

ANGABEN ZUM KENNENLERNAUFENTHALT / ABOUT YOUR GET-TO-KNOW-STAY

Fakultät / Institut / Faculty / Institute:

Geoinformatics

Anschrift / Address:

Heisenbergstr 2

Zeitraum / Length of stay:

von / from : **22 May 2016**
(TT/MM/JJJJ – dd/mm/yyyy)

bis / until: **4 June 2016**
(TT/MM/JJJJ – dd/mm/yyyy)

Administrative Formalitäten / Administrative formalities

1. Visum / Visa:

a) Welche Art musste beantragt werden? / Which type of visa did you have to apply for?

Tourism

b) Wo haben Sie das Visum beantragt? / Where did you apply for the visa?

The Germany Embassy In Tehran

c) Wann haben Sie das Visum beantragt? / When did you apply for the visa?

April

2. Welche Versicherungen haben Sie abgeschlossen/abschließen müssen und von welchen Versicherungsunternehmen? / What types of insurances did you purchase and from which insurance companies?

Saman Insurance for tourists

3. Welche Impfungen waren nötig? / Which vaccines were necessary?

No vaccines were required

4. Wie haben Sie Geldangelegenheiten vor Ort abgewickelt? (z.B. über Konto vor Ort, Online-Konto, Kreditkarte usw.?) / How did you manage your finances? (e.g., opened a local bank account, online banking, credit card, etc.)

I had not much money with myself and I kept it with myself during this 2-week-stay

Information & Unterstützung / Information & Support

5. Wie erhielten Sie Informationen über Deutschland, die WWU Münster und die Kontaktperson? Waren die Informationen nützlich? / How did you get information about Germany, WWU Münster and contact person? Was the information useful?

<i>Informationsquelle / Information source</i>	<i>persönlicher Nutzen / useful</i>	
	<i>ja / yes</i>	<i>nein / no</i>
WWU Münster	☐	☐
Heimatinrichtung / Home institution	☐	☐
Andere StudentInnen / Other students	☐	☐
Internet	☐	☐
Sonstiges (bitte genaue Bezeichnung eingeben) / Other (please specify) By searching for specific field of study and finding the professor who is expert in this study then I had mad contact with the professor and she told me about the WWU	☐	☒

6. Erhielten Sie angemessene Unterstützung durch die WWU Münster vor und während Ihres Aufenthaltes? / Did you receive adequate support from WWU Münster before and during your research stay?

(1 = sehr schlecht/poor; 5 = sehr gut/excellent)

1	2	3	4	5
☐	☐	☐	☐	☒

Beschreiben Sie bitte näher. / Please describe further.

There was more than enough information given to the applicant I think. The girls in graduate department were so nice with us. They help and support us with our different questions and problems during our stay.

7. Welche Vorbereitung auf das Zielland (bspw. Information zu Geschichte, Staatsform, Kultur, Verhalten, Religion etc.) wären hilfreich gewesen? / Which information or preparations in terms of the host country (e.g., history, language, culture, customs) would have been helpful?

The information about culture, for me, as an Iranian girl with a different culture there is a gulf of different between my culture and German's. We are like peach, easy to become friendly with others, while Germany people are like coconut, hard to get in touch with! However all the people I had met during my stay were so so nice.

8. Welche Vorbereitung hinsichtlich der WWU Münster (bspw. Hochschulstrukturen, akademische Gepflogenheiten etc.) wären hilfreich gewesen? / Which information or preparations in terms of WWU Münster (e.g., university structure, academic customs) would have been helpful?

I think the information about the library and the process use the library buliding was much helpful

9. Wie kann das Projekt IP@WWU Ihrer Meinung nach verbessert werden (z.B. Information, Bewerbungsverfahren)? / How could the IP@WWU project be improved (e.g., information, application procedures)?

If they provide applicant with the information about funding subjects and the also the process of applying for differetn financial resource. IP@WWU project gave us a financial support to get familiar with the university and projects, there is undoubtedly everything okay with the university and everyone likes to pursue study there. However, one the important aspect of study, financial aspect, is still unclear for most of the applicant!

10. Wie beurteilen Sie den Integrationsgrad mit den Studierenden und Mitarbeitern der WWU Münster? / How do you consider your degree of integration with WWU Münster's students and staff?

(1 = sehr schlecht/poor; 5 = sehr gut/excellent)				
1	2	3	4	5
☐	☐	☐	☒	☐

Beschreiben Sie bitte näher. / Please describe further.

Professor Schwering is so nice, she had planned for me a nice schedule to get in touch with her team, PhD and Post doc students. That was amazing talking with some expert student in the field that one likes!

Unterkunft & Forschungsinfrastruktur / Accommodation & research infrastructure

11. Art der Unterbringung in Münster / Type of accommodation in Münster

- ☐ durch die Universität (Studentenwohnheim o. Ä.) / university accommodation (e. g., student halls of residence)
- ☐ private Unterkunft (z.B. mit einer Familie)/ private housing (e. g. family)
- ☐ WG / shared apartment
- ☐ Sonstiges (bitte genaue Bezeichnung eingeben) / other (please specify)

none

12. Wie haben Sie die Unterkunft gefunden? / How did you find the accommodation?

- ☐ WWU Münster
- ☐ Freunde, Familie / Friends, family
- ☐ Privatmarkt / Private market
- ☐ Internet
- ☐ Sonstiges (bitte genaue Bezeichnung eingeben) / other (please specify)

none

13. Wie zufrieden waren Sie mit Ihrer Unterkunft?
How satisfied were you with your accommodation?

(1 = sehr unzufrieden/very dissatisfied; 5 = sehr zufrieden/very satisfied)				
1	2	3	4	5
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Beschreiben Sie bitte näher. / Please describe further.

none

14. Wie zufrieden waren Sie mit der Infrastruktur der WWU Münster / How satisfied were you with WWU Münster's infrastructure:

	(1 = sehr unzufrieden/very dissatisfied; 5 = sehr zufrieden/very satisfied)				
	1	2	3	4	5
Zugang zum Arbeitsplatz (PC, Internet) / Access to working space (PC, Internet)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Zugang zu den Bibliotheken / Access to libraries	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Sonstiges (bitte genaue Bezeichnung eingeben) / Other (please specify)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Beschreiben Sie bitte näher. / Please describe further.

I have no idea because I am not still a student there

Akademische Qualität / Academic quality

15. Wie beurteilen Sie die Qualität der Betreuung durch Ihren Gastgeber-Dozenten? How do you rate the quality of your host supervisor's support?

(1 = sehr schlecht/poor; 5 = sehr gut/excellent)

	1	2	3	4	5
Zugänglichkeit zu dem/der BetreuerIn / Supervisor's accessibility	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒
Engagement des Betreuers/der Betreuerin / Supervisor's engagement	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒
Beratungsgespräche mit dem/der Betreuer/in / Consultations with the supervisor	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐
Sonstiges (bitte genaue Bezeichnung eingeben) / Other (please specify)	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐

Beschreiben Sie bitte näher. / Please describe further.

Professor Schwering is very expert and nice. She helped me how to revise my research proposal. She leaned me how to improve the idea in the proposal!

16. Wie beurteilen Sie die Qualität ... / How do you rate the quality of...

(1 = sehr schlecht/poor; 5 = sehr gut/excellent)

	1	2	3	4	5
Ihrer Forschungsarbeiten?/research activities you took?	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐
des an der Gasteinrichtung zur Verfügung stehenden Forschungsmaterials?/study material you obtained at your host institution?	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐

Beschreiben Sie bitte näher. / Please describe further.

the geoinformation department of WWU is great! I saw different project and talked with different students!

17. Wie unterscheiden sich die Forschungsstruktur und -kultur an der WWU Münster von denen an Ihrer Heimatuniversität (bzw. in Deutschland von denen in Ihrem Heimatland)? / How do research structure and research culture at WWU Münster differ from those at your home university (or in Germany from your home country in general)?

In Iran students have to do a hard proposal with nothing! there is no expert technologies for education because of the terrible sanctions!! However, in Germany, students have everything they need to work on their proposal!

Kosten / Expenses

18. Wie hoch waren die wöchentlichen Lebenshaltungskosten während Ihres Auslandsaufenthalts? / What were average weekly costs during your stay abroad?

	€
Unterkunft / accommodation	140
Lebensmittel / food	150
öffentliche Verkehrsmittel / Transportation	-

<i>Gesamtsumme per Woche / Total per week</i>	

19. Wurden Ihre Kosten durch das Kennenlernstipendium gedeckt? / Did the get-to-know stipend cover your costs?

☒ Ja / yes
 ☐ Nein, per Woche habe ich zusätzlich _____ € ausgegeben.
 No, I spent additionally _____ € per week.

20. Lagen Ihre wöchentlichen Ausgaben in Münster höher als in Ihrem Heimatland? / Did you spend more in Münster compared to what you normally spend in your home country per week?

☐ Nein / no
 ☒ Ja / yes, _____ 100 ____ €.

21. Mussten Sie irgendeine Art von Gebühren an der WWU Münster entrichten? / Did you have to pay any kind of fees at WWU Münster?

☒ Nein / no
 ☐ Ja / yes, _____ € für / for _____

(bitte genaue Bezeichnung eingeben / please specify)

Persönliche Erfahrungen / Your personal experience

22. Welche spezifischen Ziele hatte Ihr Kennenlernaufenthalt? Haben Sie sie erreicht? / Which specific objectives did you have for your get-to-know stay and did you achieve them?

(1 = überhaupt nicht erreicht/not at all;
5 = voll erreicht/fully)

Ziele / Aims:	1	2	3	4	5
to find out how to make connection with my professor	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐
to find out how to find financial resourc for my proposal	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐
to find out how to write a good proposal	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐
how to stay in Munster	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒
what the german academic process would look like	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐

23. Wie würden Sie Ihren Kennenlernaufenthalt insgesamt einschätzen? / How would you evaluate your get-to-know stay in general?

That was more than great! however I am still searching for financial resource.

24. Bitte beschreiben Sie Ihre beste Erfahrung / Please describe your best experience.

Making different friend from different countries!
staying with Gabriella and Jessica in one room for two week !

25. Bitte beschreiben Sie Ihre schlechteste Erfahrung / Please describe your worst experience.

none

26. Halten Sie die Dauer Ihres Kennenlernaufenthaltes für / Do you consider your get-to-know stay to have been...

- ☐ zu kurz / too short
☐ zu lang / too long
☒ genau richtig / just right

Falls zu kurz oder zu lang, welche Dauer hätten Sie sich gewünscht? / If too short or too long: which length would have been ideal?

Beschreiben Sie bitte näher. / Please describe further.

27. Welche Tipps können Sie nachfolgenden Studierenden, die ebenfalls einen Aufenthalt an der WWU planen, zu dieser Einrichtung, dieser Stadt, diesem Land etc. geben (Geheimtipps, lohnenswerte Aktivitäten, wichtige Ratschläge)? / Could you please give other students planning a stay at WWU Münster some tips about this institution, city or country (insider info, useful activities, valuable advice)?

They should go to different departments rather than their specific department to talk with different expert student about their projects. This would give them a well planned idea to improve their proposal! I think we have been stuck with our specific field of studies then we need to make it up with other field of studies in order to bombard our research plan with new ideas!