

INTERCULTURAL PARTNERSHIPS AND VOLUNTEER MANAGEMENT

23th November to 5th December 2023
13.30pm - 15.00pm CET

ABOUT

Are you an EPOS student or graduate looking to develop your intercultural project management skills while effectively engaging with local communities or volunteers?

Join our transformative seminar series led by experts in the field!

Discover the importance of intercultural sensitivity, learn best practices, navigate potential barriers and explore ethical decision-making in research and development projects. Gain insights from experienced guests and engage in discussions on volunteer management.

WHO CAN APPLY?

- DAAD students and graduates
- Students of development programmes in Germany.
- Relevant applicants from the Global South.

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CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: 29. OCTOBER 2023

CONCEPT

The course is divided into online sessions via **Zoom** and self-study material including an e-learning platform. During the online sessions, interactions between participants and experts aim to introduce the topic and discuss the content. In addition, participants will have the opportunity to **apply the concepts** learned directly to their own projects. A separate networking session will provide space for further exchange.

BY THE END OF THE TRAINING YOU WILL

- Develop a **heightened intercultural sensitivity** to effectively manage projects across diverse cultural backgrounds.
- Acquire **practical skills and best practices in project management**, enabling you to overcome common barriers.
- Engage in **ethical decision-making** within the context of research and development projects.
- Gain **insights from experienced industry professionals** and alumni, broadening your perspective.
- Learn the **nuances of volunteer management**, including its advantages, disadvantages, and practical implementation.

Participants are expected to commit to the entire duration of the course and participate in the planned online sessions.



PROGRAM ONLINE LIVE SESSIONS

WEEK 1

23 NOVEMBER
13:30 - 15:00 (CEST)

OPENING SESSION - PARTNERSHIPS ACROSS CULTURES AND BACKGROUNDS - RELEVANCE AND PRACTICAL IMPLICATIONS

KATHRIN DAVID

24 NOVEMBER
13:30 - 15:00 (CEST)

NETWORKING SESSION (VOLUNTARY)

KAJO STELTER

WEEK 2

28 NOVEMBER
13:30 - 15:00 (CEST)

PROJECT MANAGEMENT BEST PRACTICES & BARRIERS

DAAD ALUMNI PROJECT MANAGERS

30 NOVEMBER
13:30 - 15:00 (CEST)

LIMITS OF INTERCULTURAL UNDERSTANDING AND MORAL DILEMMAS

DR. MARIANA VIDAL

WEEK 3

05 DECEMBER
13:30 - 15:00 (CEST)

VOLUNTEER MANAGEMENT - ADVANTAGES, DISADVANTAGES AND HOW TO DO IT RIGHT

SHYAM LAMA, UMBRELLA ORG. NEPAL