

Intensive Language Course Dari and Area Studies

When? **22 September to 10 October 2008**
Where? **Mazari Sharif / Afghanistan**

The Central Asian Seminar of the Humboldt University Berlin and the Balkh University Mazari Sharif / Northafghanistan together perform an Intensive Course Dari (Persian for Beginners) with and Area Studies add on program. The course addresses students and Ph. D. candidates of all subjects as well as voluntary attendants.

- 3 weeks of Intensive Course and Area Studies
- **Course Extend:** approx. 96 hours (equivalent to 1 semester with 6,8 SWS)
- **Aim** of the Intensive Course: ability of communication in standard situations, lettering, basic listening and reading comprehension, good basic knowledge of grammar, ability to self-study independent
- Content of teaching **Area Studies:** population, overview on history, economy, current politics, everyday culture
- Classes with **German and Afghan teaching staff**
- **Degree** with exam and certificate (ECTS-credited)

For a total of up to 10 student and Ph. D. candidates the DAAD is going to financially support the attendance by partial scholarships (grant for travel, residence and course costs). You have to assume the risk of excess. For voluntary attendants the course is offered only with costs (dues on request).

The **course** is going to take place in a private building in Mazari Sharif. The attendants who are financially supported by the DAAD will also stay there. As the situation permits, little excursions can be organized on days off lessons.

Please direct **applications** for attendance by 11 June 2008 the latest (incoming Mail) to mazarisharif2008@yahoo.de (additional **hardcopy** to: Zentralasien-Seminar der Humboldt-Universität, key codeword: Mazari Sharif, Unter den Linden 6, 10099 Berlin).

Students and Ph. D. candidates who want to apply for the DAAD scholarship, additionally address their applications directly to the DAAD. The address you can gather in a few days right here.

Application documents are: gapless and significant curriculum vitae (including as the case may be details on current study courses), letter of motivation (max. 1 page).