



## **CIF Germany invites Professionals from the Field of Social Work - Human Services to apply for its Professional Exchange Program to be held in the south of Germany from October 14th to October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022, in Munich and Bavaria (Southern Germany)**

CIF Germany invites Professionals especially from the following fields of experience to spend two weeks in our agencies, working with:

- **Youth welfare services**

Share your experiences with us and let us reflect on them within the international group of participants.



Munich

The International Professional Exchange Program (IPEP) will be organized by **CIF Germany in Munich and southern Bavaria.**

The goal of the Council of International Fellowship (CIF) is to promote professional, cultural, and educational exchange for professionals working in the field of **Social Work/Human Services.**

The program will provide an inside view into the areas mentioned giving participants a chance to step deeper into the field they have chosen. Practical and theoretical information about the social and cultural environment of Germany will be added.

Cross-cultural exchange is a crucial part of the program as participants come from different countries, thus providing opportunities for professional development, sharing, and learning as well as broadening professional and personal horizons.

**The program** will be divided in a general program for all participants and 'individual program visits' in which you are visiting agencies with your main interests. Please note that during this program you will not be able to actually work in the agencies you visit. You will spend time with field visits, and you will have time to meet with students at the University of Applied Sciences and also do some cultural activities and spend time in nature. You will meet and stay with two host families. The program will start and end in Munich, the capital of the southern federal state of Bavaria.

**Language:** The language used during the program is **English and if possible, German.**

**Number of Participants:** We will select **4** participants.

**Financial conditions:**

The **participant's fee is € 150**. These fees are used to cover the costs of organizing the program and the domestic travel costs related to the program.

Participants pay their travel expenses from their country to and back home from Germany. Participants are required to apply in their country for a visa (if necessary) and for a personal insurance covering medical and emergency expenses before their arrival in Germany.

Participants need additional money for their own personal expenses such as lunch, private travel, long distance calls, gifts, activities etc. and for all expenses before and after the program.

**Support:** Participants live in **host families** who will provide a private bedroom, breakfast, and evening meals. You will be able to commute from the host family to the agencies or meeting points within the transportation system.

**Deadline for Applications: July 15<sup>th</sup> 2022.**

The applications must go through the CIF National Branch or Contact Person in your country, using the international application form. Addresses can be found on the CIF International website: <http://www.cifinternational.com/organization>

Only if there is no CIF Branch or Contact Person, you can contact CIF Germany directly: [info@cif-germany.de](mailto:info@cif-germany.de).

More information on CIF Germany you can find on [www.cif-germany.de](http://www.cif-germany.de)  
We are looking forward to receiving the applications!

**Please book flights to and from Munich Int. Airport ("Franz-Josef-Strauss") to participate.**

*Cheaper Flights to Munich Memmingen (Allgäu Memmingen) will require an extra train or bus ticket to Munich city (distance: 105 km, required time app. 1,5 h)*

**Arrival Friday 14<sup>th</sup> of October 2022**

**We will start with the program Saturday October 15<sup>th</sup> at 10 am and close Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> of October in the evening.**

**Departure Sunday October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022.**

**There is an option to extend for another three days in Füssen. We will negotiate with applicants if interested.**



Area of Lake Chiemsee and Lake Wörthsee with the world's longest castle (at the Austrian border)



**Place of the CIF Professional Exchange Program 2022 - IPEP in southern Germany**

**Munich**

**Mühldorf**



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