



DAAD Mobility Funding: Individual Scholarships and Grants for Academic Partnerships



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Iran – Cooperation in the wake of sanctions



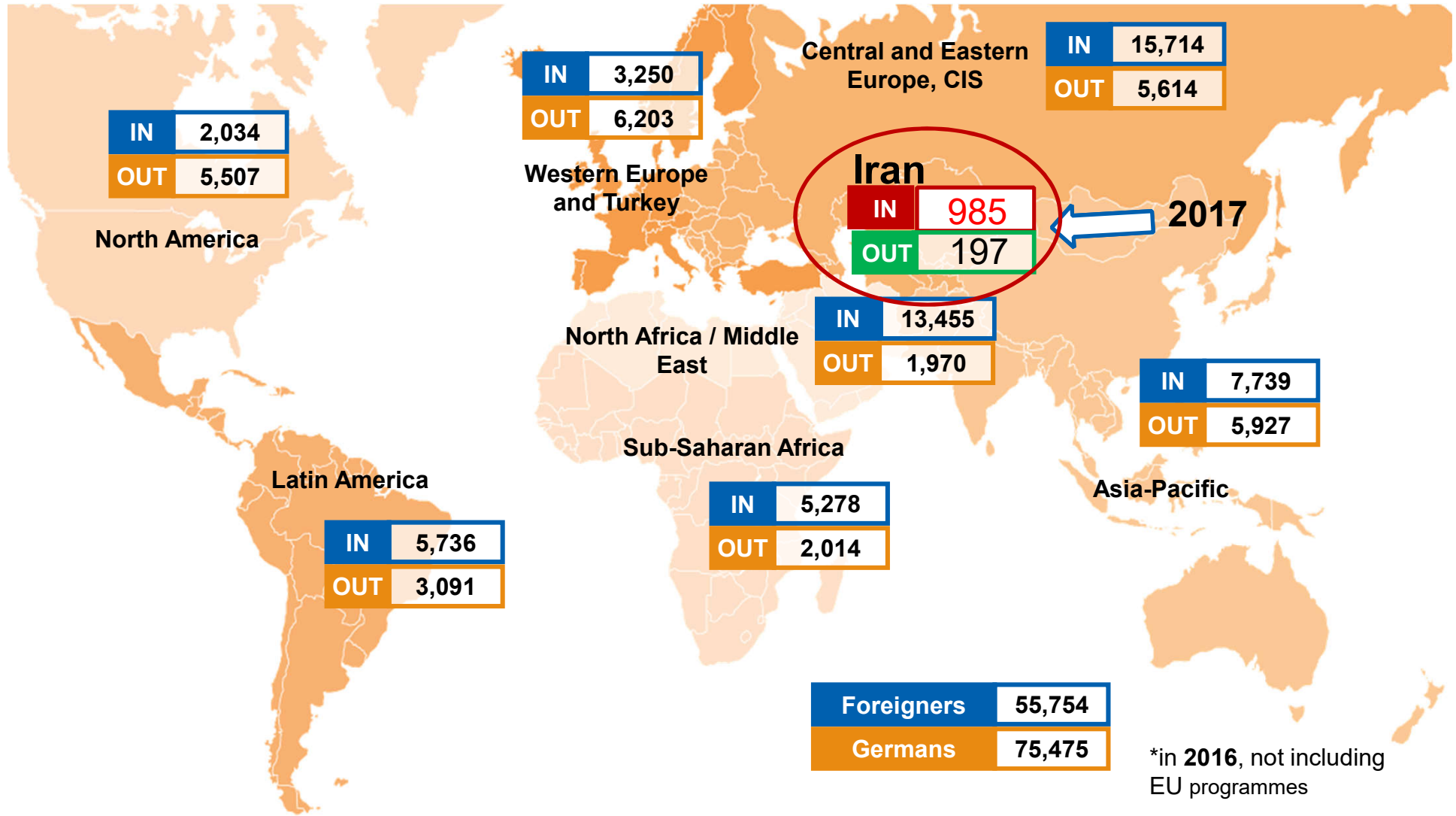
Reopening of DAAD Information Centre Tehran in 2014

- Three German language assignments in Teheran and Isfahan
- Both number and qualification of Iranian scholarship holders highest in the MENA region
- German universities highly interested in exchange with Iran
- DAAD president and high-ranking delegation of University rectors pay official visit to Iran in 2014





Origins and destinations of DAAD scholarship holders*



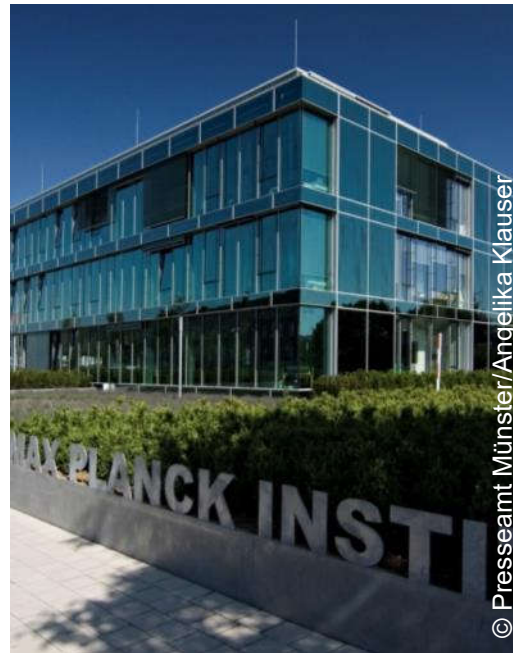


Pillars of the German research sector

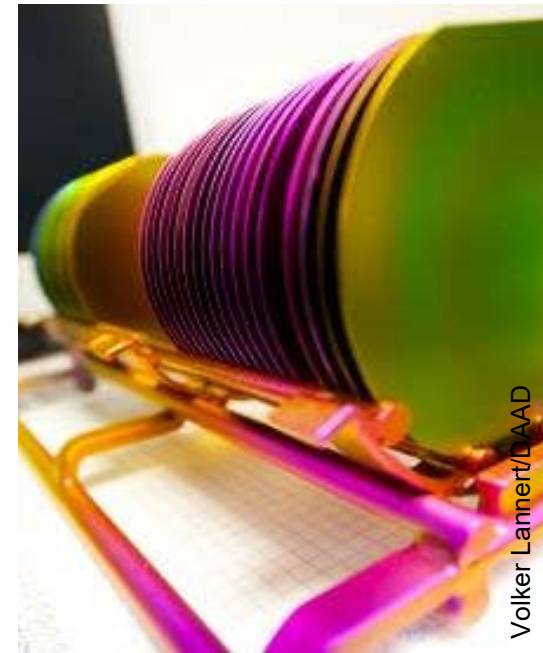
Universities (HEIs)



Non-university research institutes



Industrial research





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DAAD Scholarships



- Funding for study abroad or thesis research
- No subject-related quota
- Previous knowledge of German not required, but advantageous
- Monthly stipend
- Health Insurance
- Travel reimbursement
- No scholarships for undergraduates



Funding for international researchers

Different programmes for different purposes

Duration	Short-term research stay (up to 2 years)	Long-term research stay (more than 2 years)	Complete doctorate
Type of funding	Grant / scholarship fellowship / award	Work contract	Funding*
Type of doctorate/ position	Individual doctoral project / structured doctoral programme	Postdoctoral researcher / junior research group leader / junior professorship	Senior researcher / research group leader / professorship

*generally includes own salary and expenses for staff and consumables



Research grants – Doctoral programmes in Germany

In Brief

Doctoral project (individual or structured programme) at a state-run or state-recognised university or non-university research institute in Germany

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Who?

PhD students

Duration?

Up to 3 years

Value?

1,200 €/month + additional allowances

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Research grants – One-year and short-term grants

In Brief

Research or training project at a state-run or state-recognised university or non-university research institute in Germany

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Who?

PhD students
Postdocs / Junior researchers

Duration?

One-year grants: 7–10 months
Short-term grants: 1–6 months





Value?

1,200 €/month + additional allowances

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Research grants – Binationally supervised doctoral degrees

-  **In Brief** Doctoral degree at home university with integrated research phases in Germany
-  **Who?** PhD students
-  **Duration?** Up to 2 years
-  **Value?** Grant: 1,200 €/month + additional allowances during stay(s) in Germany



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Re-invitation programme for former scholarship holders

In Brief

Research and work projects at a state-run or state-recognised HEI or non-university research institute

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Who?

PhD students
Postdocs / Junior researchers
Senior researchers

Duration?

1–3 months

Value?

Fellowship: 2,000–2,150 €/month + travel allowances





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Leibniz - DAAD Research Fellowships

-  **In Brief** Research and work projects at a state-run or state-recognised HEI or non-university research institute
-  **Who?** Post-Docs
-  **Duration?** Up to 12 months
-  **Value?** Grant: 2,000 €/month + insurances + additional allowances during stay(s) in Germany

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Research Stays for University Academics and Scientists

In Brief

Research and work projects at a state-run or state-recognised HEI or non-university research institute

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Who?

University teachers and established academics and scientists / Senior researchers

Duration?

1–3 months

Value?

Fellowship: 2,000–2,150 €/month + travel allowances

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German-Iranian Scholarship Programme (GISP)

- In Brief** Focused research stay in Germany as part of a PhD programme at an Iranian HEI
- Who?** PhD students (/Post-docs)
- Duration?** 6-9 months
- Value?** 1,000/1,200 EUR p.m. scholarship

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DAAD Project Funding





Group study visit

- Financial support for academic information visits to Germany for groups of students
- Requirements:
 - Group of 10 to 15 students plus one accompanying faculty member
 - Trip for 7 to 12 days
 - Visit should be organized entirely by the home institution
 - Application: filed by a faculty member, including total budget, a detailed itinerary, specific information about relationship to the curriculum, application form



Deadlines:

November 1 (for trips between March 1 and June 1 of the following year)

February 1 (for trips between June 1 and September 1 of the same year)

May 1 (for trips no earlier than September 1 of the same year)



Scholarships for german scientists and lectures

- Fact Finding Missions
- International Study and Training Partnerships (ISAP)
- Bilateral exchange of scientists
- Vortragsreisenprogramm
- Kongressreisenprogramm



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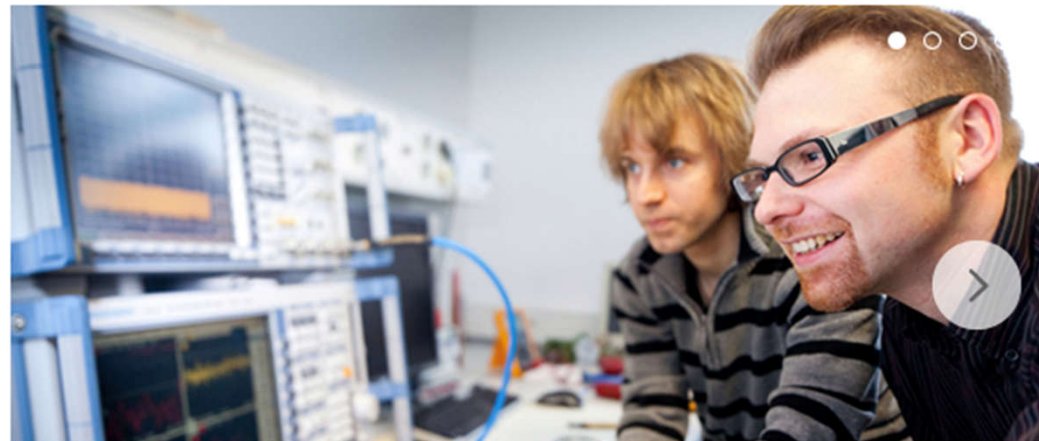
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