Dear friends of DAAD,

An upcoming event with DAAD involvement, applications for a Postdoc award and study opportunities in Germany—all wrapped up in this express.

Enjoy your reading!

Dr. Helmut Blumbach,
Director, DAAD Regional Office for Africa

Career Event: Alumni trained in German on June 23
The Alumniportal Deutschland is planning a one-day career event at the Radisson Blu Hotel in Nairobi where the DAAD is proud to participate in. It is so far planned to be a company fair for information dissemination and will also give opportunities for close-up talks and exchange between Alumni, for networking and sharing of experiences. All are welcome!

Sofja Kovalevskaja Award for junior researchers: Application deadline is July 31
Valued at up to 1.65 mio Euros for six awards, top-rank junior researcher who completed their doctorate with distinction in the last six years and have published work in prestigious international journals or publishing houses can submit an application. The award allows them to spend five years building up a working group and working on a high-profile, innovative research project of their own choice at a research institution of their choice in Germany.

Scientists and scholars from all disciplines may apply. More info here

Become a versatile industrial manager through MBA&E studies at the HTW Berlin
The Master of Business Administration & Engineering (MBA&E) is a three-semester, English-language Master programme aiming at a technical management career profile. Typical graduates target positions in areas like production management, supply chain management and project management. MBA&E graduates often work at multinational companies and in international environments.

Programme structure and specializations
Our top priority is to help our students advance in their careers. The MBA&E curriculum provides a high level of employability after the studies. The programme rests on four pillars
- A balance of solid management and technology skills giving graduates job market versatility
- Four specialization options to allow graduates target jobs in specific functions or industries
- A broad range of managerial employability skills taught throughout the curriculum
- A Master thesis and an optional internship to enhance job-readiness and business acumen

In addition to the two core modules - General Management and Technology & Engineering, the MBA&E curriculum includes a specialization option that specializes students in an area of their choice. At the moment, the following four specialization options are offered:
Automotive Management. Drawing upon the experience of the German automotive sector, the specialization prepares its students for jobs at OEMs, suppliers and consulting.

Interdisciplinary Management. Prepares participants for the management of complex and interdisciplinary projects at the interface of technology and people.

Lean Management. Focuses on the optimization of production, logistics and administrative processes and applies across a number of different sectors.

Global Procurement. Prepares for the set-up and management of international procurement and outsourcing projects, covering technical, managerial and intercultural aspects.

Application, fees and contact information
For application instructions, tuition fees and further information, please see our website. Please contact our programme office any time or call +49 30 5019 2411.

Technische Universität Berlin Campus El Gouna


All two-year programs comprise 120 Credit Points (ECTS) and are taught in English. Students graduate with a full Master’s degree by Technische Universität Berlin. Next to their study time in El Gouna, they spend up to one year at TU Berlin’s mother campus in Germany.

Deadline for application: 31 May 2016

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