WELCOME

TUM: Junge Akademie @Fit4TUM

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Technical University of Munich / Zoom

Our partners:
AGENDA

Information Event #class2023

- WHO WE ARE
- CALL FOR PROJECTS
- INSIGHTS
- APPLICATION PROCESS
- Q & A
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
for exceptionally talented and dedicated students, inviting to join also those of TUMJA's partner universities.

PASSION FOR SCIENCE
Working on the scientific projects is the core element in the scholarship program of TUMJA.

VIBRANT NETWORK
of alumni of the academy, members of both the active professors and the TUM Emeriti of Excellence as well as young researchers.
WHO WE ARE

TUMJA @ A CLOSER LOOK: STRUCTURE

Networking

Interdisciplinary exchange with fellow students

Supervisors & Mentors
Professors and Emeriti of Excellence

External partners

Workshops and events

Taskforces

Personal Development

Project phase
WHO WE ARE
TUMJA @ A CLOSER LOOK: EXPECTATIONS

YOU CAN EXPECT...

- Trainings, workshops, cultural events
- Close contact to university staff
- Support (financial + non-financial) for realizing your ideas
- Meeting unique personalities from other study programs and work with them in a team
- Mentoring with alumni of the program

WE EXPECT...

- Commitment to the project of your choice
- Work in a taskforce to shape the future of TUMJA
- Participation in events and workshops
- Challenge yourself, both personally and professionally
WHO WE ARE
TUMJA @ A CLOSER LOOK: TASKFORCES

- Networking and experiences through events
- Organize the final TUMJA event
- Manage cooperation with other universities (e.g. summer schools)
- Foster internal knowledge transfer across years and projects
- Build and maintain partnerships with companies and sponsors
- Offer a mentoring program between scholarships holders and alumni
- Organize admission and selection of new members
- Represent admission and selection of new members
- Contacts, Alliances, Partnerships
- Symposium
- International Cooperation
- Recruiting
- XP Transfer
- Marketing
- Events
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TUMJA @ A CLOSER LOOK: BENEFITS FROM NETWORKING

Choosing a topic for your thesis

Letters of recommendation

Internships, working student positions

Getting feedback from experienced professionals

Discussing and communicating with experts

Knowing people who had to make decisions you are currently facing
„Less is more?
Empowering individuals to focus on the essentials“

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"Less is More? empowering individuals to focus on the essentials"

- “Less” means questioning, "decluttering" supposed "musts“, 
- reflecting ... what seams to be really "set" and "carved in stone“, by whom and why?
- ... which paradigms steer us and possibly have become superfluous, respectively need to be revised?
- ... how do we have to rethink behavior, wealth and well-being?
- ...what are the concepts that ensure security, sustainability, individuality, mutual respect and livelihods?
- ...

Call for Projects
Example project - Proactivation

“We try to examine the link between procrastination and its impact on the mental health of students. We decided to create an online course in order to help students reduce their struggle with procrastination.”

“Currently we are building the course platform and started the production of our educational videos…”
INSIGHTS – EVENTS & WORKSHOPS
Impressions from 2022

- EuroTeQaThon
- TUM Campus Lauf
- Science Hack
- Museum Visit Brandhorst
INSIGHTS – EVENTS & WORKSHOPS
Impressions from 2022

- PrepDoc – Podium Discussion
- Wordshop – writing with authors
- Team Weekend in Dachau
- Dragon Boat Race Olympiapark
INSIGHTS – EVENTS & WORKSHOPS
Impressions from 2022

- TUMJA @ IKOM
- Symposium 2022
- TUMJA meets New Mexico (TF International)
- PAWE #class2021
THE APPLICATION PROCESS

Deadlines & required documents

Nomination

Application Deadline:

31st August

Selection Days

Be present on one of two days!
- Interviews with tutors and mentors
- Exchange of your ideas and views on that year's call
- Group tasks and early getting to know other members

Required documents!
- Letter of motivation (anonymized)
- CV (anonymized)
- Grade report from University
- Perception (essay/video) regarding this year's call (anonymized)
- In case of unsolicited application: letter of recommendation by a professor
Q&A – Please have a look on the .pdf-file with FAQs (invitation mail) before asking a question

Q: Can we apply if we will go abroad during the scholarship?  
A: Yes.

Q: Is a letter of recommendation required?  
A: Only if you were not officially nominated.

Q: How large is a group?  
A: Usually 5 to 8 people.

Q: How many people will be accepted?  
A: About 40-50 people.

Q: How much time do we have to invest?  
A: 6-8 hours per week.

Q: Is TUMJA a paid scholarship?  
A: No.
Thank you for your attention!

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO RECEIVING YOUR APPLICATIONS!