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International Calls and Information for the Faculty of Human Sciences

Information on support services by the UP – please share this with your students!

As we did in the last newsletter, we would like to draw your attention to useful support services and online resources for students. The general writing advisory service issues a new book tip every month. Here you will find helpful tips on all aspects of academic work.

Furthermore, we would like to draw your attention to the Moodle course for first-semester students at the Faculty of Human Sciences. The course is available in German and English and is supervised by Judith Täger (coordinator for first-year students) and Katharina Kunkel (tutor for international students). Here students can find all the important information about starting their studies and the course of their studies.

Book tip: <https://www.uni-potsdam.de/en/zessko/independent-study/writing-assistance/recommended-reading/buchtipps-2023>

Moodle course: <https://moodle2.uni-potsdam.de/course/view.php?id=34102>

Teaching Mobilities with Erasmus+ and Erasmus+ Staff Mobility for Training

30 June 2023

Promoting the mobility of teachers is a concern of the university as part of the internationalization strategy for the coming years. The Erasmus Annual Report 2014 has once again shown that the University of Potsdam ranks 5th in Germany in terms of teacher mobility. You can be as proud of that as we are! Teacher mobility should include the development of joint study programs of the two partner universities and the exchange of teaching content and methods. Her teaching period must be at least eight lessons per week. You can apply for a teaching position if you have a contractual relationship with the University of Potsdam.

The technical and administrative staff (central and decentralized) can also benefit from the program. The program offers the opportunity to travel to partners to exchange experiences, to attend internships or to gain further education. For continuing education and training purposes, university staff may be employed at a German university to be promoted to a receiving institution participating in the "Erasmus+" program, or to any other institution located in another programming country that is active in the labor market or in education, training or youth. This activity promotes the professional development of higher education staff through training abroad (except for conferences) and through visits to a partner university or equivalent facilities abroad. The minimum length of stay at the receiving institution should not be less than two working days and should not exceed 60 days.

For teachers: <https://www.uni-potsdam.de/en/international/profile/erasmus/sta>

For staff: <https://www.uni-potsdam.de/en/international/profile/erasmus/stt>

New Opportunities for Research Funding Agency Cooperation in Europe

21 September 2023

The Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation) is pleased to pre-announce that NORFACE – New Opportunities for Research Funding Agency Cooperation in Europe – in cooperation with CHANSE – Collaboration of Humanities and Social Sciences in Europe – will open a call for international research projects in the Social Sciences on the topic of "Enhancing well-being for the future". The theme can be approached from a variety of perspectives and disciplines in the social sciences. It enables and encourages multi-disciplinarity and provides opportunities for pan-European research integrating researchers from different regions of Europe, and for comparisons across various contexts.

https://www.dfg.de/foerderung/info_wissenschaft/ausschreibungen/info_wissenschaft_23_35/index.html