CEFET-MG and Belo Horizonte await for you!

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Just imagine...

Have you thought before of studying in a different country while having new and unforgettable experiences?

CEFET-MG is reference in terms of educational quality in Brazil and once there you can have the chance of diving into the brazilian most hospitalical city, Belo Horizonte!

Check a little bit of what you would find there!
Brazil, a huge country to discover!

- Territorial length: > 8 million km²
- Population: > 210 million people
- Official language: Portuguese
- Federal District: Brasília
- The states are divided into 5 regions
Location of the state (Minas Gerais)

Southeast region of Brazil

Flag of the State, in Latin, means: “Freedom, even late”
• Mineiros (people from Minas Gerais) don't trust easily, but love to talk to strangers, especially foreign people!
• It’s rude to refuse food, but be aware of becoming addicted when you try it... It’s the best cuisine from Brazil!
• There is a typical accent and some words which are only found in MG, like “uai” (used for surprise, joy or consternation). It comes from “Why”!!! Yes, it is the same pronunciation.

• Mineiros call anything a “trem” or train, in english. It is an easier way to refer to something we forgot the name (or just don’t want to speak).
• The state has lots of mountains and natural parks and is full of rivers and waterfalls, so ecotourism is very strong. If you like nature, this is the right place.

• Radical sports like trekking, mountain biking, rappel, kayaking and paragliding can be also practiced.
If you like to experience new types of food, don’t forget to try the famous “Feijão Tropeiro” and the “Pão de Queijo com Café”. These are the main meals from the “Cozinha Mineira”.
The city of Belo Horizonte!

- Economy is based on services.
- Belo Horizonte is nationally recognized as the capital of bars and pubs.
- The carnival of Belo Horizonte has become a reference in the last decade.
Architecture, history and culture!

The church was designed by the renowned Brazilian architect Oscar Niemeyer.

Since 2016 it is considered a World Heritage Site by UNESCO.

It’s recognized as a symbol of the history of the Brazilian Modern Movement.
• Palacy of Liberty was opened in 1898 and it’s the head office of the municipal government.

• It’s possible to visit the State Public Library of Minas Gerais, museums and cultural centers.

Praça da Liberdade - “Liberty Square”
• The market was opened in 1929 with the objective of gathering, in one place, products destined to supply the population of the young city of Belo Horizonte.

• At the Central Markt people can try typical dishes from Minas Gerais cuisine and buy handicrafts.
Mineirão (Soccer Stadium)

- Mineirão was inaugurated in 1965, it’s the 5th largest stadium in Brazil and has capacity for more than 60,000 fans.
- The stadium houses the Brazilian Soccer Museum and it’s worth visiting.
Our University: CEFET-MG

The Federal Center for Technological Education of Minas Gerais has approximately 15,000 students and 650 teachers. It has a good reputation and a large number of departments and laboratories. It was founded in 1909 and has more than 10 campuses inside the Minas Gerais state.

Campus I - CEFET-MG
Some of the Bachelor's degrees offered:

- Business Administration
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Materials Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechatronic Engineering
- Mining Engineering
- Transportation Engineering

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CEFET-MG has several research groups (around 40), the majority of them receives governmental grants to support the research. There's also lots of cooperation agreements with universities from France, Germany, Hungary, Portugal, among others.

There's a vest infrastructure for the practice of sports and external work focused on society inside groups of research.
Check more on the official website of the secretary of international relations and these Instagram pages!

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If you are interested ...

Check with the International Office of Beuth University to see the possibilities of exchange program with CEFET-MG! We also offer buddy program in order to help foreign students in their path and there’s also courses of portuguese for this public! :)

Official website:  
http://www.sri.cefetmg.br/ (English and Deutsch!)
As exchange students from CEFET-MG we would like to express all our gratitude to the Beuth University of Applied Sciences Berlin for these two semesters of 2020/21 and encourage other students to seek new horizons of knowledge.

Vielen Dank! | Thank you very much! | Muito Obrigado!