



Short list of required documents

<input type="checkbox"/>	Visa (non-EU citizens) / for research visa: visa incl. hosting agreement
<input type="checkbox"/>	Birth certificates of children / marriage certificate for accompanying spouses (with German translations if possible; these may also have to be legalized or apostilled. Information on this can be obtained from the German diplomatic missions abroad)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Several passport photos (important: please note the passport photo requirements of the Federal Foreign Office at www.epass.de)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Invitation from the host institution
<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of funding / proof of scholarship
<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of housing (Confirmation of reservation, rental agreement...)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Copies of the university degree, doctoral certificate if applicable
<input type="checkbox"/>	Confirmation of health insurance for Germany
<input type="checkbox"/>	Vaccination certificate (proof: measles vaccination for children), information on previous illnesses or medication
<input type="checkbox"/>	Foreign or international driver's license
<input type="checkbox"/>	Possibly a letter from your liability insurance about accident-free driving