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CIS Intensive Training Program

FALL COURSE 2015 (September 13 – October 04)

The Center for Iraq Studies (CIS) is organizing an Intensive Course which is open to scientists from all Iraqi Universities, independent of any governmental funding. The aim of this Intensive Course is to support faculty members of Iraqi universities in integrating modern technologies in their teaching and research practices, improving their intercultural communication skills as well as giving them of opportunity to discuss issues of teaching and research with German scientists.

The first part of the Intensive Training Course, from Sept. 14 – 22, includes seminar courses in modern methods of academic teaching, research and competences in intercultural communication.

The second part, from Sept. 23 – 27, offers separate programs according to the specialization of the participants. Participants from Economics, Social Sciences and Humanities will participate in an international conference on '*The Middle East and the Islamic World in the Mirror of Humanities and Social Sciences*'. For Engineers, it offers the participation to an introduction course to '*DASYLab*', a software used for data acquisition in engineering, at the Technical University Bergakademie Freiberg as well as visits of the chairs and laboratories of the Faculty of Engineering of the FAU Erlangen-Nuremberg. The costs of the participation in this two-week Intensive Course amount to 750 Euro.

Subsequent to the two-week intensive course the CIS offers the participation in a cultural program from Sept. 28 – Oct. 4. The participation in this cultural program is optional and can be booked in addition to the course program. The costs of the participation in the cultural program during the third week will amount to 300 Euro.

Program Schedule

First Week / September 13 – 18

September 13, Sunday

All day Arrival of the Trainees

September 14, Monday

10:00-12:00 **Registration**

14:00 **Friedrich-Alexander-University as a leading German university**

Reception and Presentation

Dr. Natalia Jörg, Central Office for International Affairs

15:00 **Presentation of the Center for Iraq Studies (CIS)**

Prof. Dr. Dr. Şefik Alp Bahadır

Venue: Kochstr.4 , 91054 Erlangen, Room 5.054

September 15, Tuesday

Excursion to Pottenstein, Franconian Switzerland

09:00 Departure

10:00 – 12:00 Visit of the “Teufelshöhle”

<http://www.teufelshoehle.de/>

14:30 – 15:30 **Siemens Healthcare - Healthcare Center**

Presentation: Introduction to Siemens Healthcare - Market, Trends, Innovations, Health Care

<http://www.healthcare.siemens.de/>

Venue: Henkestr. 127, 91052 Erlangen, Germany

September 16, Wednesday

10:00 – 15:00 **Workshop on Interactive Teaching Methods**

Dr. Christa Baldioli

Training Center for Academic Teaching of the Universities

Erlangen-Nuremberg, Bamberg and Bayreuth (www.fbzhl.de)

Venue: Kochstr.4 , 91054 Erlangen, Room 5.054

September 17, Thursday

10:00 – 15:00 **Key Competences in Intercultural Communication**

Prof. Dr. Dirk Holtbrügge, Sue Claire Berning, M.A., Dr. Ritam Garg

Department of International Management

School of Business & Economics, FAU <http://www.im.wiso.uni-erlangen.de/>

Venue: Kochstr.4 , 91054 Erlangen, Room 5.054

September 18, Friday

10:00 – 15:00 **Key Competences in Intercultural Communication... - Part 2**

Venue: Kochstr.4 , 91054 Erlangen, Room 5.054

Second Week / September 21 – 27

September 21, Monday

10:00 – 15:00 **How to write a research proposal (Taught course + Tutorial)**
Prof. Dr. Stuart Jenks
 Dept. of History, Faculty of Philosophy and Social Sciences, FAU
Venue: Kochstr.4 , 91054 Erlangen, Room 5.054

September 22, Tuesday

10:00 – 15:00 **How to write a research proposal... Part 2**
Prof. Dr. Stuart Jenks
 Dept. of History, Faculty of Philosophy and Social Sciences, FAU
Venue: Kochstr.4 , 91054 Erlangen, Room 5.054

September 23, Wednesday, to 26, Saturday – separate programs according to the specialization of the participants

Economics and Social Sciences

September 23, Wednesday

Transfer to Bochum

September 24, Thursday

10:00 – 16:00 **22nd International DAVO Congress of Contemporary Research on the Middle East**
Venue: Ruhr University Bochum, Universitätsstr. 150, 44801 Bochum
 (For further information visit: <http://davo-iswidmg2015.de/en/>)

September 25, Friday

10:00 – 16:00 **22nd International DAVO Congress of Contemporary Research on the Middle East**
Venue: Ruhr University Bochum, Universitätsstr. 150, 44801 Bochum

September 26, Saturday

10:00 – 16:00 **22nd International DAVO Congress of Contemporary Research on the Middle East**
Venue: Ruhr University Bochum, Universitätsstr. 150, 44801 Bochum

Engineering

September 23, Wednesday

Visits of Chairs, Laboratories and Testing Plants of the Faculty of Engineering of the FAU according to the demand of the Participants

Electrical Engineering

10:00 – 13:00 **Department of Electrical, Electronic and Communication Engineering**
Chair of Electrical Machines and Drives
 Dr.-Eng. Jens Igney
 Visit of Laboratories, Presentation, Discussion
<http://www.eam.eei.uni-erlangen.de/index.html>

Venue: Cauerstr. 9, 91058 Erlangen, room 2.21

Mechanical Engineering

Department of Mechanical Engineering
Institute for Factory Automation and Production Systems
 10:00 – 12:00 Prof. Dr.-Eng. Jörg Franke, Bassim Shaheen Bachy, M.Sc.
 Visit of Laboratories, Presentation, Discussion
<http://www.faps.de/2/home/index.html>
Venue: Egerlandstr. 7, 91058 Erlangen, room 2.21

Civil Engineering

10:00 – 14:00 **Georg Simon Ohm University of Applied Sciences**
Faculty of Civil Engineering
 Prof. Dr.-Eng. Thomas Freimann, Dean
 Visit of Laboratories, Presentation, Discussion
<http://www.th-nuernberg.eu/home/departments/20/page.html>
Venue: Keßlerplatz 12, 90489 Nuremberg

September 24, Thursday

08:00 ***Train Transfer to the city of Freiberg (Saxony)***

14:00 – 15:00 **Reception by Mechanical Engineering Germany - Iraq (MEGI)**
Technical University Bergakademie Freiberg
Dr.-Ing. Abdulkader Kadauw
www.tu-freiberg.de/index.html <http://tu-freiberg.de/fakult4/megi/>

15:00 – 18:00 **Introductory Course to DASyLab - Data Acquisition System applied in Engineering**
 Technical University Bergakademie Freiberg
 Mechanical Engineering Germany - Iraq (MEGI) 2009 – 2014
Dr.-Ing. Abdulkader Kadauw

September 25, Friday

10:00 – 15:00 **Introductory Course to DASyLab - Data Acquisition System applied in Engineering**
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September 26, Saturday

10:00 – 15:00 **Excursion to Dresden**

Third Week / September 29 – October 04

Cultural Program (optional)

September 28, Monday

10:00 – 12:00 **Excursion to Würzburg**
 Visit of the "Würzburger Residenz"
<http://www.residenz-wuerzburg.de/englisch/residenz/index.htm>

14:00 – 16:00 Boat trip on the river Main

September 29, Tuesday**Excursion to "Zugspitze"**

08:00 Departure in Erlangen
<http://zugspitze.de/en/summer>

September 30, Wednesday**Excursion to Rothenburg ob der Tauber**

14:00 Departure in Erlangen

16:00 – 17:00 Visit of "Weihnachtsmuseum"
<http://www.weihnachtsmuseum.de/>

October 1, Thursday**Excursion to Bamberg**

10:00 – 12:00 Visit of "Bamberger Residenz"
http://www.schloesser.bayern.de/englisch/palace/objects/bam_res.htm

14:00 – 16:00 Boat trip "Hafenrundfahrt"

October 2, Friday**Excursion to Nuremberg**

10:00 – 12:00 Visit of the Memorium "Nuremberg Trials"
<http://www.museums.nuremberg.de/courtroom600/index.html>

14:00 – 16:00 Visit of the "Historische Felsengänge" (Historical Rock-Cut Cellars)
<http://www.museums.nuremberg.de/courtroom600/index.html>

October 4, Sunday

All Day Departure of the Trainees

Costs of the Course

The costs of the participation in the two weeks **Intensive Course 2015** amount to:

No.	Position	Amount
1	Training fees Sept. 13 – 27, 2015	750.00 €
Total Amount		750.00 €

The costs of the participation in the optional cultural program during the third week will amount to:

No.	Position	Amount
2	Cultural Program Sept. 28 - Oct. 4, 2015	300.00 €
Total Amount		1050.00 €

Please note that **hotel and living costs are not included in the training fees** and have to be covered by the participants. The costs for a hotel is estimated to **40-75 € per night per person** for a single room, depending on the standard of the hotel you choose.



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Course Materials**Dropbox for course material:**

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/335zgx29jttj662/FKbKPs7Pqt>

Please scan this QR-code with a QR-Code reader app on your smart phone for a direct link to our dropbox.

