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Elections for the Academic Senate and the Extended Academic Senate of the Free University of Berlin on June 17 and 18, 2025.



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We stand for:

Participation and co-determination, fair and reliable working conditions, transparency, lived diversity, and tolerance.

Our guiding principle:

Not treating symptoms, but striving for sustainable, structural improvements for all academic midlevel staff.

For the retention and concrete implementation of the original § 110 (6) of the Berlin Higher **Education Act.**

Despite drastic budget cuts, we remain committed to the original §

110 (6) and call for fair career prospects for all postdocs instead of endless fixed-term contracts. We advocate for the proposals of the Junge Akademie and the Network for Decent Work in Academia regarding lecturer and departmental models.

Include third-party funded employees.

All reform proposals to date have avoided addressing the area that makes up by far the largest share—both quantitatively and qualitatively—of precarious fixed-term employment: third-party funded positions.

We are firmly committed to systematically including this group of employees.

A more democratic university

Improved participation requires better communication, more transparency, and quarter parity in university committees, so that all status groups are equally involved in decision-making processes.

A just and diverse university

The achievements in gender equality and diversity must be defended and further expanded, including addressing structural conditions that have a discriminatory impact.

All forms of hate must be actively opposed, and the university should be a place where no one feels excluded or threatened. Everyone

should contribute to this goal.

"Good scientific practice"

We support the full implementation of the DFG Code of Conduct "Guidelines for Safeguarding Good Scientific Practice" at Freie Universität Berlin. Structural conditions that enable abuse of power must be dismantled, and independent complaint and arbitration bodies must be established.

More on this: https://zeitgeschichte-online.de/themen/professorinnen-gegen-machtmissbrauch-universitaeten



Academic Staff (List No. 3)

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WiMi List No. 3 for you in the Akademic Senate

Due to budget cuts imposed by the Berlin Senate, Freie Universität Berlin is facing major challenges, directly or indirectly affecting staff in service, technical, and administrative roles (MTSV, formerly known as "SoMis") as well as academic staff (WiMis).

This makes the seats in the Academic Senate especially important when it comes to resisting the cuts and protecting employees. Additionally, this body is responsible for electing the new university president.

Moreover, we are committed to consistently advocating for the implementation of our demands within

the work of the Academic Senate.

We aim to bring about long-term structural change to reduce fixedterm contracts, precarious working conditions, and abuse of power.

We seek to enforce our collective agreement, create attractive long-term career paths at the university for all employees, and promote greater transparency, participation, social justice, and diversity.

The Academic Senate is the highest academic decision-making body of Freie Universität Berlin. It consists of 25 elected members, each serving a two-year term.

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