Welcome Center



Unofficial Insider's Guide to the German Academic System for Incoming and Visiting Researchers

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Intended for Prospective and current (post)doctoral researchers, visiting professors

There are some glossy websites and booklets about how to complete your doctoral research in Germany (even a few in English). But very often a lot of necessary implicit knowledge is missing: knowledge which is known to most professional actors and stakeholders, but not spelled out (sometimes for lack of "political correctness") and thus remains unknown to outsiders, including incoming or visiting doctoral and postdoctoral researchers.

This event will try to close this information gap:

- What are the preconditions for a successful PhD project in Germany?
- What are the options for financing a PhD project in Germany?
- What are the possibilities for employment within the university system and outside of it in Germany?
- How can one advance an academic career beyond the doctorate in Germany?
- What in the German system is different from other academic systems, what is similar?

There will be a short presentation of essential points followed by a discussion of participants' questions.

How to register

If interested, please register as soon as possible by sending a registration e-mail to registration-hyt@uni-siegen.de