

# Start your career in the Karlsruhe TechnologyRegion

## Insights and practical guidance for international graduates

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# Services for international graduates

- KIT's services support you in following your individual career path
  - Finding and getting a job:  
**KIT Company & Career Service**
  - Planning research stays at KIT and abroad:  
**International Scholars and Welcome Office (IScO)**
  - Finding research internships at KIT and abroad:  
**International Students Office (IStO) – International MINTernship Programme**
  - Doing your doctorate at KIT:  
**Karlsruhe House of Young Scientists**

# KIT Company & Career Service

## Offerings to students & doctoral students

RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT | COMPANY & CAREER SERVICE



# KIT Company & Career Service

## ■ Events focusing on job applications

- Trainings for job applications  
e.g. application training, assessment center training, interview training, salary negotiations
- Career & application checkup
- Professional application photo shooting on campus

## ■ Networking with Companies



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International Affairs

# KIT Company & Career Service

## ■ Find a job online

### ■ KIT JobPortal

- Jobs, internships & working student jobs
- More than 1.800 companies & research institutions

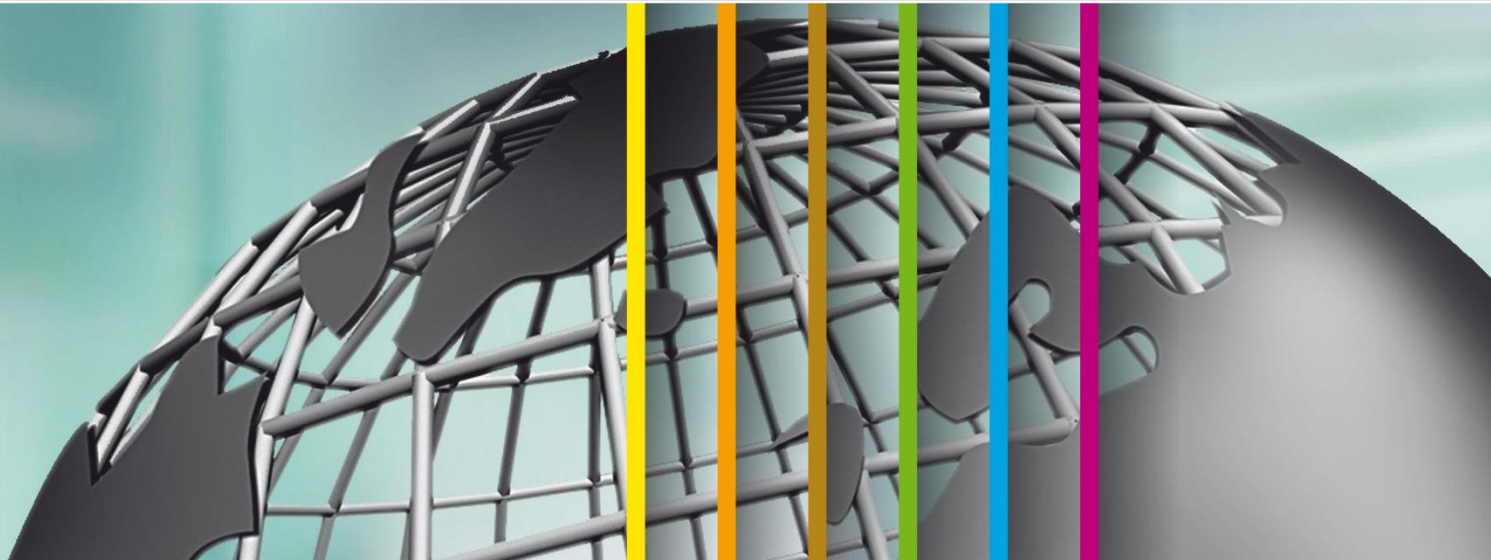
## ■ Look up our services on your phone

### ■ Career Service App



# International Affairs (INTL)

KIT-International Affairs – DE Internationales



# International Scholars & Welcome Office (IScO)





# IScO at a glance

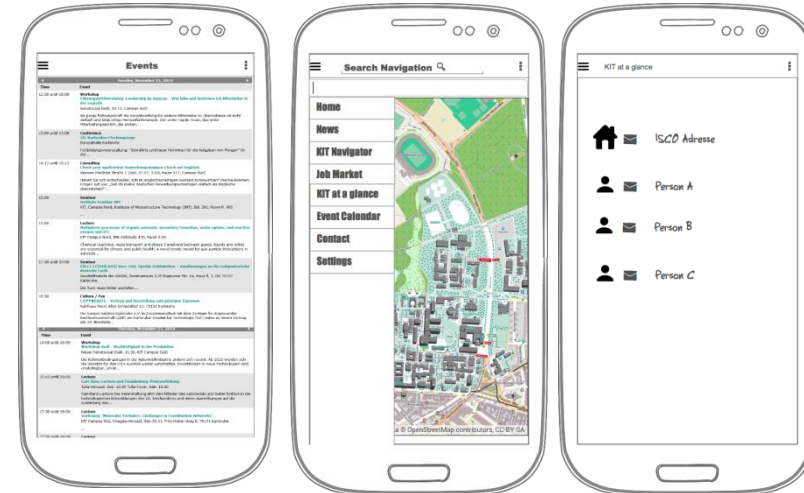
## Consultation for internationally mobile scholars

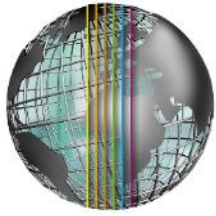
- Advice on research stays at KIT and abroad
  - Financing possibilities & mobility programs
  
- Assistance to incoming international scientists
  - Welcome Services
  - Support of hosts
  
- International Campus Life - Events
  
- Annual **Humboldt-Tag** at KIT
- Research Alumni Initiative



# KIT\_Research-Alumni Initiative

- Research-Alumni KIT App
- Re-Invitation grants to launch future cooperations
- Research –Alumni Network
- Research-Alumni Seminar **Innovation @ KIT** March 17-18 2015 - **apply now!**





# International Students Office (IStO)

## International MINTernship-Programme:

- International Internship-Exchange between KIT and strategic international partners
- Examples of the partnership within this cooperation between KIT Energy Center and
  1. Energy Production & Infrastructure Center (EPIC) at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte (UNCC)
  2. University of Waterloo
  3. Queensland University of Technology
- Incoming & outgoing:  
Research internships at KIT and at strategic partners or internships at companies in Baden-Württemberg or abroad



# Karlsruhe House of Young Scientists (KHYS)

Support. Funding. Networking.

Karlsruhe House of Young Scientists (KHYS)



# Comprehensive promotion of young scientists at KIT

Qualifying period  
for professorship



Young Investigator  
Network (YIN)

PhD period and  
postdocs



Karlsruhe House of  
Young Scientists (KHYS)

During the course  
of studies



House of Competence  
(HoC)

## Information and advice

- Doing a doctorate at KIT
- Funding
- Handling of external funding & awards
- KHYS network

## Support and promotion

### Internationalization & networking

- Research Travel Grant
- Networking Grant
- Internationalization Program

### Further education & career service

- Interdiscipl. further education
- KHYS Foyergespräche
- KIT PhD Days

### Proactive behavior and self reliance

- KIT PhD Symposium

## Quality management

- Doctoral researcher survey
- Registration of doctoral researchers
- PhD quality standards
- Support and networking for doctoral programs
- Best practices
- Standards for supervision
- Improvement of administrative processes for doctoral researchers

