

## Job opportunities for Jesuits in formation with JRS Germany

Regency placement: available: Yes.  
Short-term internship available: Yes.

Duration: 1-2 years.  
Duration: 6 weeks minimum.

**Number of posts available:  
Where?**

One. For scholastics or young priests/brothers.  
Berlin.

**Activities of JRS Germany:**

1. Pastoral care in detention and for recently released migrants, including religious services in the prisons.
2. Legal advice and help with paperwork.
3. Research in undocumented migration.
4. Advocacy and awareness raising.
5. Individual case work (limited numbers).

**Activities proposed for a regent or an intern:**

A regent or intern can take part in any of the JRS activities according to his skills and training. This includes:

1. Pastoral care for detainees.
2. Support with social services.
3. Religious services in prisons.
4. Awareness raising.

Short-term internships will primarily focus on pastoral work such as visits of detainees.

**Full-time or part-time?**

Full-time. After a period of insertion new initiatives are possible as long as the direct contact with detainees is continued.

**Side activities:**

Possibility for a language course in case of regency.

**Language skills required:**

English (fluent);  
German (elementary, can be acquired in Berlin);  
Russian or French would be helpful.

**Other key skills needed:**

Pastoral approach to work with people in distress;  
Ability to work in a small team;  
Patience.

**Accompaniment and supervision:**

A team member will accompany the intern in his field and office work. Regular reviews will be conducted. To cope with the situation in detention supervision is recommended and can be provided by a trained Jesuit who is not part of the JRS team. Spiritual direction by Jesuits is available.

**Possibility to live in a community with other Jesuits in formation:**

Yes.

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| <b>Further remarks:</b>            | JRS Germany has welcomed in the past several Polish and German regents and a number of short-term interns, among them novices. |
| <b>Starting date (regency):</b>    | September 2006.<br>Any other time that has been agreed.  |
| <b>Starting date (short-term):</b> | Any time.  |
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