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**Kooperation international** is an information and communication portal for international cooperation in research and education. The portal is a contribution to the Federal Government's Strategy for the Internationalization of Science and Research. It offers a single source of extensive knowledge on a wide range of different cooperation opportunities to all those interested in cooperation activities. In this way, it promotes international cooperation.

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## Our offering

### Looking abroad

Information is the key to success

**Kooperation international** offers extensive information about research and education in Germany's partner countries. The portal provides access to current news, an internet guide as well as relevant documents, publications and success stories to help readers get an overview and give them contextual knowledge (the information given is mostly in German). The monthly newsletters provide information about trends in international research, technology and innovation policy in key industrialized and emerging countries. The portal also gives an overview of international activities in which the BMBF is involved.

### Forging contacts

Communication opens doors

**Kooperation international** offers information about research establishments and educational institutions in more than 100 different countries (primarily in German). More than 4000 international links and up-to-date event notices help users initiate new contacts. Kooperation international's skilled and experienced staff is available to answer questions and help users communicate with potential partners in other countries.

### Initiating projects

Networking requires a solid basis

**Kooperation international** publishes current calls for proposals and programmes for scientists, research institutions, universities, companies and organizations in Germany with an interest in international activities. The extensive project database offers an insight into the wide range of opportunities available for international cooperation.

### Active cooperation

Contact us 

**Kooperation international** offers you an opportunity to build up working groups and exchange experiences and ideas on subjects relating to international cooperation in research and education.

We welcome your contribution – as a user or partner of Kooperation international, you can actively contribute information to the portal, for example news, event notifications and calls for proposals.



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