



Ulm, 22-FEB-2014

## Invitation to an Excursion to München and its Residence on Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> March 2014



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Dear Students and Senior Consultants,

I would like to invite all ASSIST Students and Senior Consultants to join an excursion to München/Munich and to visit the Residence of the former Bavarian dukes, electors and kings. Furthermore we will see the most beautiful tourist points of interest, like the residence garden, city hall, Victuals Market (Munich's most popular open air market), Hofbräuhaus, towers and churches, shopping malls, etc, more information on: <http://www.muenchen.de/int/en/sights/attractions.html>

**Main attraction:** The *Munich Residenz* served as the seat of government and residence of the Bavarian dukes, electors and kings from 1508 to 1918. What began in 1385 as a castle at the north-eastern corner of the town (the Neuveste, or new citadel) was transformed over the centuries into a magnificent palace, its buildings and gardens extending further and further into the town. The architecture, interior decoration and works of art collected in the Residenz range in time from the Renaissance, via the early Baroque and Rococo periods to the neoclassical era. They all bear witness to the discriminating taste and the political ambition of the Wittelsbach dynasty.

## Important details – please read carefully

We will meet at 08:50 a.m. inside the main hall of the train station of Ulm at the entrance left. Please do not arrive later than 09:00 a.m., because of checking/registration of your presence. After the deadline of 09:00 a.m. you must buy and pay your tickets (Bavarian Ticket: cost for 1 person 23 EUR) by yourselves. In case you will have a short delay in arriving at the train station call me on my mobile phone, no SMS please!

- Return journey: departure Munich main station **18:36 h (06:36 p.m.) track 18, train No: RE 57194**  
arrival at Ulm main station: 20:40 h (08:40 p.m.)
- Costs: train: **8.00 € minimum / 10.00 € maximum** per person  
entrance fee for the palace ***Munich Residenz will be borne by ASSIST***
- Participants: minimum 5 participants / maximum 15  
participants of ASSIST (students and seniors consultants) were preferred over all other persons like friends, family members etc.
- Lunch time: after a short walk to the city centre and arrival of the residence garden we will have our lunch there in a beer garden/café outside if it is warm enough. Bring your own drink and food along with you. Alternatively many cafés and restaurants are available in this area where you can eat and drink in a typical Bavarian environment.
- Registration: **Please send your binding registration latest on Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2014 18:00 h (06:00 p.m.) to [eberhard.theile@extern.uni-ulm.de](mailto:eberhard.theile@extern.uni-ulm.de)**
- Remarks for **"No show"**:  
**When you can't participate in the excursion despite your binding registration for whatever reason, please inform me in advance as early as possible by email or phone (SMS) to allow your classmates set on the waiting list to participate in the excursion!**
- Registration confirmation:  
Will be sent to you by email on Thursday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2014 - 22:00 h (10:00 p.m.)

Best regards

**Eberhard Theile**

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