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German Academic Exchange Service
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145,659 funded students, graduates and university teachers in 2019

1,060,000 funded individuals from abroad since 1950

1,545,000 funded individuals from Germany since 1950

594 Mio. euros, the DAAD’s annual budget

33,000 students enrolled in German transnational education programmes worldwide

46,600 students from Germany granted funding for an Erasmus stay abroad

over 2 Mio. visitors reached at international education fairs around the world
69 branch offices worldwide

DAAD headquarters in Bonn and Berlin Office

242 member universities and 104 student bodies

5 German Centres for Research and Innovation (DWIH)

426 lecturerships at higher education institutions abroad

161 alumni associations

20 interdisciplinary Centres for German and European Studies at higher education institutions abroad

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Our Goals

Promote excellence and broaden perspectives of education and science through international exchange

Enhance international collaboration for the benefit of science, industry and society

Assume global responsibility and contribute to development and peace

Implementation in three strategic fields of activity

1. Recognising and supporting potentials worldwide

2. Strengthening the strategic academic network

3. Providing expertise for international relations

Key issues until 2025

- Digital transformation
- Sustainability and the 2030 Agenda
- Diversity and equal opportunity
- International professionals for science and industry
- Innovation and transfer
- Global issues
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- Freedom of science

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