

# DAAD Scholarships and Funding

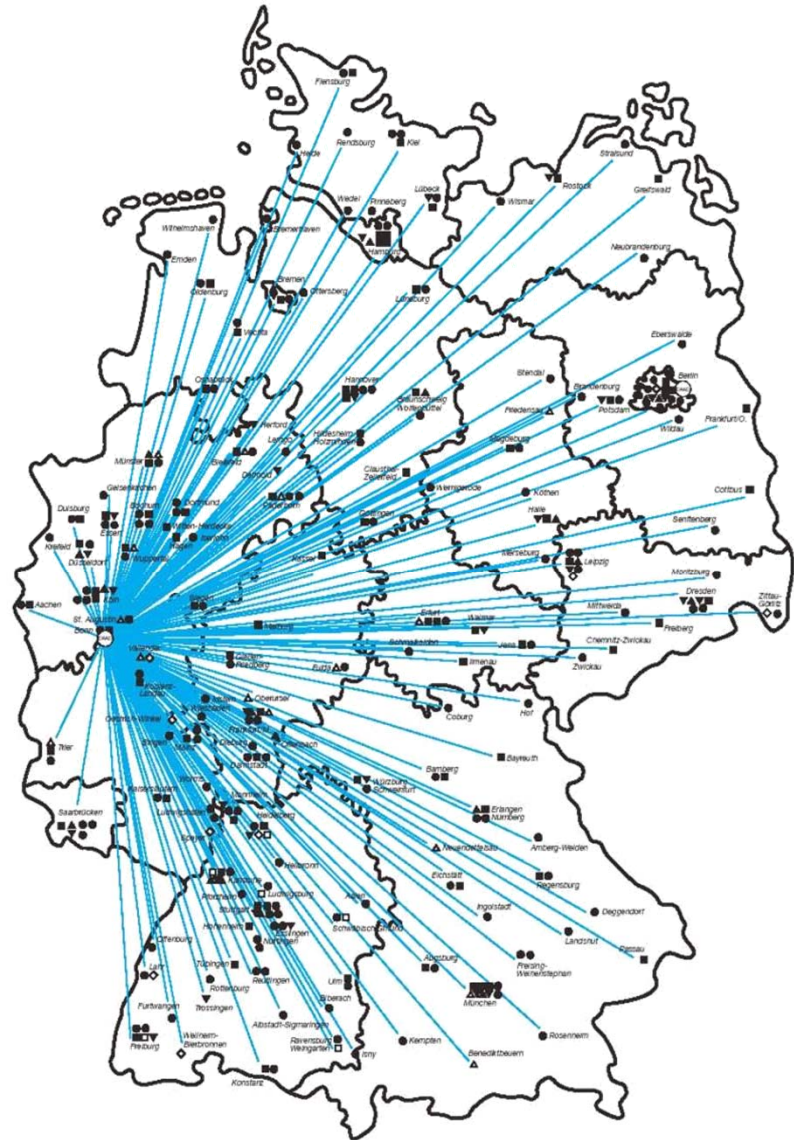


# About DAAD

## Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst



- promotes academic and scientific exchange between Germany and other countries by providing financial support
- provides information about study and research opportunities in Germany

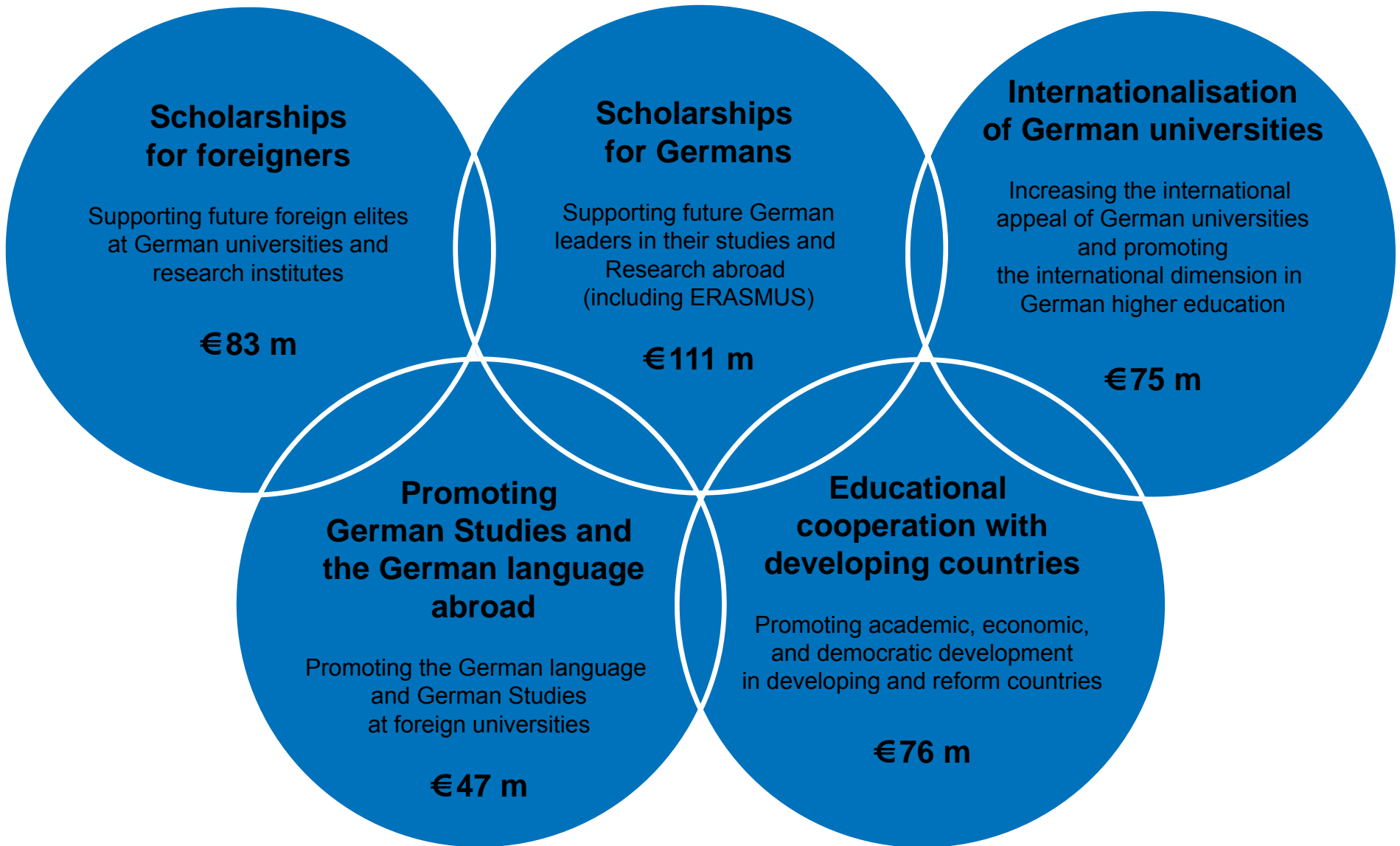


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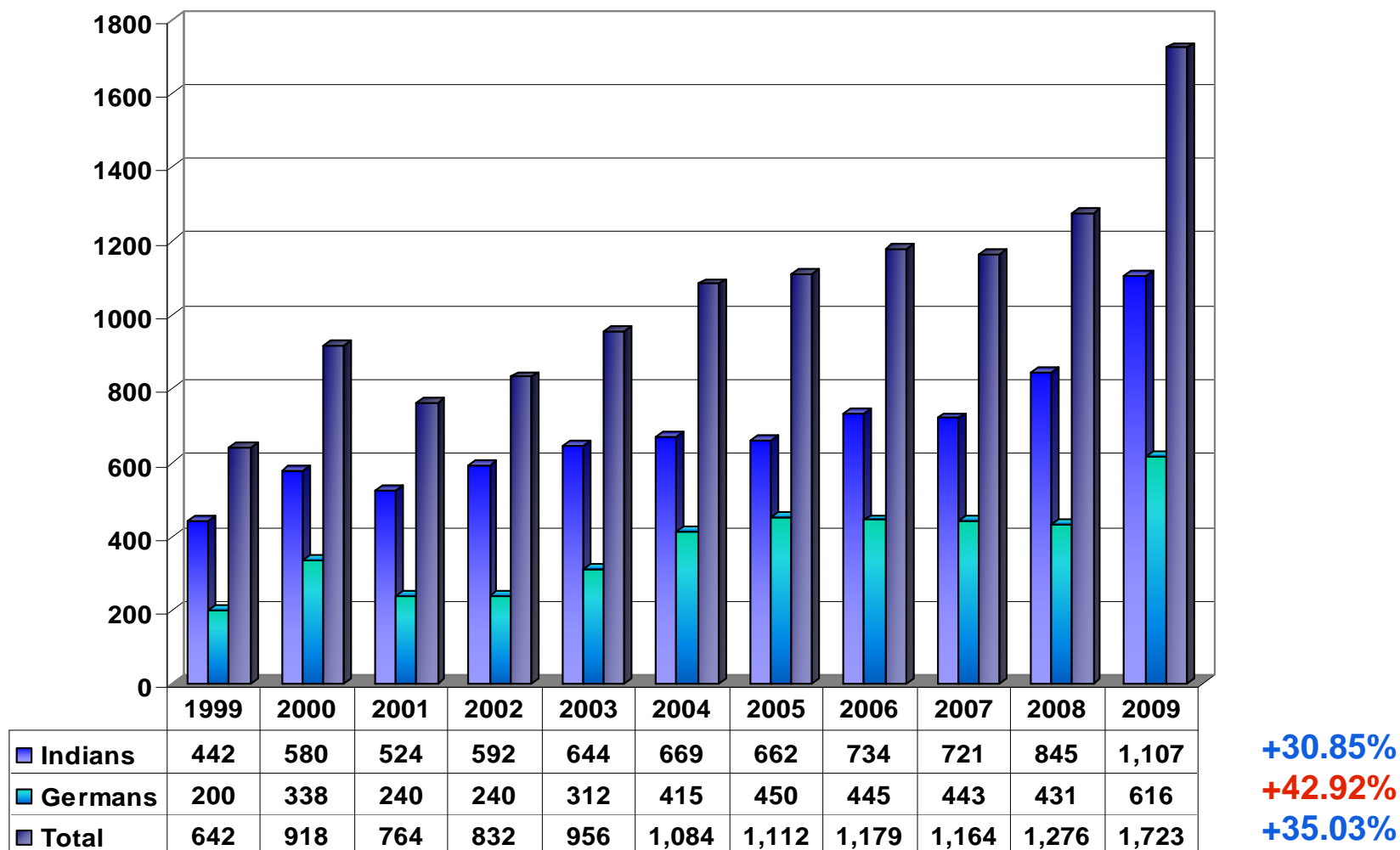
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# DAAD: Goals and Budget



# DAAD-Scholarship Holders to and from India



## Study - Research - Funding

- Applying for a seat at a university/ for a research positions and applying for a scholarship grant are two completely different things!
- Make sure you first secure a university / research position before applying for funding.

# Apply for a place of study/ research in Germany

## STEP 1

- Collect general information from the DAAD, internet and brochures.
- Decide which field of research you want to pursue and shortlist potential universities and professors
- [www.daad.de/ international-programmes](http://www.daad.de/international-programmes)
- [www.daad.de/research-explorer](http://www.daad.de/research-explorer) .
- [www.phdgermany.de](http://www.phdgermany.de)
- Academicians from India who have collaborations with German academicians can be a great source of information too!

# Apply for a place of study/research in Germany

## STEP 2

- The admission criteria and procedures vary for different universities and for different programmes.
- Check about these with the university of your choice or your supervisor.
- Check the application deadline for the programme chosen!
- Get a confirmation of admission.

## Apply for funding

- The **DAAD** offers the most extensive scholarship programme. It supported 2,580 international doctoral candidates in 2008. Also a number of foundations support international candidates approved for the doctoral process. A database of scholarships offered by various German organizations can be found at

[www.funding-guide.de](http://www.funding-guide.de)



# Apply for funding

## STEP 1

- Collect general information about DAAD scholarships
- Thoroughly check the eligibility criteria.
- Attend counseling sessions at the DAAD closer to you! We have our offices in Bangalore, Chennai, Delhi, Mumbai and Pune.

# Apply for funding

## STEP 2

- Once you have the admission letter from your university/letter of acceptance from your supervisor, check our website for application details.
- Application procedures and deadlines differ from one programme to the other.
- Make sure you send in your application in time.

# Apply for funding

## STEP 3

- If your application gets shortlisted, you may be invited for a personal interview at the DAAD Regional Office New Delhi.
- In some programmes the requirement of the personal interview is waived.

# Apply for funding

## STEP 4

- Selected candidates receive an award letter from the DAAD which is required to apply for a Visa.
- Once the Visa is granted, your journey to Campus Germany can begin.

# Funding Programmes

- Individual Scholarship programmes
- Cooperation / Project Based Programmes
- Programmes for DAAD Alumni

# Individual Scholarship Programmes

- Students
- Graduates / Doctoral Students
- Post Docs / Senior Scientists



# Programmes for Graduates/Doctoral Students



# PhD Scholarships

## FOR

Highly qualified post graduates from any discipline

## GOAL

To earn a PhD degree at one of the German universities or research Institutions

## TERM

3 years + 6 months German Language Course

# Sandwich Model Scholarships for PhD Registered Scholars

## FOR

PhD scholars from any discipline currently registered at any universities or research institutes in India

## GOAL

To enable registered PhD scholars at an Indian university / research institute to carry out research for their PhD thesis in Germany under the joint supervision of an Indian as well as a German professor. PhD degree to be awarded by Indian university

## TERM

1 year + 6 months German Language Course

## Short Term Scholarships for PhD Registered Scholars + M. Phil Scholars of German Studies

### FOR

PhD scholars from any discipline currently registered at any universities or research institutes in India. M Phil scholars in the subject area German Studies may also apply

### GOAL

To enable registered PhD scholars at Indian universities or research institutes to carry out part of their research under the guidance of a German professor

### TERM

2 to 6 months

## Programmes for Post Docs / Senior Scientists



# Research Scholarships for Young Researchers and Recent Post Docs

## FOR

University academics and scientists from India on active duty

## GOAL

To carry out a research project at a state (public) or state recognised higher education institution or research institute in Germany

## TERM

Up to 6 months



# Research Stay Programme

## FOR

University faculty and scientists at research institutions on active duty

## GOAL

To deepen and to extend academic exchange between the applicant's home country and Germany, thereby making a positive contribution to the internationalisation of higher education

## TERM

1 to 3 months

# Guest Lectureships for Indian Professors at German Universities (Gastdozentenprogramm)

## FOR

Indian professors possessing extensive teaching experience and actively involved in teaching and research at an Indian university

## GOAL

To strengthen international dimension of teaching and broaden intercultural cooperation in academics and research

## TERM

1 to 4 semesters

## Short-term Lectureships for Germans at Indian Universities (Kurzzeitdozenturen)

### FOR

Professors and scientists from German universities and research institutes (in all disciplines)

### GOAL

Opportunity to invite German faculty to deliver lectures in their specialised area of research and contribute towards future cooperation with German universities / research institutes

### TERM

1 to 6 months

# Cooperation / Project Based Programmes



# CSIR-DAAD Exchange of Indian and German Scientists

## FOR

Indian Scientists with permanent positions at CSIR Institutes / Laboratories

## GOAL

To provide opportunity for Indian and German scientists to collaborate with each other on a reciprocal basis on joint projects

## TERM

2 to 3 months

# DST-DAAD Project Based Personnel Exchange Programme (PPP)

## FOR

Highly qualified scientists and researchers from India and Germany with their research scholars working on a joint research project, i.e. 1 project leader + 2 PhD or post-doctoral scholars from each side

## GOAL

To intensify interaction and research activities among research groups in India and Germany

## TERM

Up to 2 years (possibility of extension by another year)



# DST-DAAD Exchange of Senior Scientists Programme (WAP)

## FOR

Faculty and scientists at Indian and German universities and research institutes

## GOAL

To develop joint academic cooperation projects

## TERM

2 to 4 weeks

# Subject-Related Partnerships with Universities in Developing Countries

## FOR

Indian and German universities (only German side can apply)

## GOAL

Academic cooperation on an institutional or departmental level between 2 or more universities

## TERM

Up to 4 years

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