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DAAD Prize 2019 for Extraordinarily Committed International Students and DAAD Grant for Extraordinarily Committed International Doctoral Researchers

Dear Colleagues, Ladies and Gentlemen.

Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT) is in the position to grant two prizes for extraordinarily committed international students and doctoral researchers this year.

The *Prize of the German Academic Exchange Service for International Students* (DAAD Prize) is endowed with EUR 1000 and awarded every year.

For the first time, KIT invites proposals for the *Grant for Extraordinarily Committed International Doctoral Researchers* within DAAD STIBET. This DAAD grant in the amount of EUR 1200 is also awarded every year.

The DAAD Prize addresses students who reached excellent academic performance and, in addition, showed outstanding commitment in the international context at KIT.

The DAAD Grant is awarded to doctoral researchers for their excellent academic achievement and outstanding international commitment at KIT.

The prize ceremony will take place within the framework of the International Days on October 09, 2019.

Nomination Criteria:

You are invited to nominate international students and doctoral researchers of KIT (so-called "Bildungsausländerinnen und -ausländer" = foreign students). The nominees should have reached excellent academic performance and have shown outstanding social commitment in the international context at KIT. The prize winner and grant holder will be invited to come to the prize ceremony on October 9 and to personally accept the DAAD Prize for Extraordinarily Committed International Students and the Grant for Extraordinarily Committed Doctoral Researchers, respectively.

DAAD scholarship holders and foreigners with a German education will be excluded from the selection procedure. The grant is no research prize and, hence, not intended to be given in appreciation of a doctoral thesis.

Nomination Procedure:

Employees of Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, of the Studierendenwerk Karlsruhe, or heads of university groups of KIT are invited to propose international students and international doctoral researchers for the DAAD Prize and the DAAD Grant, respectively.

Please attach the following documents in German or English:

- A KIT member's opinion on the academic qualification of the nominee.
- A non-academic opinion highlighting the social commitment of the nominee.
- A detailed CV of the nominee.
- Enrolment at KIT/certificate of the doctorate at KIT.

Kindly mail the nomination, together with the above documents, to

DAAD Prize 2019 for Extraordinarily Committed International Students: jan.straube@kit.edu. DAAD Grant for Extraordinarily Committed International Doctoral Researchers: oliver.kaas@kit.edu.

The nomination deadline is September 15, 2019.

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Yours sincerely,

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