

International Staff Training Week (ISTW) 2014



<p>Aqila Kaleem University of Surrey United Kingdom</p>	<p>Participating in the ISTW 2014 was an enriching experience for myself. It gave me the opportunity to learn more about the university and beautiful Clausthal along with networking with the other participants from around the world. The programme was very well organised and the enthusiasm and professionalism of the team was admirable. I would most definitely recommend the ISTW to others and I look forward to increased activity between our universities.</p>
<p>Betul Bulut Sahin Middle East Technical University Turkey</p>	<p>This was a great experience for me for mainly two reasons. First of all there was sessions on internationalization and international students which are directly related with my job and it was nice to share experience with the colleagues from different regions of the world. Secondly the team organizing the staff training week are so friendly and through the social program organized by this team, it was really nice to explore the beautiful city of Goslar and the town Clausthal.</p>
<p>Doç. Dr. Savaş Zafer Şahin Atılım University Turkey</p>	<p>"When you reach Clausthal, you might feel lonely and desolated at first. In this lovely little German town, you might find it hard to find interesting things at first. But, these thoughts of yours disappear the moment you step into the international center of TU Clausthal. Together with people experienced in international exchange and other issues related to universities, within a very-well thought and sophisticated staff training program you start to explore not only the University but also Clausthal and surrounding areas as well. We participated in this years staff training program with my wife. She is an expert in international exchange of students and I am a Professor of Political science and Public administration. We both found lots of things to learn in the program and couldn't understand how fast the week passed. That is no coincidence but a result of a dedicated, professional team of wonderful women, contributing to internationalization of TU Clausthal, that is staff of international center."</p>





<p>Hana Chmelenská Czech Technical University Prague Czech Republic</p>	<p>I would like to thank all my colleagues from International office at TU Clausthal for organising ISTW 2014. It was a truly fruitful week which gave me not only an insight into the university but also a great opportunity to network and share best practice with colleagues from range of other international universities. I enjoyed the presentation part of the workshop as well as the trips around Clausthal and I came back to Prague with quite a bit of inspiration. I am looking forward to send our students to study at TU Clausthal and I would definitely encourage other colleagues from International offices around the world to take a chance and participate in next ISTW! You would fell in love with the people and beautiful landscape there!</p>
<p>Izolda Gorgol, Ewa Lazuka Lublin University of Technology Poland</p>	<p>We were really impressed with the visit at TU Clausthal. The whole programme was perfectly organised, we experienced the international atmosphere, made new friends from all over the world and despite the rain we felt warm from the International Office staff. As well as the educational programme, we enjoyed some other activities, e.g. the trip to Goslar, learning German and hiking. We would definitely recommend going to Clausthal-Zellerfeld to all students and academic teachers.</p>
<p>Francesco Avella Università del Piemonte Orientale Italy</p>	<p>It was a great experience! Apart from the generous welcoming and outstandingly supporting attitude of the whole team of IZC, I had the opportunity of getting to know how a university can successfully manage a relevant presence of international students, making them profit of a whole set of services and chances to help with admissions, welcome, study, campus life, grants, etc. I strongly recommend to spend some days in TU Clausthal.</p>
<p>Teresa Chávarri Caro Universidad Rey Juan Carlos Spain</p>	<p>Everything was well organized. You make us to feel at home. The best for me were its interesting talks and special activities such as German lessons.</p>

