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Dear doctoral students,
Dear graduates,

In this May-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

Team Social Sciences at the SUB Göttingen

We support you in matters relating to the provision of literature. For groups we offer guided tours upon request by the Central Library, the Economics & Social Sciences Divisional Library and training for specific databases as SOWIPORT / CSA and GVK+. For the bibliographic management software Citavi and Zotero we offer you interactive courses and webinars. For Citavi there is also regular office hours every first and third Wednesday of the month from 13.00 – 15.00 at the Learning Resources Center of the Central Library.

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Information from the GGG:

New funding: language revision grants

If you are writing your thesis in German, but are not a German native speaker, you may apply for editing funding as a GGG member. Your thesis should be completed textually during editing but not have been submitted to the faculty. Funding covers an acknowledged editor's fee working with you on error control and linguistic improvement of the text. Applications may be filed each for the following half-year. Next application deadlines are 30.06. and 30.09.2016. Detailed information can be found [here](#).

Introduction to German Academic Culture (09.-10.06.2016)

This course addresses international PhD students who feel not yet sufficiently familiar with German academic culture. It aims at providing them with knowledge about the German system and insights into implicit rules. Further information on course contents, location, time and registration procedure can be found [here](#).

Village life in Bischhausen on 08.06.2016

Rhea Braunwalder and the Helpdesk for International PhD students of the GGG invite you to get to know Göttingen's environs and its inhabitants: Bischhausen's inhabitants open their doors under the "Zeige dein Dorf!" initiative (= show us your village), presenting their life in the countryside to interested visitors. For further dates, information and registration please visit this [website](#).

Excursion to Quedlinburg on 18.06.2016

The Helpdesk for International PhD students of the GGG and Studium International (Göttingen International Office) are planning a one-day excursion: the bus will take us through Harz National Park to UNESCO world cultural heritage Quedlinburg, which we will discover on an extensive guided tour through the historical center and the castle. Detailed information can be found [here](#).

Karaoke in Foyer International on 04.07.2016

The Helpdesk for International PhD students of the GGG and Foyer International team invite all ambitious singers for a karaoke evening in Von-Siebold-Str. 2. For further information and registration can be found [here](#).

Call for Papers: "THE KNOWLEDGE FACTOR: Refugees in Central and Eastern Europe, 1912-2001."

Critical analyzes should emphasize the historical dimension of this topic; the conference aspires to contribute to the history of science, post-colonial studies, and the socio-political as well as cultural history of the twentieth century. Whereas case studies should focus on Eastern Europe as destination and host country, we explicitly welcome papers on the global entanglements of the region and the inherent interdependence of its composing parts. Deadline: 20.06.2016. Detailed information can be found [here](#).

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