

Participating in Conferences, Congresses, Further Education Programmes and Summer Schools

- Congress Trips Abroad
- Visits Abroad for Giving Talks

 DAAD funding options:

 www.daad.de
- Participating in Workshops Abroad, e.g. Academic Writing in Galway/Dublin Funding through the ERASMUS+ staff training Programme Information from the International Office: www.uni-bielefeld.de/io
- Participating in Summer Schools/Specialised Courses/Language Courses Abroad: Funding through DAAD/Promos-Programmes, Information from the International Office

Teaching Abroad

- DAAD Short-term Lectureships worldwide
- DAAD Lecturers for German language and literature
- DAAD German Language Assistants
 www.daad.de
- ERASMUS+ Short-term Lectureships:
 Information from the International Office
 www.uni-bielefeld.de/io

And what next? Postdoc Scholarships

- **DAAD:** www.daad.de
- DAAD Short- and long-term Lectureships worldwide
- **DFG:** www.dfg.de
- Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, e.g. Feodor-Lynen-Programme: www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/supportresearch-stay.html
- **EU,** e.g. Marie-Curie-Scholarships, Advice from the Dept. for Research Administration and Technology Transfer (FFT), Uni Bielefeld
- Fulbright Teaching Visits to the USA www.fulbright.de

Further information available from:

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Spending Time Abroad during PhD Studies

Tips and Information



Research Studies Abroad whilst studying for a PhD in Bielefeld

Subject-related Activity Abroad

- Working in a workgroup abroad
- Library and archive-related visits
- Empirical Studies / Field research
- Performing experiments

Adding Value to the PhD dissertation

Organisation

Contact the University,

Research Institution or Research Group

- Invitation necessary
- No matriculation necessary

Select Archives

Language Skills

■ In general no official language test necessary

Research Permit

■ Often necessary in African countries

In General no Student Fees

Health Insurance

Apply for a Visa

■ At the host country's Embassy/Consulate in Germany

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FUNDING OPTIONS

Scholarships

DAAD scholarships: www.daad.de

- Short-term periods of study of 1–6 months
- Medium-term periods of study of 7–12 months
- Bi-nationally supervised (Cotutelle) PhD: specific conditions apply
- Scholarships for certain subjects and certain countries

Prerequisites:

- Outstanding academic qualifications
- Studying abroad to add value to the dissertation
- Good language skills
- Various deadlines

DAAD Scholarships: Combinations with other Funding Sources

Research Training Groups:

Fellows: DAAD applications possible
Scholars: DAAD applications possible -

short-term scholarships, top-ups with DAAD long-term scholarships when Group scholarship temporarily suspended

Graduate Funding Loan: Top-up of PhD state funding
Scholarship Programme of organisations for the promotion
of talents: no DAAD funding available
Position as a Research Assistant:
DAAD funding during leave of absence

More Funding Alternatives

EU Marie Curie Scholarship:

Information in the Dept. for Research Administration and Technology Transfer (FFT), Uni Bielefeld

Scholarships for PhD Students at the European University Institute, Florence

www.eui.eu

Fulbright: PhD programmes for the USA www.fulbright.de

Heinrich-Hertz-Stiftung

www.heinrich-hertz-stiftung.de/de

