Forum Scientiarum

FORUM SCIENTIARUM, DOBLERSTR. 33, 72074 TÜBINGEN

The FORUM SCIENTIARUM is an interdisciplinary scientific institution of the University of Tübingen. It strives to promote the exchange between all academic disciplines and to provide students and scholars with the opportunity to reflect upon their own academic works critically, and position them in the overall structure of the University.

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Welcome Center

WELCOME CENTER, WILHELMSTR. 9, 72074 TÜBINGEN

The Welcome Center at the University of Tübingen supports international researchers in their everyday life with advice and assistance before and upon their arrival in Tübingen. But the Welcome Center wants more than that. Our goal is to help international researchers in all of Tübingen’s faculties to find their way around life and work. We cooperate with various institutions outside the university in order to help our guests and their families to profit from a great variety of experiences outside their faculty and beside work.

Our aim is to offer full service so that international scholars can do great research, enjoy life, and look forward to coming again.
Humboldt Lectures
WS 2017/18
The Humboldt Lecture Series gives Humboldt fellows who spend some time at Tübingen University the opportunity to present their work to a broader faculty. It thereby provides a platform to discuss the research of some of the most excellent researchers from all over the world in an interdisciplinary context. Additionally, the Humboldt Lecture Series is meant to be a meeting point for all international scholars at Tübingen University.

The Lecture is organized in cooperation with:
Welcome Center and Forum Scientiarum are presenting lectures by current Humboldt fellows at Tübingen University.

The Lectures

15.11.2017 Opening, 6.30 p.m.
• Prof. Dr. Lars T. Angenent, Biotechnology, Cornell University, USA [Humboldt-Professorship at the University of Tübingen]: Carbon Recovery in a Society that is powered by Renewable Electricity

The lecture will be followed up by a reception.

13.12.2017, 6.30 p.m.
• Dr. Natalia Korotkova, General and Applied Linguistics [University of California, USA]: Subjective Language
• Prof. Dr. Charlotte Methuen, Theology and Religious Studies [University of Glasgow, Scotland]: The Reformation and Brexit: History and UK’s Position in Europe

10.01.2018, 6:30 p.m.
• Dr. Anna Martius, Computational Neuroscience [Institute of Science and Technology Klosterneuburg, Austria]: Optimal State for Computations in the Brain
• Prof. Dr. Izak Cornelius, Ancient Near Eastern Studies [University of Stellenbosch, South Africa]: Stories in Stone. The Material Imagery of Ancient Western Asia with Sam’al as Case

07.02.2018, 6:30 p.m.
• Dr. Surasak Jittavisuthikul, Immunology [Mahidol University Bangkok, Thailand]: Neutralizing Human Transbodies for Hepatitis C Virus infection
• Dr. Fraiser McNair, Medieval History [University of Cambridge, UK]: Two Sides of the Same Coin? West Frankish Conceptions of Royal and Episcopal Authority in a Post-Imperial Age, 898-1031

After the lectures we will have the opportunity to continue the discussion, have fun, and network over a glass of wine. All lectures take place at Forum Scientiarum.