



Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst German Academic Exchange Service

## The German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

# The DAAD is ... a self-governing organisation of the German universities DAAD Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst German Academic Exchange Service

## Scholarships for the Best

Supporting students, researchers and artists in both directions

1,245,000

Germans have seen the world

890,000

foreigners have come to Germany

(1950 - 2015)



## Germany is the Country of Science and Culture



- Land of inventions: 80 German Nobel Prize winners, including 68 in science and medicine, e.g. Wilhelm Conrad Röntgen, Robert Koch, Max Planck and Albert Einstein
- Nation of poets and philosophers: Luther, Kant, Hegel, Marx, Nietzsche, Adorno, Goethe, Schiller, Heine, Brecht...
- Land of classical music: Bach, Beethoven, Brahms, Wagner...



## Why study or research in Germany?

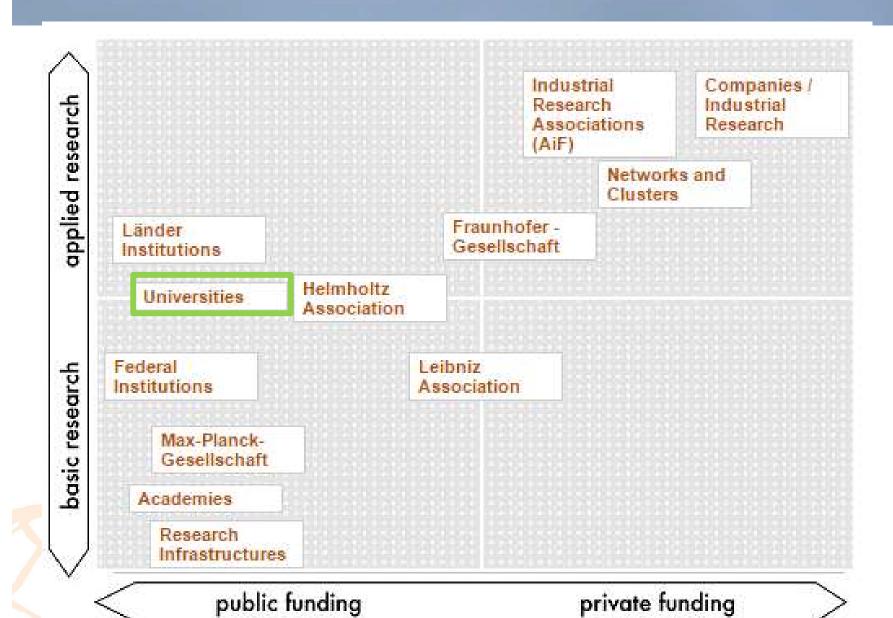
- 1. Outstanding reputation of the German degrees
- 2. You can study and research in English
- 3. Good funding opportunities
- 4. Excellent research infrastructure

- 5. You have very affordable living expenses and a high standard of living
- 6. You live in a diverse country in the heart of Europe!

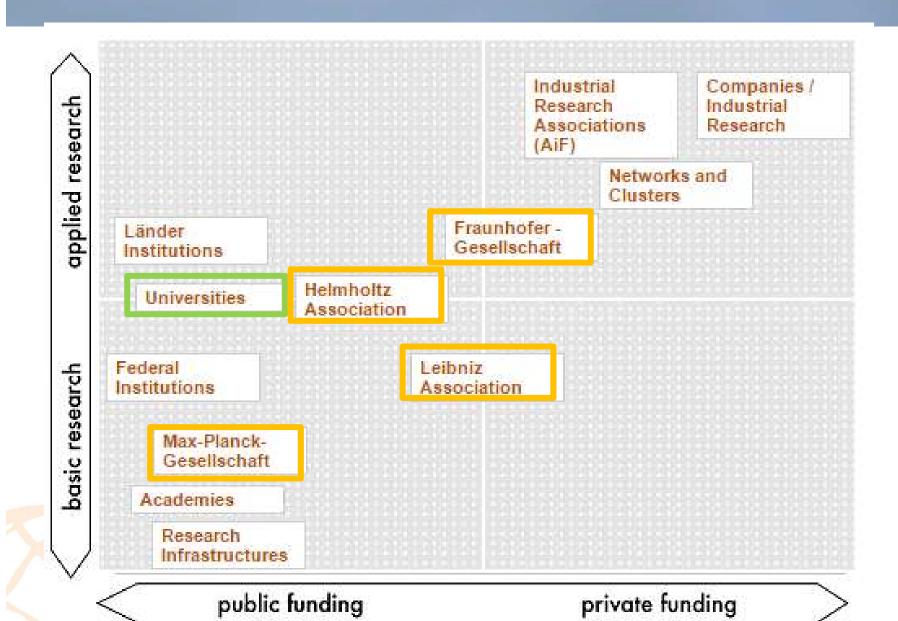




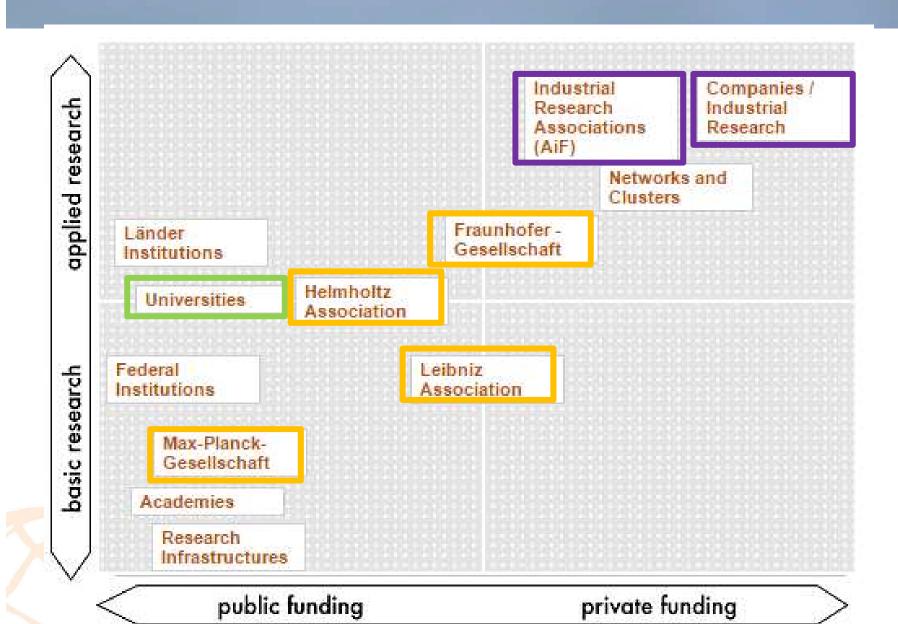
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### PhD - Where and how?

- Individual doctorate
  - → <u>www.phdgermany.de</u>
  - → www.hochschulkompass.de
  - → www.research-explorer.de
- Structured PhD programmes www.daad.de
  - → <a href="http://bit.ly/2shOkhK">http://bit.ly/2shOkhK</a>
- Search for graduate schools and research training groups:
  - www.research-in-Germany.org
  - → http://bit.ly/2sVXL4F



### Good funding opportunities

- Funding Organisations for PhD Students:
   www.research-in-germany.org
   → http://bit.ly/2rkERXU
- Funding programmes and job vacancies:
   www.research-in-germany.org
   → http://bit.ly/2rcxVYK
- Data bases: <u>www.study-in.de</u> (Bachelor and Master programmes) <u>www.funding-guide.de</u> (PhD programmes) <u>www.euraxess.de</u>

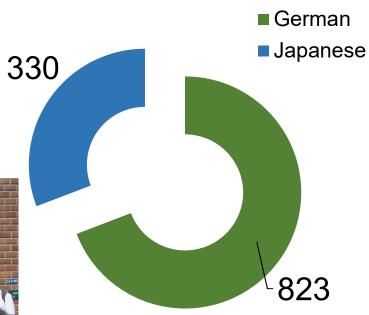
#### **Postdocs**

- Where and how? https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/jobs-andcareers/info-for-postdocs-and-juniorresearchers/where-to-do-research.html
- Funding opportunities:
  <a href="https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/jobs-and-careers/info-for-senior-researchers.html">https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/jobs-and-careers/info-for-senior-researchers.html</a>

### Scholarships by the DAAD from and to Japan

DAAD supports exchange between Germany and Japan at every stage of your education career

#### **Scholarship Recipients 2015**





### Funding opportunities for students (BA and Master)

## Intensive Language Courses offered in Germany for Foreign Students and Graduates

This scholarship programme aims to help students and graduates improve their knowledge of the German language and cultural knowledge of the country.

- Who can apply? students in Bachelor's and Master's degree programmes as well as doctoral candidates in any subject area; Bachelor students must have completed at least two academic years at the start of the scholarship period. Students/graduates from the areas of German studies, German as a foreign language and translation courses are not eligible.
- Duration of the funding: 8 weeks. The courses start in June. The last courses end in December.
- Value: One-off scholarship payment of 2,300 euros, travel allowance, health, accident and personal liability insurance
- Application documents: Application form, curriculum vitae, letter of motivation, university degree certificate, Proof of credits for all university examinations, Language certificate and recent reference from a university teacher.
- Application deadline: 1 December each year
- Further information <a href="https://www.daad.de/deutschland/stipendium/en/http://tokyo.daad.de/wp/scholarship\_sommer/">https://www.daad.de/deutschland/stipendium/en/https://tokyo.daad.de/wp/scholarship\_sommer/</a>



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### Funding opportunities for graduate students

#### **Study Scholarships for Graduates of All Disciplines**

This scholarship programme offers you the opportunity to continue your academic education in Germany with a postgraduate course of study

- Who can apply? Excellently-qualified graduates who have completed a first degree (Bachelor, Diplom or comparable academic degree). For applicants from artistic disciplines and the field of architecture, the DAAD offers subject-specific scholarship programmes.
- What can be funded?
   Participation in a postgraduate programme or study perios in Germany as part of a postgraduate or Master's degree completed in a foreign country
- Duration of the funding: between 10 and 24 months depending on the length of the chosen study programme





#### **Research Grants – Bi-nationally Supervised Doctoral Degrees**

The aim of this programme is to promote doctoral degrees at the home university with integrated research phases in Germany. The doctoral degrees are supervised both by a university teacher at the home university and an academic adviser at the host institute in Germany ("sandwich model"). Based on this flexible, multiphase funding system, doctoral candidates start their doctoral degree in their home country but subsequently spend research periods in Germany. The doctorate is completed in the home country under the supervision of the German academic adviser.

- Who can apply? Excellently-qualified doctoral candidates and young academics and scientists who have completed a Master's degree or Diplom, or in exceptional cases a Bachelor's degree at the latest by the time they begin their grant-supported research
- What can be funded?
  Research phases at a state or state-recognised institution of higher education or a non-university research institute in Germany as part of a doctoral programme in the home country: the proposal must be coordinated with the academic advisers at the home university and in Germany.
- Duration of the funding a maximum of 24 months





#### **DAAD Research Grants - Doctoral Programmes in Germany**

DAAD research grants provide foreign doctoral candidates and young academics and scientists with an opportunity to carry out research and continue their education in Germany. There are funding programmes for various qualification phases and stages in a career. The grants also promote the exchange of experience and networking amongst colleagues.

The primary aim of this programme is to promote doctoral projects.

- Who can apply? Excellently-qualified doctoral candidates and young academics and scientists who have completed a Master's degree or Diplom, or in exceptional cases a Bachelor's degree at the latest by the time they begin their grant-supported research.
- What can be funded? Doctoral programmes at a state or state-recognised institution of higher education or a non-university research institute in Germany: individual projects or participation in a structured doctoral study programme
- Duration of the funding a maximum of four years





#### **DAAD** Research Grants – short-term and one year grants

DAAD research grants provide foreign doctoral candidates and young academics and scientists with an opportunity to carry out research and continue their education in Germany. There are funding programmes for various qualification phases and stages in a career. The grants also promote the exchange of experience and networking amongst colleagues.

The primary aim of this programme is to promote research projects within the context of doctoral programmes, or those who have already completed a PhD (postdocs).

- Who can apply? Excellently-qualified doctoral candidates and young academics and scientists who have completed a Master's degree or Diplom, or in exceptional cases a Bachelor's degree at the latest by the time they begin their grant-supported research, or those who have already completed a PhD (postdocs).
- What can be funded? A research project or course of continuing education at a state or state-recognised institution of higher education in Germany or a non-university research institute, which is being carried out in coordination with an academic adviser in Germany.
- Duration of the funding1 month to usually 10 months





#### **DAAD Research Grants**

Value

Depending on academic level, monthly payments of euros 750.- for graduates, euros 1,000.- for doctoral candidates and postdocs

health, accident and personal liability insurance, Travel allowance, One-off research allowance...

Application documents:

application form, curriculum vitae, List of publications, research proposal, Schedule of planned research work, Letter confirming supervision by an academic adviser in Germany, University degree certificate, language certificate and reference letter.

Application deadline

long term (7 to 36 months): 15 October

short term (1 to 6 months): 30st April for funding from October/15th November for funding from April

Further information

https://www.daad.de/deutschland/stipendium/en/

http://tokyo.daad.de/wp/scholarship graduated 7-36/

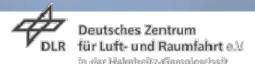


#### Re-invitation Programme for Former Scholarship Holders

- The aim of this programme is to enable former scholarship holders to carry out research and working projects in Germany and to maintain contacts as part of DAAD's global alumni network.
- Who can apply?
  Former holders of DAAD research grants or study scholarships, who were funded for a period of over six months
- What can be funded?
  Research and working projects, Working stays at an institution in business, administration, culture
- Duration of the funding One to three months
- Value
   Monthly payments of
   2,000 euros for assistant teachers, assistant professors and lecturers
   2,150 euros for professors



### **DLR/DAAD** Research-Fellowship-Programme



- DLR-DAAD Research Fellowships" is a programme implemented by the 'German Aerospace Center' (DLR) and the 'German Academic Exchange Service' (DAAD). DLR is Germany´s national research center for aeronautics and space. Its extensive research and development work in Aeronautics, Space, Transportation and Energy is integrated into national and international cooperative ventures.
- Who can apply? This special programme is intended for highly-qualified foreign doctoral and postdoctoral students as well as senior scientists. DLR-DAAD Fellowships are defined and awarded on an individual basis. Each fellowship announcement will indicate the specific qualification requirements and terms of visit.
- What can be funded?
  The current offers are published under <u>DLR-DAAD Fellowships Current offers</u> on the homepages of the DAAD and the DLR in the research fields: Aeronautics / Space / Transportation / Energy
- Duration of the funding

Type A - Doctoral Students: 36 months / Type B - Postdoctoral Students: 6 to 24 months / Type C - Senior Scientists: 1 to 3 months

Value

Doctoral Students (Doctorate in Germany): monthly instalment of 1,365 Euros (plus allowance for materials of 102 Euros); e.g. flat-rate travel allowance, health insurance, family allowances
Postdoctoral Students (Research in Germany): 2,000 Euros per month
Senior Scientists (Research in Germany): 2,300 Euros per month



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### Research in Germany

- research-in-germany.de
- Newsletter: https://www.research-ingermany.org/en/infoservice/newsletter.html



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