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The work of the Career & International Center WIAI

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Faculty WIAI Brief

- **2001**: launched
- **3** Subject Groups
- **16** professors
- **4 Bachelor Degree Programs** (International Information Systems Management, Information Systems, Applied Computer Science, Software Systems Science)
- **7 Master Degree Programs** (International Information Systems Management, Information Systems, Applied Computer Science, International Software Systems Science, Computing in the Humanities, Education in Business and Information Systems, Virtual Advanced Training Programme in Information Systems)
- ~ **2000** students

WIAI Portfolio

Applied Computer Sciences

Media Informatics
Computing in the Cultural Science
Cognitive Science
Human Computer Interaction
Smart Environments

Information Systems

Information Systems Management
Industrial Application Systems
Information Systems Management
Social Networks
Energy Efficient Systems

Computer Science

Distributed Systems
Foundations of Comp. Science
Mobile Devices / Mobility

Software Engineering
Comm. Techn. & Networks
Privacy & Security

The Career & International Center WIAI

Career Center

- Transitioning to a professional career
- Advising students on all aspects of career development
- Key areas:
 - Career Day
 - Corporate Internship Program
 - “Studieren im Praxisverbund” (Studying with the support of professional networks)

International Center

- Supervision of incoming and outgoing students
- Cooperation and networking with foreign partner universities

Career Day

- Every summer semester
- Opportunity for students to network and to reach out to potential employers
- Variety of different companies: from large international IT groups to small software houses
- Different workshops, application training and CV check



Corporate Internship Program

- Cooperation with IT firms from different countries in order to support students finding international internships



„Studieren im Praxisverbund“

- Studying with the support of professional networks
- Cooperation partners support their selected students financially
- Selected students undertake to complete at least two internships at the cooperation company
- Goal: Early commitment of students to companies and excellent opportunity for companies to retain potential employees



