

THE HAMBURG GRADUATE SCHOOL "MOL ENDOCRINOLOGY" AS AN EXAMPLE FOR A MEDICAL PHD PROGRAM

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The DFG funded with € 2.5 Mio for ten years (1996-2007) a Graduate School "Molecular Endocrinology - Molecular Nutrition". > 100 young medical & biomedical students/graduates from > 7 European countries successfully got there Dr. med. or Dr. rer. nat.

The essentials of the School were:

- Stipends for medical students and graduates for up to 3 years.
- Cooperation of max. 15 scientific groups.
- Intensive lab work & money for consumables.
- An educational program organized by the students, the scientists and a lot of external/international teachers.
- Financed poster presentation on European Meetings
 - Bench practica, colloquia with invited guests.
 - Internal and external evaluation.

The details and outcomes will be presented and discussed.