

# GETA International



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# What is DUCAH?

„Living better for longer“

DUCAH is a **network** for promoting digital and social **innovation in the social and healthcare sectors.**

The DUCAH cooperative advises, works and researches in a **people-centered** way **at the spot:** in neighborhoods in the city and in the countryside.



# DUCAH Ecosystem



## DUCAH Forum



## DUCAH Cooperative



## Network Partners



## Scientific Network



# DUCAH network benefits for startups

Your partner in the DACH region

- Contacts to DUCAH program partners and the Berlin startup ecosystem
- Access to the DUCAH network, e.g. care facilities, hospitals & health insurances
- Research projects with DUCAH university- and science-partners
- Product presentation in DUCAH Forum and DUCAH Marketplace possible
- Expertise in Data Governance and legal requirements (e.g. GDPR, EU Data Act)



# DUCAH Services and Formats



Market Access

Better Living Quarters

Consulting

GETA International

Field Trial

Research

# DUCAH as a Bridge for Expertise and Collaboration

## Network Strength – also internationally (GETA International)

- ▶ **Connecting** institutions across health, research, and innovation
- ▶ Collaborate internationally e.g. with the ecosystem in **Silicon Valley** and **Singapore**
- ▶ **Funding support ... Senate Department and Berlin Partner**

## Creating Value

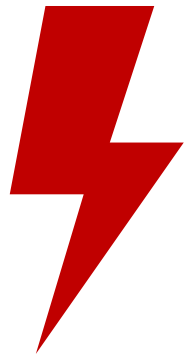
- ▶ Bring together **experts** for specific **project needs**
- ▶ **Trusted pool of specialists** in medicine, IT, ethics, science and more

## Impact

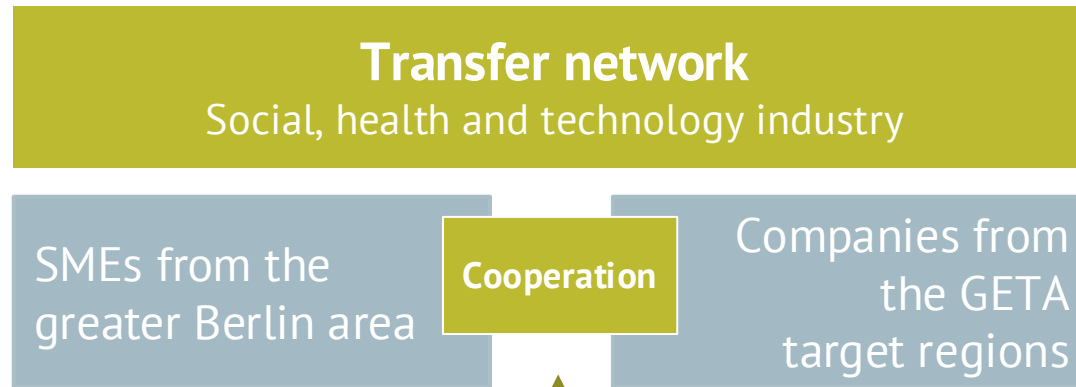
- ▶ Accelerated innovation through **cross-sector collaboration**
- ▶ Solutions for **real-world healthcare practices**



# GETA\* International: Our Approach



Barriers to internationalization, no access and funding for digital health solutions and social innovations



GETA NETWORK SUPPORT  
events, delegation trips, network access



Joint development of ideas, digital and social innovations  
Additive market opportunities for international and Berlin SMEs & start-ups

\*GETA(German): “Gegen Einsamkeit und für Digitale Teilhabe im Alter” and stands for against loneliness and for digital participation in older age

# DUCAH Supports Singaporean Companies Entering the German market

## LEARN

- ▶ actively participating in GETA events
- ▶ interested in entering US/GERMAN market and collaboration
- ▶ Provide intermediaries, mediators and network
- ▶ Speed dating and network access

## MATCH

- ▶ Support short- and medium-term collaboration
- ▶ establish mutual match for long-term partnership
- ▶ trial collaboration, pilot projects, tandems, joint solution development
- ▶ User research to adjust your solution to the German context

## PARTNER

- ▶ Support long term activities such as consumer-supplies relationship and strategic alliance
- ▶ joint innovation projects, pilot projects, license agreements
- ▶ branch office in US/SING/GER
- ▶ Support in the application of a (joint) funding project



# Project Example

Partner: **ACTIVATE** by Health Tequity and equeo health

- ▶ 2020–2023 Research partners launch **ACTIVATE** Equity—the first platform for digital care coordination and remote patient monitoring with Co-Directors Dr. David Lindeman and Prof. Dr. Katherine Kim as Co-Directors
- ▶ 2024 Spin-off to establish Health Tequity LLC
- ▶ **ACTIVATE** is also pioneering **for German companies**. A consortium is working to establish **ACTIVATE** in Germany.
  - ▶ 2025 Participation in the **DUCAH** BLL Data Trust Center Challenge
  - ▶ Currently digital twins are being developed and tested for use in Germany

# Overview Delegation Trip to Singapore

June 29<sup>th</sup> – July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026

- ▶ Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup>: Arrival day and Gardens by the Bay
- ▶ Tuesday, June 30<sup>th</sup>: On-site **Hospital@Home/Smart Hospital**
- ▶ Wednesday–Thursday, July 1<sup>st</sup>–2<sup>nd</sup>: Visit to **Smart Health Asia** (SHA)



Gardens by the Bay



- ▶ With an exclusive tour and evening pitch program with investors
- ▶ Time for one-on-one meetings with partners in Singapore

- ▶ Friday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>: On-site **Aging in Place**
- ▶ Saturday, July 4<sup>th</sup>: Departure day, optional program

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# Participants delegation trip Singapore

## Excerpt

Organization	Role and Function	Top places/people to visit
Charité Berlin & AlongHealth	<b>Founder</b> of AlongHealth: developing digital solutions for personalised perioperative risk assessment and optimisation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Smart Hospital, e.g. Duke NUS Medical School</li> <li>2. Innovation Hubs</li> </ol>
Caritas Gesundheit Berlin gGmbH	<b>Managing Director</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. AI/Robotics startups, e.g. Articares</li> <li>2. Innovation Hubs with specific focus on AI &amp; robotics</li> </ol>
D4L data4Life gGmbH	<b>Lead:</b> Data2Evidence initiative that offers optimized software solutions for the digital collection, integration and analysis of health data	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Smart Health Asia</li> <li>2. Clinical trial provider</li> </ol>
Equeo Health GmbH	<b>Medical Advisor:</b> innovations in healthcare	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Remote patient monitoring startups</li> <li>2. Innovation Hubs</li> </ol>
Berlin Partner für Wirtschaft und Technologie GmbH	<b>Head of Healthcare Industry division</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Smart Health Asia</li> <li>2. Business agencies</li> </ol>
Senat Department for Economic Affairs	<b>Head of the Department for Digitalization, Digital Infrastructure, Healthcare Industry, and Mobility</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Political decision makers</li> <li>2. Innovation Hubs with specific focus on DeepTech</li> </ol>

# How you benefit from it

## Building Bridges to Europe

- ▶ DUCAH builds bridges to Europe, especially the German-speaking regions, in the healthcare and social sectors, as well as business development initiatives.
- ▶ We support funding applications and user-centered research
- ▶ Support Singapore based companies to step a foot into the German market

## Establish future collaborations and pilot projects in Singapore

- ▶ Major players in healthcare and politics from Germany joining our delegation will get in touch with you to engage in future collaborations and pilot projects in Singapore

## Increase economic value

- ▶ Startups from Germany entering the Singaporean market will bring economic value to you

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