr



German Studies Research Grant

- Program in support of research into aspects of cultural, political, historical, economic and social aspects of modern and contemporary German affairs
- Open to Bachelor, Master's & PhD students
- Eligibility requirements vary by level of study
- Lump sum grant of \$2,000 – 3,000 USD to support a one or two month research stay in Germany
- More at: www.daad.org/german-studies-research



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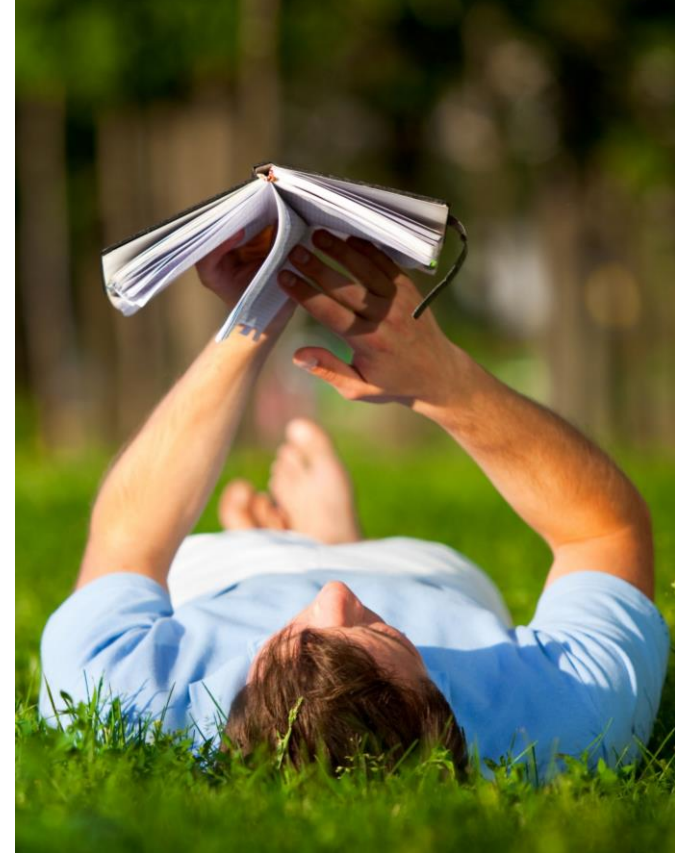
Deadline: November 1, 2023 & May 1, 2024

Opportunities to Study in Germany



University Summer Course Grant

- For Juniors, Seniors and Grad students
- Summer courses taught in German at German Universities
- 3 to 4 weeks
- Courses are offered June/July/August
- 1 year or A1 minimum language requirement
- Focus on literary, cultural, political and economic aspects
- Hundreds of courses to choose from; overview at:
www.summerschools.de
- €1,061 grant, insurance, travel allowance



www.daad.org/university-summer-course



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Deadline: December 1, 2023

Terms of Award

- Study grant of up to \$5,000 to be used toward tuition, housing, travel, and related costs for up to one academic year in Germany.
- Minimum 7 days
- For study and internships

Eligibility

- U.S. Citizen
- Undergraduate student in good academic standing
- Federal Pell Grant recipient
- In the process of applying for, or accepted to, a credit-bearing study abroad or internship program in Germany



Study Scholarships - Master Studies for All Academic Disciplines

- For graduating seniors, graduate students and recent graduates (at time of application)
- Supports a full master's degree program at a German university (2 years)
or one year of full-time coursework at a German university as part of a Master's degree completed in the home country
- German language ability should be commensurate with needs
- € 934/month; insurance; travel stipend & insurance coverage
- Application checklist :

<https://www.daad.org/study-scholarship/>



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2023 Deadline: November 3

Tips for Your DAAD Application

- Express why your activities in Germany are critical to your academic or professional goals
- Show your passion: e.g. contact with and interest from German institution/professor
- Explain clearly why you chose the location or program you did
- Quality reference form or letter of recommendation
- Gather your application materials in advance. Make sure your application is on time and complete.



Online Resources for Study and Research in Germany



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Study in Germany

- Web portal for international students with info on studying in Germany
- Details on academic & logistical aspects German university life
- Plan your studies: Degree program database -> Advanced Search
- Insight into student life in Germany
- www.study-in-germany.de



**SAY HELLO TO
GERMANY**

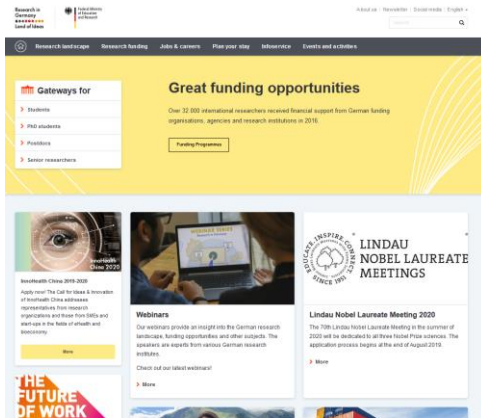
Here you will find helpful information about your stay in Germany and useful insights from international students. Find out how to plan your studies in Germany and learn what life in Germany is all about.

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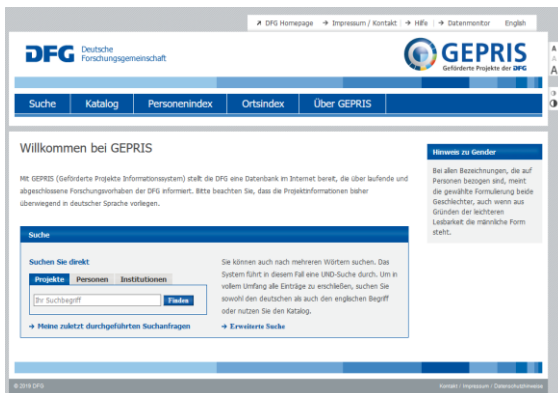
Why Germany?

Research in Germany



www.research-in-germany.org

- **Research in Germany** portal provides up-to-date info on German research landscape: news, funding, etc.
- Dedicated sections for PhDs, Postdocs (Under “Jobs and Careers”)
- **GEPRIS**: database with details on projects funded by German Research Foundation (DFG)
- Find scholars and institutes of interest to you



<https://gepris.dfg.de/gepris/OCTOPUS>

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Research in Germany



www.forschungslandkarte.de/en

- “Research Map”
- Captures information on over 25,000 German university & non-university research institutes (e.g. Max Planck Institutes, Fraunhofer & Helmholtz Research Centres)
- Helps you identify where your research interests are being pursued, provides contact information

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