GERMAN DUAL VOCATIONAL TRAINING IN THE KENYAN CONTEXT

Effective tool for producing competent graduates





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Who are we?







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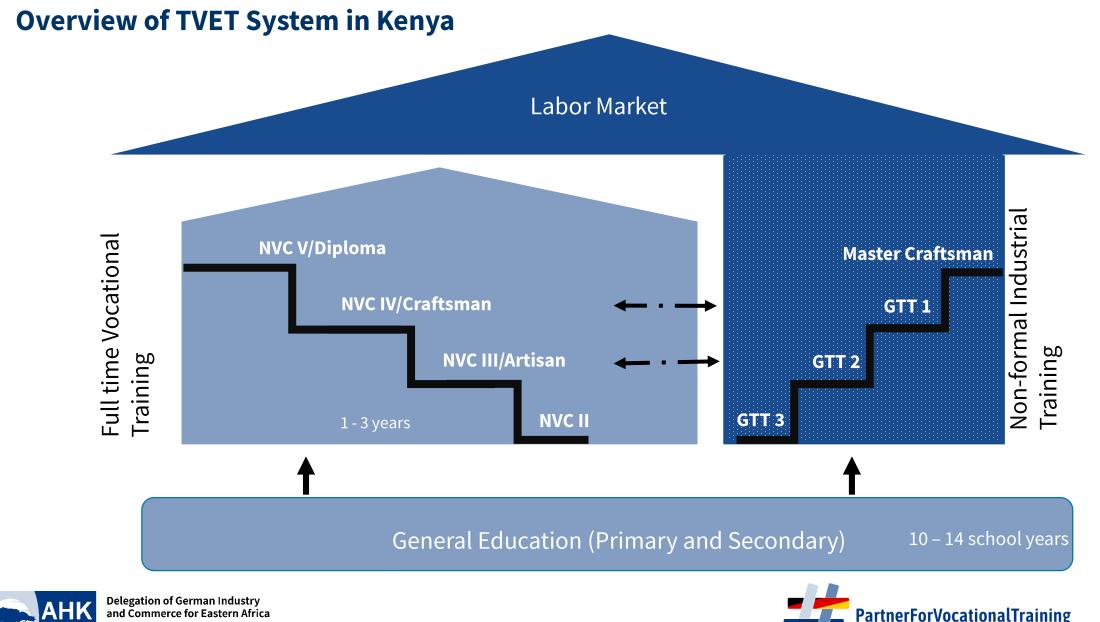


German Business Association in Kenya

In other countries, AHKs may have membership arms, however, in Kenya, we have a partnership with the existing German Business Association in Kenya which has been in Kenya since 1987.



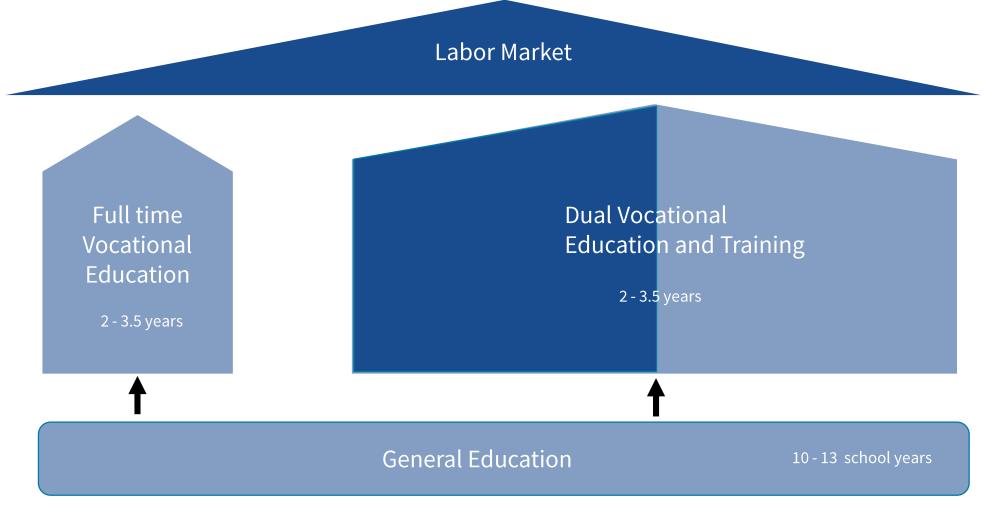








Overview of German Dual VET System







How Dual VET works in Germany



Practical training on the Job

The major part of training within this dual system is performed in companies. The in-company vocational training concentrates on teaching specialized practical skills, enabling apprentices to execute tasks of a skilled worker independently, to analyze and solve problems on their own.

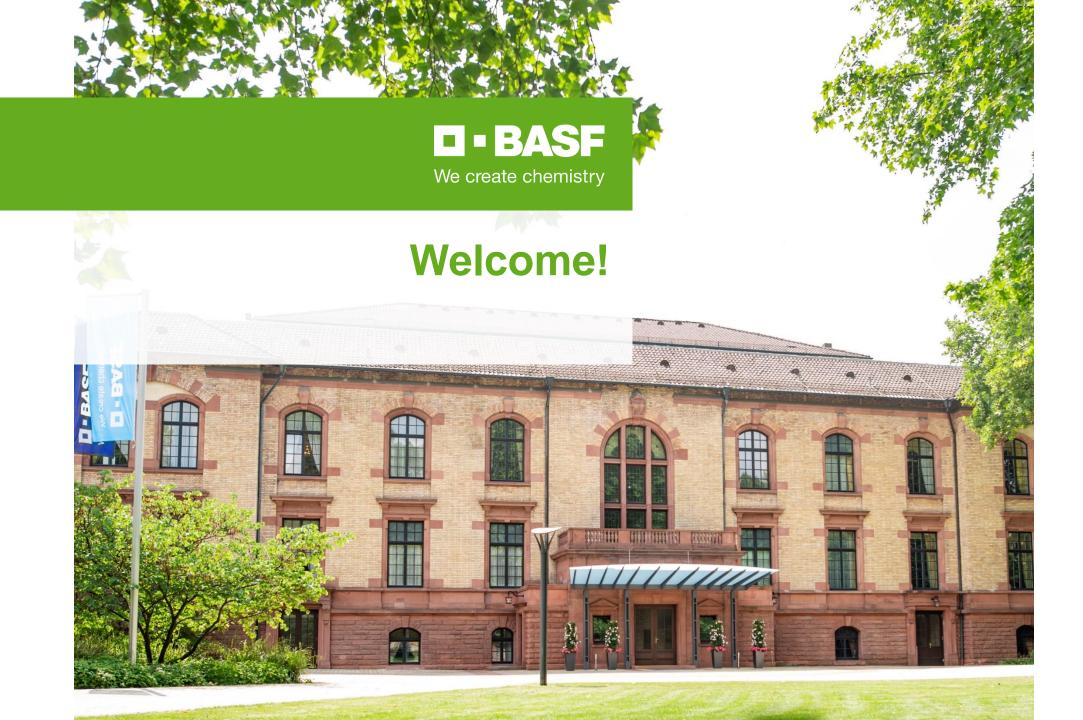
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Theoretical training at a vocational college

Every vocational school focuses on providing specialized theoretical knowledge for the relevant occupation and on consolidating and improving the level of general education.









Employee canteens



Gesellschaftshaus



Feierabendhaus



St. Johann







Catering





Advantages of dual training

- high quality in training with personal contacts and modern training centers
- high practical relevance due to directly work in company
- rapid integration into areas of responsibility, even after degree with a possible takeover
- Integration in company from day one
- combination of school and practice
- uniform school system mit uniform degree (IHK)
- connected network between IHK school company
- also between examiner teacher trainer
- responsibilities:
- ➤ IHK = Degree
- > school = theory
- company = practice
- workshops, trainings and competitions
- > support to build a network



Apprenticeships within gastronomy Intended recruitment 2020

	Ludwigshafen	St. Johann	Breitnau
For candidates with High School degrees Trainee International Hotelmanagement	5		
For candidates with secondary school degrees or high school degrees Restaurant professionals Cooks Hotel professionals System gastronomy professionals	7 10 5 3	2	1 2
For candidates with secondary school or high school degrees • temporary contract and further education ➤ ICA certificate as outlet manager recognized by IHK	8		



Trainee International Hotel Management

You...

- Strive for a High School degree
- Are interested in language and culture
- You are a talent with organisation and own good expressive assets
- Are confident and love to connect to demanding guests
- See flexibility as self-evident





Datas& facts...

- Company and location:
 BASF Gastronomie GmbH
 Ludwigshafen am Rhein
- Cooperating university:
 Hochschule Worms
- Degrees:
 - Hotel professional
 - Bachelor of Arts
- Apprenticeship duration:
 - 2 years aprenticeship
 - 3 years university
- Beginning: September 1st



Hotel Professionals

You...

- Strive for a Secondary or High School degree
- Are confident and charismatic
- Convince with kindness and love being a competent contact person
- Are customer-oriented and have a passion for communication with demanding guests
- See flexibility as self-evident





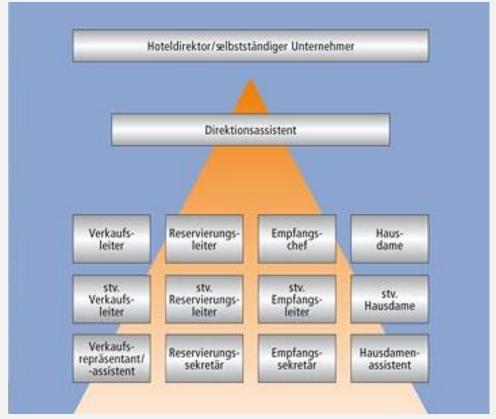
Datas & facts...

- Company and locations:
 BASF Gastronomie GmbH
 Ludwigshafen am Rhein,
 Breitnau und St. Johann
- Apprenticeship duration:3 years
- Degree: hotel professional (Additive qualification "hotel management" possible)
- Beginning: September 1st



Career chances and further education within hotel industry

- Study at a university
- Master course (hotel master)
- Hospitality economist(IHK)
- Hospitality college (state approved economist and multiple host)
- Further education abroad
- Technical seminar



*Quelle: DEHOGA (07.08.2014)



additional qualification Institute of Culinary Art

For the professions...

- √ cooks
- √ restaurant professionals
 - √ hotel professionals
 - √ system gastronomy professionals

✓ Datas & facts...

- requirements:
 - Secondary School degree
 - High School degree
- seminar with an approved economist and multiple host degree (IHK)
- duration: 4 modules à 3 months
- cost acquisition
- opportunity of a temporars contract of 2 years at BASF Gastronomie GmbH after the apprenticeship is completed

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- (preparation for leading tasks)
- value chain management
- supply-chain & process management
- marketing & staff management
- production & cost accounting





We create chemistry

Adaptation of Dual VET in Kenya

Since the end of 2017, AHK has been implementing a "Skills Expert Program" (SEP) with the primary goal to establish sustainable structures to enable dual vocational training in Kenya.

A pilot Dual VET course in the **hospitality sector** kicked off in Feb 2019 in partnership with renown hotels in Nairobi.

A second Dual VET course in the **Logistics Sector** has been introduced and is yet to start in the coming months.







Examination and Certification

Examination is conducted by an independent examination board composed of representatives of

- Employers
- Employees
- Vocational school teachers (government)

The trainee does a practical and a theory test

The examination board assesses and grades trainee

After successfully completing the training course, the trainee is awarded double certification;

- A German Certificate (Internationally recognized)
- A Kenyan Certificate (Nationally Recognized)

The Delegation of German Industry and Commerce for Eastern Africa is accredited by KNQA as a Qualifications Awarding Institution in Kenya







Process oriented in-company training

Trainees are assigned a complex task and obtain the information needed to accomplish it on their own.



Trainees compare various possible solutions and develop a goal-oriented work flow.

Planning

Complete reflective

action



Gathering information

Decision-making



Trainees select a solution in consultation with the company instructor.

Trainees assess and reflect upon the result of their work on their own and derive conclusions.



Assessment

Execution



The trainees independently execute the action; e.g. in a team.

Review

At the end, the trainees compare estimates agains results; this may also take place in the team.







Unique Features

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Benefits of Dual VET

- Training is conducted in 2 venues, company and vocational school
- Trainee is paid a training allowance during the training
- Flexible implementation structures depending on the companies e.g. "3 weeks company training/1 week school training" or "3 days in company/2 days in school"
- In our program, trainee gets double certification

Employers

- Gain highly competent employees meeting the needs of the company (versus hiring externally)
- Improve productivity as well as quality of services and products
- Save recruitment and retraining costs
- Realise high return on investment in the long run

Trainees

- Gain occupational proficiency
- Earn training allowance during training
- Learn in real and state-of-theart work environment (machinery, work processes)
- Learn how to identify with company and occupation
- Become capable and certified to access different occupational and educational opportunities





Training of Trainers

AHK supports companies by offering AdA International, "Vocational Trainer Qualification (AHK)"

- According to the German Ordinance on Trainer Aptitude (AEVO)
- Specifying in detail how vocational and professional skills can be combined with competency-based and process-oriented content.
- Offered in 2 versions, Basic (5days) and Full Course (10 days)
- Award internationally recognized certificate





Q&A





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