

DAAD

Purpose	DAAD stands for <i>Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst</i> aka <i>German Academic Exchange Service</i> . Their goal is to promote study and research in Germany (at all levels of higher education) and to build international academic ties thereby.
Award	
<i>Tenable</i>	For study in Germany.
<i>Number & Amount</i>	Consult the website. Most options fund most of the trip.
<i>Duration</i>	Many different awards offered (see below). Two months to multiple years.
Eligibility	
<i>Who</i>	US or Canadian citizen. Options for international students studying in the US also exist. There are multiple opportunities for graduate students. Undergraduates are eligible for DAAD Rise and EMGIP-Bundestag. Sophomore and up. Almost all majors are eligible for one or more scholarship options.
<i>When</i>	Depends on when you plan to study abroad (and which award you will seek).
<i>Selection Criteria</i>	Different awards require different language levels (ranging from none to fluent). Program should fit academic and career goals. From DAAD: <i>we consider the academic merit of the individual, the feasibility and quality of the proposal and the impact of the applicant and application as a whole.</i> A defined interest in Germany or some aspect thereof is probably helpful.
Campus Deadline	None.
Deadline	Depends on scholarship option. Deadlines range across the year. Plan ahead.
Application	Also depends on scholarship option.
Contact	Plan your trip to Germany through the Office of International Programs at 304 Fairchild or (785) 532-5990. Contact Beth Powers to discuss the DAAD specifically. Contact her at 207 Leadership Studies or (785) 532-3422.
Other	<p>More information is available at www.daad.org.</p> <p>Award options for graduates include the Graduate Study Scholarship, Graduate Research Grant, Intensive Language Course, University Summer Course and German Studies Grant. The EMGIP-Bundestag Internship is for undergraduates.</p> <p>STEM students might especially look at the Research Internship in Science and Engineering (RISE) option: www.daad.de/rise/en. No prior German is required. Funds summer in a German research lab. Undergrads and graduate students eligible.</p> <p>Students interested in Germany should also check into the Fulbright U.S. Student Grant. Nearly 200 Fulbright opportunities are allotted to Germany each year.</p>

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