

PROGRAM FOR PARTICIPANTS

IN ROOM D-109 (LECTURE HALL GERD ROSE)
UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

THEME » CROSSING CULTURES – ENHANCING INTERCULTURAL COMPETENCE FOR GLOBAL MOBILITY

MONDAY, MAY 12TH

14:00	Arrival and registration
14:30 – 15:15	Welcome and introduction · Presentation of DHBW and the International Office · Introduction of participants and universities
15:30 – 16:00	Presentation of the Regional Economic Development Agency (WiFöG) and the Welcome Center (Henriette Stanley and Michela Crispo)
16:00 – 17:00	Presentation about Intercultural Competences and statistics from the Erasmus program (International Office) -or- Kick-off training for guest lecturers IN INTERNATIONAL OFFICE BUILDING (Nathan Keeves + Dr. Stephanie Ashford, DHBW Villingen-Schwenningen)
17:00	Campus tour and group photo
17:30	Get-together and refreshments

TUESDAY, MAY 13TH

9:00 – 10:00	Dual Study Concept at DHBW (International Office)
10:00 – 11:00	Intercultural Competences Kick-off (Prof. Clive Flynn)
11:00 – 12:00	Discover Germany interactive quiz and discussion (International Office)
12:00 – 14:00	Lunch break university cafeteria, International Office or city center
14:00 – 16:30	Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Does international mobility increase students' intercultural competences? What are the effects and outcomes of study abroad semesters? How can we evaluate intercultural competences? Exchange of ideas and experiences of participants.• Intercultural Certificate and Intercultural Training Programs at DHBW (Charles Caster, DHBW Central International Office)• Intercultural Workshop for students at DHBW – Presentation and Experiences (Dr. Stephanie Ashford, DHBW Villingen-Schwenningen)
17:00	(optional) Train to Villingen, guided tour of the medieval city center, dinner in a restaurant in Villingen (at own expense) MEET AT TRAIN STATION

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14TH

8:00 – 12:00	Company Visit at Duravit AG , Corporate Partner of DHBW <ul style="list-style-type: none">• How significant are intercultural competences in professional life and society? How can dual partner companies strengthen intercultural competences? (HRM, Duravit AG) MEET AT INTERNATIONAL OFFICE BUILDING
12:00 – 18:00	Excursion Tour by bus to the Black Forest
18:00	Group Dinner by invitation of the International Office

THURSDAY, MAY 15TH

9:00 – 12:00	Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none">• How can the International Office better serve diverse target groups?• Let's reflect on our own intercultural competences – how do we deal with challenging situations?• Opportunities of virtual exchange: BLIC Blended Learning International Cooperation (A. Brusis, Prof. J. Bleicher, DHBW Villingen-Schwenningen) Virtual Mobility within Erasmus+ (Dr. Emil Velinov, Newton University, Czech Republic)
12:00 – 14:00	Lunch break university cafeteria, International Office building or city center
13:00 – 14:00	(optional) Exhibition »Le Sel Noir«, guided tour (Municipal Gallery Villingen-Schwenningen)
14:00 – 16:00	Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none">• How can we strengthen students' intercultural skills and better prepare them for international experiences during their studies and careers? Inputs: Michelle Rodriguez Raupach, Valencia College, USA Andrea Rutherford, Humber Polytechnic, Canada
18:00	(optional) Walk through nature reserve and moorland »Schwenninger Moos« MEET AT INTERNATIONAL OFFICE BUILDING Dinner in Schwenningen (at own expense)

FRIDAY, MAY 16TH

10:00 – 11:30	Feedback & Closing Event IN INTERNATIONAL OFFICE BUILDING Future cooperation and projects Networking café with all participants and the DHBW staff
11:30	Wrap up and awarding of Certificates
13:00	End of International Week and individual departures

Catering: Coffee, tea and refreshments during the breaks in the lecture hall Gert Rose, building D.
Snacks and drinks during the lunch break are available in the International Office building.
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