

## Bhutanese-German Academic Exchange

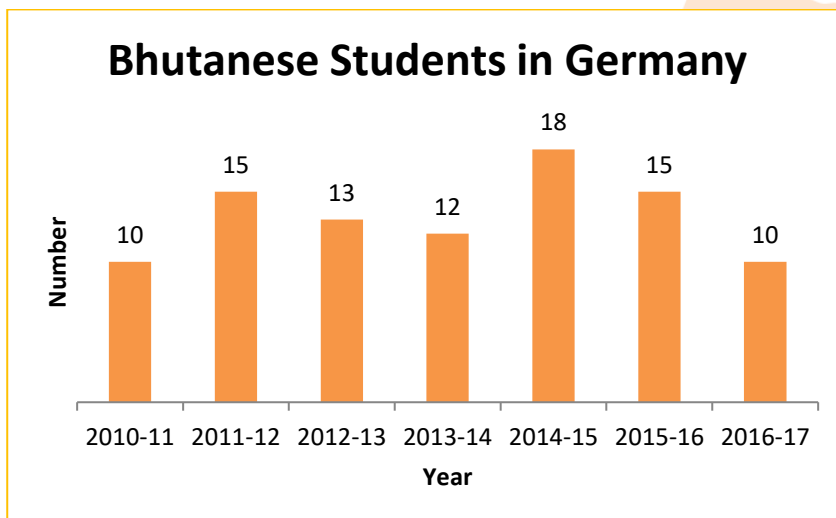
Germany and Bhutan have a long standing tradition of bilateral cooperation. DAAD Regional office in New Delhi has been promoting Bhutanese-German academic collaboration. DAAD provides information about higher education and research in Germany. It administers a large variety of scholarships for outstanding scholars, post-docs, faculty and senior researchers from both India and Germany. It also offers a wide range of institutional and cooperation based funding programmes.

### International students in Germany\*

Year	Total Students	International Students	% International Students
2010-11	2 217 604	252 032	11.40%
2011-12	2 380 974	265 292	11.10%
2012-13	2 499 409	282 201	11.30%
2013-14	2 613 168	300 909	11.50%
2014-15	2 698 910	321 569	11.91%
2015-16	2 757 799	340 305	12.34%
2016-17	2 807 010	358 895	12.78%

- Germany is the **third most popular country for international students\*\***
- International students constitute 12.78%** of the total number of students in Germany\*

### Bhutanese Students in Germany\*



\*Studentenstatistik Statistisches Bundesamt; Berechnungen DZHW/www.wissenschaft-weltoffen.de

\*\*QS 2017

## ... their preferred subjects

Subject Field	Students	%
Engineering Sciences	3	30%
Law, Economics and Social Sciences	1	10%
Human Medicine	1	10%
Humanities	2	20%
Agriculture, Forestry, Food Sciences and Veterinary Medicine	1	10%
Mathematics and Natural Sciences	2	20%
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100%</b>

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## DAAD Strategy 2020

- **Scholarships for the best**  
Providing scholarships remains the DAAD's "core business"
- **Structures for internationalisation**  
Creating and maintaining the structures that make academic exchange and mobility possible
- **Expertise for academic collaborations**  
Providing information and advisory services to institutions of higher education and other academic exchange stakeholders, both in Germany and abroad

## DAAD Scholarships and Funding Schemes

- **Scholarships for individuals**
  - Students
  - Research scholars
  - Academicians and scientists
  - Alumni
- **Project & cooperation based programmes**
  - Higher education institutions
  - Research institutions

## DAAD University-Business-Partnership in Bhutan

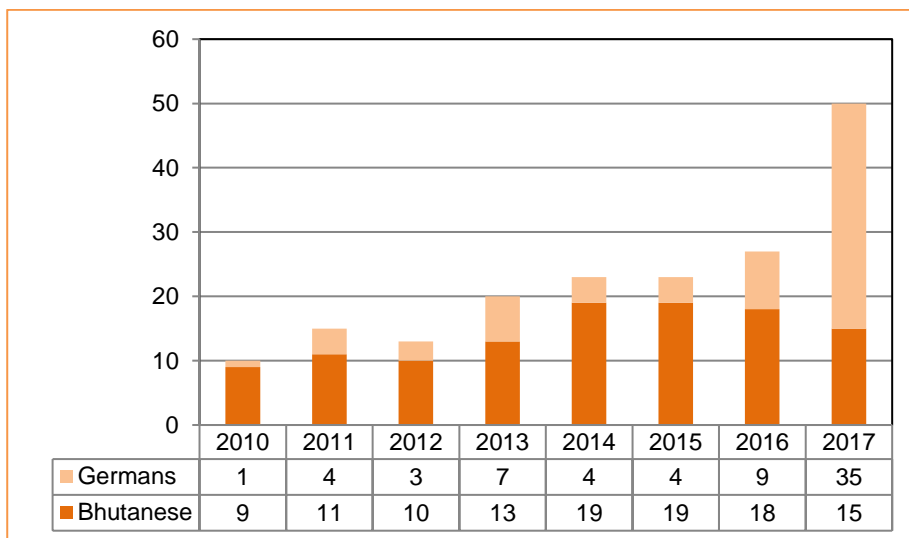
The programme aims at enabling long term academic training to meet future demands for skilled experts.

### Analysis and Modelling of Bhutan's Hydropower Plants for Investigations by dynamic simulation

(DAAD Support from 2013 onwards)

- **Aim:** Transfer of know-how and the support of developing subject specific knowledge and technical skills in higher education and industry.
- **German University:** Institute for Electrical Power Engineering, University of Rostock
- **Bhutanese University:** College of Science and Technology (CST), Royal University of Bhutan
- **Bhutanese Business:** Druk Green Power Corporation (DGPC) and Bhutan Power Corporation (BPC)

## DAAD Exchange Statistics (2010 – 2017)



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