

DIES-Information Visit:

Internationalisation of Universities

Germany, 2 - 6 December 2013

Monday, 2 December 2013

Arrival in Frankfurt

Transfer to Bonn

Tuesday, 3 December 2013

08.30 am Pick-up from the hotel and transfer to the HRK, Bonn

09.00 am **The German Rectors' Conference (HRK)**

Wissenschaftszentrum, Raum S12

Welcome on behalf of HRK

Dr Thomas Kathöfer, Secretary General, HRK

Welcome on behalf of the delegation

Professor Ekhleif Tarwaneh, President, University of Jordan

The German Higher Education System: Facts and Figures, Recent Developments

Thomas Böhm, Head of Section, Africa and Middle East, HRK

10.45 am **Coffee break**

11.15 am **The German Research System**

Bernhard M. Lippert, Head of Department, Research in Germany, HRK

12.15 pm **Lunch break**

Restaurant *Ars Vivendi*, Wissenschaftszentrum

01.30 pm **The German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)**

Welcome on behalf of DAAD

Dr Helmut Blumbach, Director, Southern Hemisphere Department, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

	<p>DAAD support in Middle East</p> <p>Dr Renate Dieterich, Head of Section, German-Arab Transformation Partnerships (tbc)</p> <p>The DIES-Programme</p> <p>Marc Wilde, Head of Section, Joint Higher Education Management Programmes (DIES)</p>
03.00 pm	Transfer to Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, Bonn
03.15 pm	<p>Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (AvH)</p> <p>Welcome on behalf of AvH</p> <p>Dr Enno Aufderheide, Secretary General</p> <p>AvH-Network in Middle East</p>
04.00 pm	Transfer to German Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development , Bonn
04.15 pm	<p>German Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development</p> <p>Roundtable on challenges in higher education and the role of development assistance</p> <p>Janine Kreuz, Head of Section, Higher Education and Science, BMZ</p>
05.30 pm	Transfer to the hotel
07.00	Joint Dinner, Bonn

Wednesday, 4 December 2013

08.30 am	Pick up from the hotel and transfer to HRK
09.00 am	<p>HRK-Audit Internationalisation of Universities</p> <p>Sarah Karis, Project Manager, HRK</p>
10.30 am	Coffee break

11.00 am	DIES-Seminar: Internationalisation of Universities Greeting
11.15 am	Keynote: Internationalisation of German Universities Professor Dr Michael Bollig , Vice-Rector, University of Cologne
11.45 am	Input: Internationalisation at Jordanian Universities Professor Hanan Malkawi, Ph.D. , Former Vice President, Yarmouk University, Jordan
12.15 am	Q&A, Discussion
01.00 pm	Lunch break
02.00 pm	Input: Student Mobility in Jordan and the Arab World Dr Sultan Abu-Orabi , Secretary General, Association of Arab Universities, Jordan Input: Euro-Arab Cooperation Dr Yasser El-Shayeb , Director, National Tempus Office, Egypt
03.30 pm	Coffee break
04.00 pm	Closing Discussion/Session Chair: Marijke Wahlers , Head of International Department, HRK
05.30 pm	Transfer to the hotel
Evening	Spare Time

Thursday, 5 December 2013

08.30 am	Pick up from hotel and transfer to Cologne
10.00 am	Visit to the Cologne University of Applied Sciences

12.00 am	Lunch break
01.00 pm	Transfer to Gießen
03.00 pm	Visit to the University of Gießen
05.00 pm	Debriefing
06.00 pm	Transfer to the hotel in Frankfurt

Friday, 6 December 2013

Departure from Frankfurt