

Willkommen, Fall 2016 Amity Interns!

Join the German Immersion Foundation in welcoming the Amity Interns for the Fall semester.



Angelika Pfeil has been assigned to the MGIS classroom of Frau Braughn in K4 and all 4th grade classrooms.

Hometown: Augsburg, Germany.

"Amity seems like the perfect possibility to prepare myself for my future profession...It would give me the opportunity to teach American students...know the American school system... [and] improve my language skills..."

Attending University of Augsburg to study Teacher Education, English and French.



Anna-Lena Effenberger has been assigned to all K5 and 2nd grade classrooms.

Hometown: Hannover, Germany.

"I want to use every opportunity to become acquainted with the daily routine at a school and face challenges that occur when working with kids so that I become more confident in front of a class. [This program] is the best way for me to experience school life from a great perspective."

Attending Gottfried-Wilhelm-Leibniz Universität Hannover to study English and Geography.

► **Host Family:** The Todd and Renee Hensersky family and the Jim and Sara Lowe family.

► **Host Family:** The Richard and Nicole Pfaff family.



Eva Brandstetter has been assigned to the MGIS classroom of Frau Ulrich in K4 and all 3rd grade classrooms.

Hometown: Meckesheim, Germany.

"...I want to be prepared as well as possible for my future job as an English teacher. I want to develop my teaching skills and...become more independent through the internship."

Attending Heidelberg University of Education to study German, English and Elementary Education.



Nina Gasser has been assigned to the MGIS classroom of Frau Heck in K4 and all 4th grade classrooms.

Hometown: Bayreuth, Germany.

"I [want] to gain an insight into the education system in America, to help pupils to learn German and to tell them something about the German culture and life in Germany...I would appreciate the opportunity to get to know the American way of life, both in schools and in families."

Attending University of Augsburg to study Teacher Education, English and Italian.

► **Host Family:** The Katy Bauer family.

► **Host Family:** The Jim and Susanne Bowen family.



Mareike Karlshaus has been assigned to the MSL classrooms of Frau Pfaller and Frau Nill (grades 6 and 7), Frau Fetting (grade 7) and Frau Lohmann (grades 9 and 10).

Hometown: Balzheim, Germany.

"I think it's a great opportunity for me to improve my teaching skills...[e]specially doing an internship in an English speaking country...I am really interested in getting to know a different education system, a new culture and...improving my own speaking skills."

Attending University of Augsburg to study English and Physical Education.

► **Host Family:** The Stephen and Susan Arnhold family.



Get Involved.

For information on hosting interns or getting involved with or supporting the mission of the German Immersion Foundation, visit www.germanimmersionfoundation.org or contact info@germanimmersionfoundation.org.

The German Immersion Foundation supports the German-language programs of MGIS and MSL to help maintain a K-12 German Immersion option for Milwaukee-area students. Working through the Amity Institute and the with generosity of host family volunteers, support from the Foundation helps MGIS and MSL to utilize the native German language skills and cultural knowledge of teaching interns to provide valuable exposure for students.