

### Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst German Academic Exchange Service



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## Dear reader,

With our first newsletter of 2021, we are very excited to introduce some new and improved event formats.

Learning from past experiences, we want to help more Ghanaians build new networks with Higher Education institutions in Germany. For the first time, DAAD Ghana is organising a virtual <u>matchmaking for PhD candidates and Postdocs</u> from Westafrica to enable them to find the perfect host institutions and PhD supervisors in Germany.

Within the framework of our tried and tested <u>proposal writing workshops</u> for PhD candidates, we are also piloting a <u>workshop on how to write a successful financial project proposal</u>. This workshop will take place in Kumasi and is open for all researchers and Higher Education managers from Ghanaian institutions. We will also work hard to keep up the quality of our consultations and offer information and support to as many potential students and their parents as possible. With the new event <u>"Info Café"</u> everyone interested in studying in Germany is invited to seek our support for their first steps towards a stay in Germany. If you're interested in any of those new events, sign up soon as there are limited slots for participants! And to always stay up to date on all our upcoming events, follow us on our social media – on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u>, or <u>Twitter</u>.

Best regards

Lena Leumer
Director, DAAD Information Centre Accra



### **Upcoming deadlines**

The In-Country/In-Region programme in developing countries aims to contribute to train highly qualified professionals and managerial staff for sustainable development in the partner countries and for the development of top-quality, cosmopolitan universities. Available are postgraduate Masters and PhD programmes.

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#### **Proposal Writing Workshops 2021**

#### **Upcoming events**

The DAAD Ghana has successfully conducted proposal writing workshops for PhD candidates for several year. Due to popular demand, we are expanding the scope of those workshops to include research and cooperation proposals on a larger scale. This year, DAAD Ghana will offer the events in Accra (22nd and 23rd July) and Kumasi (28th to 30th July).

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#### PhD Matchmaking 2021

#### **Bridges to Germany**

This matchmaking event is designed to foster systematic networking for Ghanaian PhD candidates and postdoctoral researchers. Pursue a PhD or postdoc in Germany to enhance your career and your international network at one of the world's leading research destinations.

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#### Falling Walls Lab 2021

## Win the spot to present in Berlin

The Falling Walls Lab is an international forum for the next generation of outstanding innovators and creative thinkers with the aim to promote exceptional ideas and to connect promising scientists and entrepreneurs from all fields on a global level.

The call for application will end on 2nd May, 2021. Apply to present your idea now!

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#### Monthly Info Cafe at Goethe

# Get help with your search for opportunities

The Library and Information Centre of Goethe-Institut Ghana, in collaboration with DAAD Ghana, introduces Info Cafè. This platform is to provide students,



prospective PhD applicants, secondary school leavers & parents answers and guidance on internet portals for higher education in Germany, university rankings, admission requirements, research destinations and others.

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#### **Alumni Spotlight**

#### Meet Ekua Afrakoma Armoo

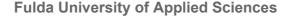
I am currently the Projects Coordinator at the Institute of Industrial Research of the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR-IIR).

My name is Ekua Afrakoma Armoo. I am a former DAAD scholarship holder and I studied MSc Tropical Hydrogeology and Environmental Engineering (TropHEE- one of the EPOS study programmes) at the Technische Universitaat (TU) Darmstadt from October 2015 to October 2017.

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