Student FIT 4 FAU

Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg

FIT PROJECT

KEY FACTS

Project term:
2024-2028
Number of international students:
8492
Project target group:
international students (BA & MA)
Specialist area focus:
STEM subjects

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Project activities

STUDIES SUPPORT

- German course (career-orientation, German for technicians and natural scientists) as well as integration in the German course teaching hours of the language centre
- Semester courses to accompany studies
- Drafting of a linguistic repertoire suitable for the academic background, which also increases employability in mid-size companies with German as a language of communication
- Establishment of an international student service point
- FAU “Success in your studies” launchpad
- Workshops for improving study skills
- Study coaching and writing workshop
- Explanation video (legal and practical aspects of working life, tips for finding a part-time job)
- Blended learning offerings on intercultural skills
- Student events and networking get-togethers

PREPARATION FOR THE LABOUR MARKET

- Development of a cooperation network with key players in the region
- Development of a regional employer database
- Establishment of an in-person lectures series in English with regional employers who employ graduates with few or no German-language skills.
- Development and support of a LinkedIn network for international students and network partners
- Regular virtual lectures on career-relevant topics
- Counselling services
- Career café
- One-day compact course (acquisition of intercultural and labour market-relevant skills)

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