

Thuringia Works – MACS Special

For several semesters, Schmalkalden University of Applied Sciences (SUAS) has been running a successful Master programme in the area of innovative technology: M.Sc. Applied Computer Science (MACS) at the Faculty of Computer Science. MACS students regularly look for internship or master thesis opportunities at German companies. However, students are often not familiar with the concept of company cooperation, strategies on finding a suitable company, application modalities in Germany, and legal prerequisites. Therefore, the Faculty of Computer Science, the Department for Studies and International Relations and the Career Service at SUAS have decided to provide MACS students with some intensive training that introduces the concept and purpose of internships and that (though it might not grant them a contract in the twinkling of an eye) coaches them on how to search and find the perfect internship or graduation project by themselves. The programme is planned as follows:

I. Thuringia Works MACS Introduction

November 17th, 16:00–18:30, H0002

- 16:00–16:10: Introduction and Welcome Address
Lara Albert, International Office
- 16:10–16:40: Keynote: Project-Based Activities within MACS – Experiences
Joanna Izdebski, TGF Schmalkalden/Dermbach GmbH
- 16:40–18:30 Dealing with Uncertainty in Career Contexts in Germany
Kevin Rausch M.A., International Office

II. Thuringia Works MACS Special

November 20th, 10:00–16:00, online

Register here: https://gstoo.de/MACS_Special

- 10:00–10:10 Welcome by the Presidency
Prof. Dr. Uwe Hettler, Vice-president for studies and international relations
- 10:10–11:40 Find a Job in Germany I – Job search
Ms Heidi Störr, Push Your Career Dresden
- 11:35–13:00 Break and Room for Questions
- 13:00–16:00 Find a Job in Germany II - Application documents
Ms Heidi Störr, Push Your Career Dresden

III. Thuringia Works MACS Wrap-up and Application Check

November 26th, 15:30–19:15, online

- 15:30–17:00 Individual Application Check – Group I
Ms Heidi Störr, Push Your Career Dresden
Register here: https://gstoo.de/MACS_Group_1
- 17:00–18:30 Understanding job advertisements correctly und assessing opportunities
Ms Heidi Störr, Push Your Career Dresden
Register here: https://gstoo.de/MACS_both_groups

18:30–19:15 Individual Application Check – Group II
Ms Heidi Störr, Push Your Career Dresden
Register here: https://gstoo.de/MACS_Group_2

IV. Employer Forum
December 8th, 14:00–16:00, H Building

14:00–14:10 Introduction and Welcome Address
Lara Albert, Department 1; Dominik Stempel, Career Service

14:10–14:30 What options does your degree offer you in Thuringia?
ITNet Thürigen, Group 1

Working conditions and opportunities in innovative companies
CATL, Group 2

Working Conditions and Opportunities in traditional companies
Adva, Group 3

14:35–15:05 What options does your degree offer you in Thuringia?
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15:40–16:00: Get together