

The DAAD event "German Research Landscape – Opportunities for Researchers from Serbia" will take place on 26–27 October 2026 in Belgrade.



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In addition to DAAD, renowned German research organisations, including Research in Germany, DFG (German Research Foundation), University Alliance Ruhr, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, and KoWi (the EU Liaison Office of the German Research Organisations), will present their programmes during this two-day event. The event will provide valuable information on research opportunities in Germany for PhD students and early-career researchers from Serbia across all academic disciplines.

Participants can look forward to an engaging programme featuring presentations, a World Café, a research fair, and networking opportunities with representatives of the participating institutions.

The aim of the event is to provide an overview of Germany's research funding landscape, prepare PhD candidates and postdoctoral researchers in Serbia for upcoming funding calls, and facilitate direct contact with leading German research organisations.

To participate, applicants should:

- be enrolled as a PhD student or employed as a postdoctoral researcher at a university or research institute in Serbia; and
- have a good command of English.

If you are interested in attending the event, please send your CV in English to info@daad.rs no later than **10 October 2026**.

Don't miss this opportunity to explore what your research career in Germany and across Europe could look like!



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Date: 26./27. October 2026

Venue: European House Belgrade

Agenda: „German Research Landscape – Opportunities for the Researchers in Serbia“

First Day: 26. October, Monday

14:00 – 14:30 Registration/Welcome adress- DAAD Team Belgrad

14:30 – 14:45 Welcome words – German embassy (confirmed)

14:45 – 15:00 Opening: Research exchange with serbian research insitutions (Head of the DAAD IC Belgrade)

15:00 – 15:30 German research landscape (DAAD)

15:30 – 16: 15 German Research Foundation. International Research Funding Opportunities, (Stephanie Laß and Julia Ilina -Kakueva, confirmed)

16:15 – 17:00 University Alliance Ruhr: Presentation about the Alliance, Research topics,
(Elena Resch, Liaison Office EECA/ Studienbrücke , confirmed)

17:00 – 18:00 Mini research fair (Networking)

18:00 The end of the firts day

18:30 Reception at the residence of the German Embassy



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Second Day: 27.October 2026, Tuesday, Hotel Royal Inn / Center of promotion of science

09:30 – 10:30 Who is who (Group discussion: Experiences with the german institutions of higher education, scholarships/grants, subjects)

10:30 – 11:00 Opportunities for the researchers in Serbia: Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, Prof. Dr. Melita Vidakovic, President of the AvH Club Serbia- First Hand Experiences, confirmed

11:00 – 11:30 Research in Germany und DAAD grants for the researchers

11:30-12:00 Coffee break, Networking

12:00 -13:00 Roundtable with University Allianz Ruhr, DFG and Research in Germany

13:00-14:30 Lunch

14:30 – 15:30 MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships & Preparing your MSCA Proposal
(Cristina Condovici, KoWi, **Online**, confirmed)

15:30- 16:00 The DAAD presents the new DAAD- programmes:
KI-Talente nach Heilbronn and PostDocNetAI

16:00 -16:30 Fazit and the the end of venue