Intercultural Workshop – “Typically German?” A cultural survival guide to living and studying in Germany

Date: Thursday, November 18, 2021, 15.00 – 19.15

Content:

When moving to a new country, you'll find yourself in a new environment where not only places and language are different to home. Very often people behave a bit differently as well. You might find yourself surprised by people’s actions and reactions, irritated or even annoyed. Adapting to a new culture can be quite a challenge.

This intercultural workshop is designed to help foreign students to better understand and cope with German culture and new experiences. You will find out, why Germans sometimes act “weird”. And you will have the opportunity to share your experiences with other students.

Agenda:

✔ Getting to know each other
✔ Input: "Typically German" – What are common cultural intentions behind actions and how can I react?
✔ Discussion in small groups: Participants exchange and analyse their experiences in Germany and develop of new strategies for successful intercultural interactions

Lecturer: Psychologist Diana Hetzenecker (IKO - Institut für Kooperationsmanagement)

Number of participants: max. 20

Target group: international degree-seeking students

Venue: on campus (according to 2G-rule)

Notice:

The workshop will be held in English.

Please note, that you can only participate in the workshop, if you have been vaccinated or have recovered from a COVID-19 infection (2G-rule). You have to provide proof accordingly.