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**Dear doctoral students,  
Dear graduates,**

In this November-newsletter we would like to inform you about announcements and events which might be of interest for your doctoral studies.

With kind regards from the Office of the Dean of Studies of the Faculty of Social Sciences,

Martin Ertelt

**Information from the GGG:**

**Financial support by GGG: deadlines**

- [Family oriented finishing grant](#): 15.01.2018
- [Finishing grant for international PhD students](#): 15.01.2018
- [Research Assistantships for international PhD students](#): 15.01.2018
- [Conference grants](#): (via Göttingen International) 31.01.2018
- [Emergency grant](#): next application possible in 2018, no application deadline

**Events of GGG: Meet the GGG at the InDiGU network café**

The Project Integration und Diversity at Göttingen University (InDiGU) organizes the [InDiGU network café](#) each Wednesday, noon, at the Mensa am Turm in the small room behind the cafeteria. Here, you can meet and connect on an informal level with other (international) (PhD) students. On 6.12.2017, Serena Müller (GGG Helpdesk for International PhD students) and Ceren Kasim (GGG PhD students' representative) will take part in this regular lunchtime meeting. If you have questions on doctoral studies, on financing options or just generally on life at Göttingen University and in Germany, or if you just want to get to know your new PhD students' representative, please come along and join us!

**Events of GGG: Festive Opening Ceremony of Praxismodule on 08.02.2018**

On 08.02.2018, the *SüdniedersachsenInnovationsCampus* (South Lower Saxony Innovation Campus, SNIC), the section Business Contacts of Göttingen University and GGG present their joint projects "PraxisForscher" and "Praxismodule". Both programs address PhD students who want to prepare their future career outside academia. From 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. "Praxismodule" will start with an opening ceremony at the Convention Center by the Historical Observatory and there will be information on the program's options of funding, networking and qualification. Furthermore, the PhD students' forum on professional practice and the alumni-group on „Science and Practice“ will be founded. This event is open to the general public. You are cordially invited to join us at the Convention Center and to network with PhD students and alumni, who also aim at a career outside of academia, or already work in these fields. Further information can be found [here](#).

**Registration for GGG courses of the first quarter 2018**

You can now register for the following courses of GGG:

- [Jetzt pack ich's an: Selbst- und Zeitmanagement für die Promotion](#) on 25.01. and 26.01. as well as on 06.07.2018
- [Grundlagen der Mitarbeiter\\*innenführung](#) from 05.03. until 07.03.2018
- [Presenting Well](#) on 08.03. and 09.03.2018

You can find detailed information on individual courses and the application procedure [here](#).

**Information of GGG: 50 keys for the eLearning course "Good Academic Practice during the Doctoral Studies"**

GRADE, the graduate academy of the Goethe University Frankfurt, has designed an eLearning course on "[Good Academic Practice during Doctoral Studies](#)". This interdisciplinary course answers questions such as "How should research results be documented?", "How do I quote correctly?", "How do I handle image sources?", but also deals with how to wisely plan and organize the research project and which legal aspects, e.g. in labor law or copyright law, are relevant for doctoral candidates. A demo version is accessible free of charge, but you need a key to register for full access. GGG has received 50 license keys. If you are interested in obtaining a key for free, please [contact](#) us.

**New: Statistical consulting for PhD students**

Since 01.10.2017, the Centre for Statistics offers consulting services in statistical questions for PhD students of the following graduate schools: GAUSS, GGG, GFA, and GSGG. The service comprises in particular consultation on data collection, statistical modelling and statistical inference. You can find further information [here](#).



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