

German- Arab Transformation Partnership

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS 2015: University Partnerships, Short-term cooperation projects, Research partnerships

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Dear Sir or Madame

We would like to inform you that soon existing programs of the German-Arab Transformation Partnership will be opened for new applications.

Possible Arab partner countries: besides **Egypt and Tunisia** now also **Jordan, Yemen, Morocco, Libya**

The application needs to be handed in by the German university or research institute.

Publication of the official call for applications: most probably at the beginning of September

PROGRAM LINE 1: German- Arab University Partnerships

Main objective: Establishment and coordination of university partnerships (up to 3 years) to contribute to the sustainable structuring of study programs at the universities in the Arab partner countries. In detail, this means supporting the development of curricula or modules, the establishment of international study programs and the acknowledgement of university degrees. Consequentially, the measures are focused on the improvement and the enhancement of the teaching in the partner countries.

Maximum amount of funding: most probably up to 100.000 EUR/ year (up to 125.000 EUR/ year for tri- or multilateral partnerships)

Application deadline: most probably **October 9, 2014**

Application must contain: Application form and financial budget plan, Approval of the German university, Memorandum of Understanding or Letter of Intent between German university and Partner University, project description, tabular overview of the project



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PROGRAM LINE 2: German-Arab short-term cooperation projects

Main objective: Organisation of short and medium term cooperation projects such as workshops, summer schools, conferences etc to establish and intensify scientific relations between German and Arab universities, Active contribution to the improvement of research and teaching in the partner countries (development of curricula, modules, etc., with special focus on the employability of the future graduates, transfer from universities to economy)

Maximum amount of funding: most probably up to 40.000 EUR

Application deadline: There will be 5 application deadlines

30.09.2014, 30.11.2014, 31.01.2015, 30.04.2015, 15.07.2015

Application must contain: Application form and financial budget plan, Approval of the German university, , project description, Statement concerning the coordination with important partners

PROGRAM LINE 4: German-Arab Research Partnerships – *Al tawasul*

Main objective: German-Arab Research Partnerships provide an opportunity to extend and intensify existing research contacts between Germany and the partner countries. German universities together with **Arab Alumni** (usually DAAD-Alumni) can apply for funding to conduct a joint research project (up to 3 years). This way the alumnus/ the alumna can both start his/her post doc research phase in his/ her home country and continue his/ her research contacts to Germany.

Maximum amount of funding: most probably up to 90.000 EUR/ year

Application deadline: most probably **October 9, 2014**

Application must contain: Application form and financial budget plan, Approval of the German university, Memorandum of Understanding or Letter of Intent between German university and Partner University, project description, tabular overview of the project, scholarship certificate of the alumnus/ alumna, CVs and publication lists

Please find further information on the current funding conditions and the projects funded so far under:

www.daad.de/transformation

www.changebyexchange.de

The final funding conditions will be mentioned in the official call for applications which will be published at the beginning of September at the program database of the DAAD.

Sincerely,
DAAD-Team
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