Bielefeld University Welcome Centre Newsletter

July 2017

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Welcome Centre Events

6th July 9:30 – 11:30 **Campus Start** in U7-205
Monthly welcome event for new international researchers. Get to know the university and the Welcome Centre team, learn about getting started in Bielefeld, how to get around the university and the services we offer.
Registration required: welcome@uni-bielefeld.de

6th July 11:30 – 12:30 **Campus Tour**, departing from U7-205
Following Campus Start, we offer a guided tour through the main and X building explaining all points of everyday interest for your convenience.

6th July 12:30 – 13:30 **International Lunch**, Westend cafeteria, main building
Monthly opportunity to get to know other internationals over an informal lunch. We meet at the first table beyond the entrance to the Westend cafeteria. Friends and family are welcome.

18th July 19:30 – 21:00 **International Stammtisch**, (Regulars’ Table), Casa Café & Bar
Monthly informal get-together to meet other international academics in a casual atmosphere. Simply show up at the Casa in Karl-Eilers-Straße 12 in 33602 Bielefeld on the third Tuesday of every month.

Scholarships and Grants

LUMSA University (Rome, Italy) is seeking early career researchers to submit an application linked to the Marie Sklodowska- Curie Individual Fellowship Actions (IF-MSCA) within Horizon 2020. Those researchers interested in one of the positions offered should contact euraxess@lumsa.it as soon as possible to agree on the preparation of a project proposal.
For further information: http://www.lumsa.it/en/research_visiting_scholars

The Network of Valencian Universities for the promotion of Research, Development and Innovation (RUVID) informs that the Host Institutions in the Valencia Region (Spain) are looking for Marie-Sklodowska Curie-Individual Fellowship (MSCA-IF) candidates in the 2017 call. In total there are 100+ opportunities for MSCA-IF candidates across all research areas. The internal deadlines by which the universities wish to have received candidates’ applications vary from end-June to end-July.
Further information here: http://ruvid.org/ri-world/host-institutions-for-msca-2017/
Contact as early as possible

The European University Institute provides a list of **professorial and research positions in different areas**. The EUI offers one of the world's largest doctoral and postdoctoral programmes in the social sciences and the largest in Europe. EUI researchers benefit from four years grants from EU Members States and other states. The deadline depends on the study area.

For the complete list visit:
http://www.eui.eu/ServicesAndAdmin/AcademicService/AcademicPosts.asp

**Career Development**

**Application deadline: 14th July 2017**

Bielefeld University offers a **Self-Marketing and Communication Skills Workshop**. The participants of this workshop will have the opportunity to develop their self-marketing skills in professional academic contexts. It will take place on 14th July 2017 from 9.00 am - 5.00 pm.

Additional information:
http://www.uni-bielefeld.de/pep/fortbildung/pe/Self_Marketing

**Registration deadline: 6th July 2017**

Bonn University and Euro Consult Research & Education offer the **practice oriented event „Finanzen und Recht in Horizon 2020”** on 12th July at the University Club Bonn.

For further information:
https://www.uni-bonn.de/forschung/euroconsult/veranstaltungskalender?set_language=en

**Contact as early as possible**

EU funding opportunities for your research in the European Commission’s **Participant Portal**. Two year work programmes announce the specific areas that will be funded by Horizon 2020. It hosts the management services for proposals and projects throughout their lifecycle.


**Contact as early as possible**

The Arab-German Young Academy of Sciences and Humanities and the Freie Universität Berlin have created a **peer-to-peer mentoring programme for refugee scholars**. Excellent researchers are given the opportunity to support a refugee scientist by providing academic counseling, systematic network building and administrative assistance.

More about this project: http://agya.info/adopt-an-academic/
Accommodation

Accommodation offers: Here you will find some of our available flats and rooms in Bielefeld. You can find the whole list in our Facebook group and at the wall in front of our offices

#154 Room furnished, August-Schröder-Str., 33602 Bielefeld, 300€, 18m² room in shared flat, landlady is the flat mate, shared KB, internet included, no pets, smoking allowed, women only

#189 furnished house, Senner Hellweg, 33604 Bielefeld, 1000€, 80m². Until: 31.12.2017, 2 rooms, living room, KB, car space available, garden, pets allowed, suitable for couples, families or shared flats

#259 furnished flat, Am Gottesberg, 33619 Bielefeld, 1000€, 80m². Bedroom, living room, KB, kitchen furnished, suitable for couples, balcony, no pets allowed, no smoking allowed

#237 Flat furnished, Große-Kurfürsten-Str., 33615 Bielefeld, 809€, 48m², Minimum renting period: 3 months. furnished flat, 1 bedroom, KB, furnished kitchen, living room, suitable for singles or couples, shared patio, shared garden, no pets allowed, no smoking allowed

Further Info

14th July 2017

On Friday, 14th July you will have the opportunity to enjoy the Bielefeld Philharmonic Orchestra in collaboration with Thilo Wolf Jazz Trio and FlashArt Fireworks. The event starts at 8.30 pm in the Bürgerpark. Admission is 20 euros. For more information go to: https://www.facebook.com/events/125250354676331/?acontext={%22ref%22%3A%22%24%2C%22%feed_story_type%22%3A%22%20%22%2C%22action_history%22%3A%22null%22}