

# RISE *professional* 2012

## Research Internships in Science and Engineering

### Summer Internship with German Companies - Learning by Working

Students with demonstrated competence in an actual work environment are more marketable at graduation than students without. In addition, scientists and engineers with international experience are increasingly sought after in both business and industry. In order to meet this need, DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) has created unique opportunities for science and engineering students from the United States and Canada interested in gaining serious practical, career-building experience in Germany through our RISE *professional* program. RISE *professional* offers two to six months internships (flexible dates, earliest start: May 15, 2012), primarily in R&D, with a company in Germany.

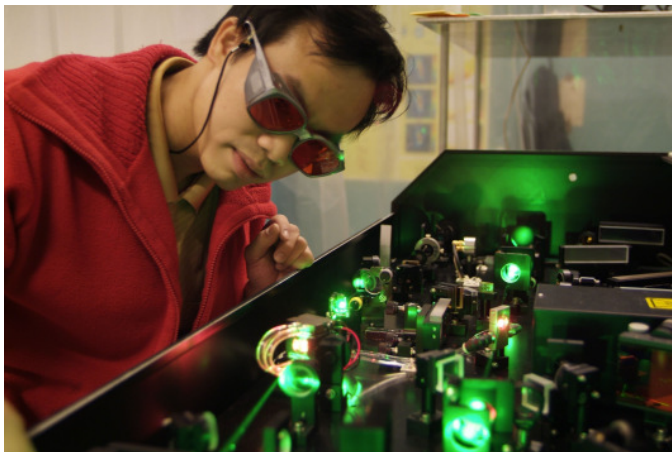
### Award

All participants receive a scholarship, financed by DAAD and their host company, to help cover living expenses. Funding is possible for a period of 6 weeks to 6 months between May 15 and December 31, 2012.

### Who can apply?

Recent graduates\*, Master and PhD students from North American Universities in the fields of **biology, chemistry, engineering, geology and physics** (or a closely related field) are invited to apply. Undergraduates who are RISE alumni or former DAAD scholarship holders are also eligible. German language requirements depend on the nature of the internship.

(\*recent graduates must hold US-American or Canadian citizenship.)



### Application and Deadlines

Online internship database opens on:  
**December 6, 2011**

Application Deadline is:  
**January 31, 2012**

Find more information on our website:  
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