



Consulate General
of the Federal Republic of Germany
Chennai

Questions for visa applicants who intend to visit Germany for PhD studies or for research

(Life Science, including biotechnology, biochemistry, chemistry, physics, including nuclear physics, information- and communication technology, electrical engineering, aeronautics and space engineering, mechanical engineering, material engineering, process engineering)

1. For how long do you intend to stay in Germany to do your research?

2. Did you receive a visa for research in Germany or another EU state before?

3. Who is financing your stay?

4. At which German institution do you intend to research?

5. Who is your reference person (name, address, phone number, Email) and would provide detailed information on your research work?

6. Which qualifications do you have?

7. Have you already published a scientific paper or work? (Subject of PhD/habilitation?) Please specify.

8. For which (scientific) institution are you working in your native country?

9. Which position do you hold? What is your main working area at this institution?

10. Has this institution already sent scientists to Germany, especially the institution you are going to?
Please specify.

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11. For which (scientific) institution in your native country/or other countries have you worked in the *past five years*? Please specify time frame (from... to...) and department of the (scientific) institution (e.g. Academy of science is not sufficient). Please give name of the institution in the mother tongue and in English.

(Scientific) Institution	From	To	Department

12. Of which practical use can the result of the intended research in Germany be?

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13. Are you planning to publish the results of your research?

14. What is the exact task of the planned research work (please describe precisely, if not already done in your invitation)?

Place and Date

Applicant's Signature