

# AStA NEWSLETTER



## February

# Foreword

And the semester is almost over again... if it weren't for the exam period. But even if you have a lot of exams and assignments coming up, don't be discouraged - many students feel the same way. Take some time out in between and do something that's good for you!

You can also look forward to our semester closing party on 16 February at the end of this semester! Have you already got tickets?

We wish you every success in your exams and a relaxing semester break until we meet again in April!

Enjoy reading Your AStA



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# AStA EVENTS

## DAS ALTE WEINFASS

Want to get out and meet people after a hard day at university? No problem with our cosy evenings at the Alter Weinfass!

With a glass of wine, a bottle of beer or a soft drink and good music, you can meet new students or relax with your fellow students.

And there's never a lack of a bite to eat.

We look forward to getting started with you in the new year! See you next Wednesday!

**EVERY WEDNESDAY EVENING  
FROM 6 PM TO 10 PM**



## VALENTINE'S DAY CAMPAIGN:

**And this is how it works:**

**1. you choose one of four gifts**

red/white rose for €3.50

Greeting card for €3.50

Bottle of wine for €10

Chocolate for €3

**Love(s) greetings**

**Have you grown fond of someone?**

**Then send your love!**

**Closing date and payment by 07.02.!**

**Payment to**

**IBAN: DE78 5109 1500 0000 1510 25 | AStA Geisenheim | Rheingauer Volksbank**

**Note: You can also hand in self-written cards at the AStA office.**

**2. you write us an e-mail with the name of the person and your order to [kultur@asta-geisenheim.de](mailto:kultur@asta-geisenheim.de) (you remain completely anonymous!).**

**3. we contact the person and hand over your greeting on 14 February from 3-6 pm in the foyer.**





AStA invites you to

# SEMESTER CLOSING PARTY

8 P.M. IN  
THE AULA

16.02  
2024

BOX OFFICE  
8€

# ORIENTATION - PROMOTION - CAREER

## GENERAL STUDENT ADVISORY SERVICE

first point of contact for all questions  
about studying.

I would like to reorient myself.

I have problems that affect my  
studies.

What can I study at Hochschule  
Geisenheim University?

What are the requirements? (Uni-  
versity entrance, pre-study in-  
ternships...)

I would like to drop out of my  
studies.

How do I find the right degree  
program?

### **Every request is welcome!**

All students can take advantage of our individual and personal advice. This means that the focus is on those seeking advice and their specific concerns. We see our advice as an open-ended and neutral service. If we are unable to help, we will also refer you to the right contact person within or outside the university.

Please feel free to contact us if required...

... via **e-mail** to

[studienberatung@hs-gm.de](mailto:studienberatung@hs-gm.de)

... via **telephone**

+49 6722 502-705 or

+49 160 970 660 44

... **in person** on site at Campus in the  
Müller-Thurgau-Haus, 1st floor, room  
01.01

(Monday to Thursday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., before and  
after this time we are usually also available and happy to  
arrange an individual appointment)



## ORIENTATION - PROMOTION - CAREER

# PSYCHOSOCIAL GROUP SERVICES OFFERED BY THE STUDIERENDENWERK

Studying can be exhausting: full timetables, jobs and internships on the side. Family and friends should not be neglected either. And then there are exams, presentations and assignments to complete...

In our group offers, you quickly get to know other students who have similar difficulties and see that you are not alone with your problem. The exchange of ideas and joint support are enormously important.



Link to the group offers of the psychosocial counseling:

<https://www.swffm.de/beratung-service/psychosozialberatung/gruppenangebote>

## ORIENTATION - PROMOTION - CAREER

# WUS SPONSORSHIP AWARD 2024 - EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT -

As part of the National Action Plan of the UN Agenda 2030, the World University Service (WUS) German Committee honors theses that deal with the Sustainable Development Goals, issues related to education for sustainable development, global learning or the human right to education.

The prize is awarded to graduates of German universities who have submitted a thesis (Master's degree or equivalent) in German or English in the calendar year 2023. Bachelor's theses and dissertations are excluded from the award.

Please submit the following application documents in electronic form (collected in a PDF document of max. 10 MB) by February 28, 2024.

- Cover letter emphasizing the relevance of your work to the focus of the award
- curriculum vitae
- Copy of the thesis and a two-page summary
- Copy of the reviews and grading of the thesis

Please send any questions about the award and the application documents to the following e-mail address:

[preis@wusgermany.de](mailto:preis@wusgermany.de)

Incomplete applications or applications submitted too late will not be considered.

An independent jury will decide on the awarding of the prize. Prize money of € 1,500 is available. Legal recourse is excluded. It is intended that all submitted works and their summaries will be published in the e-library of the WUS portal after approval.

The prize is funded by a donation from the former Herder Club Dresden. The WUS is an internationally active organization in the field of education. You can find more information at

<http://www.wusgermany.de>.

You can view the final theses from 2015 to 2021 at the following link

[www.wusgermany.de/de/wus-service/wus-aktuelles/wus-foerderpreis/wus-foerderpreis-die-abschlussarbeiten](http://www.wusgermany.de/de/wus-service/wus-aktuelles/wus-foerderpreis/wus-foerderpreis-die-abschlussarbeiten)



# GEISENHEIM ALUMNI PORTAL

Geisenheim Alumni is an international community of alumni, students and members of Hochschule Geisenheim University. All members share the experience that their time at Geisenheim is a very special chapter in their lives. Through our non-profit association, the VEG - Geisenheim Alumni Association e.V., a global network has been built up since 1894. Supporting members are committed to the future of our university: for equal career opportunities, individual personal development and for the Geisenheim DNA of transferring scientific progress into practice through the exchange of knowledge.

Join in and become a supporting member free of charge as a student now!  
<https://alumni.hs-geisenheim.de/mit-glied-werden/>



**Your direct contact for member services:**  
Heike Fuhrmann  
(Department of Communication and  
University Relations)  
E-mail: [alumni@hs-gm.de](mailto:alumni@hs-gm.de)

Supporting alumni are premium members who naturally have access to an extended range of services. Here are some of the many advantages of the new alumni portal:

## **CLARITY**

You will find all information and offers relating to alumni management on our new platform.

## **NETWORKING**

Geisenheim alumni have formed a unique network of experts since 1894. They work in many interesting fields and can provide valuable insights into their industry. The detailed member search puts you in touch with your former fellow students, professors and colleagues. Network in groups or exchange private messages.

## **SEARCH & BE FOUND**

Design your profile the way you want it. Search for other members; you can choose from various search parameters such as degree program, graduation year or place of residence. Keep your profile up to date so that you too can be found. You can also link your social media profiles or your own homepage to your alumni profile.

## **NEWSLETTER**

Stay up to date! Our newsletters inform you about the latest news from the university and our alumni communities.

## **GROUPS**

Through our groups of the associated associations Bund Deutscher Oenologen e.V. and VDL-Berufsverband Agrar, Ernährung, Umwelt e.V., you can meet with fellow students digitally or live, deepen your study focus with like-minded people or get help with questions. Get active yourself and set up a new regional or interest group, perhaps a regulars' table in your area? Please get in touch with us.

# AROUND THE CAMPUS

## CALL FROM A PARTNER UNIVERSITY

The following appeal came from students at our partner university in France. Please take a few minutes and support them by taking part in the survey.



Dear Sir or Madam,

We are a group of 6 students from ESA (École Supérieure d'Agricultures) in Angers, France. Currently in our 5th year, we are carrying out a marketing survey as part of our studies. Our study focusses on the consumption habits of red fruits among 18 to 30-year-olds in Germany. We have an online questionnaire in German aimed at young people (18-30 years old living in Germany) which we are trying to disseminate as widely as possible.

Do you have contacts or acquaintances to whom you could send the questionnaire or share it with others?

Here is the link :

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScwq1uIUyrcQfSC76eyr42MYaqOlvaQQfF8BFXZtPSjltmDQ/viewform>

Many thanks in advance !  
Marie Sardin (ESA)

## AROUND THE CAMPUS

### LIBRARY

All details on borrowing, online stock, interlibrary loans etc. can be found here. Books no longer need to be pre-ordered. Furthermore, with the VPN at wiso.net you have access to thousands of e-books for free download - have a look here.

Contact:

Phone (+49 6722 502 261)

E-Mail(Auskunft-Bibliothek@hs-gm.de)

WhatsApp (0171 10 27 571).

From 16.10.2023 to 16.02.2024

Mon. - Thu. 09:00 - 19:00

Friday 09:00 - 16:00

### STUDENT DISCOUNTS

Whether for your own wine rack, equipment for your desk or for general study needs - we are constantly in contact with several suppliers to be able to offer you great and versatile discounts.

On our website you will always find all current offers... have a look!

### MENSA

Opening hours during the winter semester (16.10.2023 to 02.02.2024):

Monday to Thursday

Canteen open from 08:00 to 15:00

Food distribution from 11:30 to 14:00

Friday

Canteen open from 08:00 to 14:00

Meals served from 11:30 to 13:30

# EVENTS IN GEISENHEIM

## TOWN HALL STORM GKC, CMC AND JCV ON 10 FEBRUARY

At 11.11 a.m., the Geisenheim carnival clubs storm the town hall and take over the keys to the town hall until Ash Wednesday. The storming of the town hall is accompanied by a small programme and food and drink.



## REPAIR CAFÉ ON 27 FEBRUARY AND 26 MARCH

Lamp defective? Hole in your trousers? RepairCafé Geisenheim can help. The Geisenheim RepairCafé is opening its doors again, as usual from 17:00 to 19:00 in the Catholic parish centre at Zollstraße 8. The volunteers at the RepairCafé are happy to take care of the cherished but broken items of Geisenheim and Rheingau residents.





# WINE SEMINAR WITH THE GEISENHEIM WINE RHYMERS ON 16 MARCH

In cooperation with the German Wine Institute (DWI), the Geisenheim wine rhymers are organising a wine seminar at the Kulturtreff Scheune. On this day, we will be trained by Mr Duhme to become little wine experts. In the morning, he will tell us about the different types of wine, the grape varieties, the growing regions and winemaking. After a lunchtime snack, we will look at the basic flavours, wine labels and food paring. Of course, a small wine tasting will also be included.

The seminar is limited to 25 people!

Club members pay 45€ / guests 50€ Registration at [info@weinreimer.eu](mailto:info@weinreimer.eu)



# ASTA THINKS TO KNOW

## CONSULTATION HOUR

The AStA social department offers a contact point if you need help.

During the social services office's office hours, we try to find answers and solutions to your questions, problems or concerns together. We have an open ear for you and will do everything we can to help you. If we don't know what to do next, we'll definitely know the right contact point for your problem. Don't be afraid, no problem is too small or too big!

If you cannot come to our social services office hours, you can also contact us by phone.

### SPRECHSTUNDE FÜR SORGEN UND PROBLEME



**DIENSTAGS 15:00-16:00**  
**UHR IM ASTA-BÜRO**

IM ASTA-BÜRO (BRENTANOSTRASSE 9B)  
ODER TELEFONISCH: 06722 502717



## CARPOOLING

Do you have a free seat in the car or don't know how to get to the family next weekend?

Attached you will find a link to a WhatsApp group created by the AStA to make it easier to find rides.

The offers posted in this group are not managed by the AStA. The group is only intended to offer offerers and seekers a platform for exchange. You are welcome to join the group and get involved.

We think carpooling is a good and easy way to reduce our carbon footprint and contribute a small part to saving greenhouse gases.

Link:

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/KI5ntumkUXvIL7OKDhKRPa>



# ASTA JOB OFFERS

## GENERAL EXECUTIVE (M/W/D)

Without organization it doesn't work, that's why we need our AStA boards!

Together with the other board members, you carry out the StuPa's resolutions, manage day-to-day business on your own responsibility, represent the student body to the best of your knowledge in and out of court at the university and outside of it, and you also organize the presentations, keep an overview, and manage the freshmen into campus life and much, much more!

For the position as board member, you should have experience in group leadership and organization, be motivated to plan, organize and work with other statutory bodies of the university as well as students and lecturers and know the tasks of the AStA.

We look forward to receiving your application via:  
[asta@hs-gm.de](mailto:asta@hs-gm.de)

**PS: All department members are paid on a mini-job basis!**



# ASTA OFFICE AND SHOP

The AStA office is your physical contact point if you have any questions or suggestions for us.

By the way, we also have a rental service: from hammer drills to bicycles. Maybe we can help out?

Or do you need study materials for little money? Our AStA shop offers a wide range of stationery. Take a look!  
**THE SHOP OPENS ITS DOORS IN THE WINTER SEMESTER 23/24 ALWAYS TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS FROM 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM!**

For the cold winter days we still have cool Hochschul-Geisenheim sweaters in black and gray in our range! Simply come by during the shop's opening hours or make an appointment and get a sweater for €25.



We also offer you the following books at reduced prices:  
Business Administration – Successful business management in the winery  
474 pages, 160 illustrations.  
ISBN 978-3-940456-98-4

TIME. – Time management, personal development & team leadership  
254 pages  
ISBN 978-3-96031-000-6  
Order via AStA: €15 (RRP €29.50)  
If you are interested, send us an email to [asta@hs-gm.de](mailto:asta@hs-gm.de) or just come by during the shop's opening hours.

# MEETINGS

## **StuPa meeting:**

February 6th / 6 pm  
AStA study room

## **AStA meeting:**

February 17th / 6 pm  
Aula  
also available online



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[Facebook](#)



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## **Our Facebook groups**

Are you looking for a part-time job, a shared apartment or would you like to find out more about events in Geisenheim? Then you should definitely take a look at our Facebook groups using the following links:

[Jobbörse](#)  
[WG- & Wohnungsbörse](#)