

# FORTHEM Staff Week: European perspectives on leadership in higher education – from executives and personnel development



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## Description

The FORTHEM Staff week is a five-day workshop on the topic "European perspectives on leadership in higher education". The aim is to offer space and input for exchange about good leadership at universities in the FORTHEM alliance and beyond for executive staff and personnel development staff (HRD).

Is there an European perspective on leadership in higher education? What about organisational impacts on leadership, what do universities expect from their executive staff and from their personnel development programs? How can HRD support good leadership?

These questions will guide the FORTHEM staff week with input and discussion sessions, exchange formats, peer consultation, job shadowing and methodical workshops.

## Intended Outcomes

During the workshop, participants will strengthen their leadership skills as well as their methodological competencies. Through group work in international groups from different universities, participants will be able to exchange their experiences and skills and develop a mutual understanding of leadership in higher education.

## Content

The event includes five days of workshops (27 hours in total) and group dinners, as well as other extracurricular activities (like a city tour and a wine tasting, which need to be covered by own expenses).

Further Information including the week plan, and a detailed program description is listed on our website: <https://www.personalentwicklung.uni-mainz.de/ueber-uns/forthem-staff-week/>

## Dates and location

Date: Monday, 12.09.2022 to Friday, 16.09.2022

Location: Campus of Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz

## Target group

This Staff Week is for FORTHEM executive and HRD staff only.

## Expenses

Travel expenses can be paid through Erasmus+ Staff Mobility grants from your home institution. To do so, you must apply for the funds at your institution.

## Registration

Deadline: 15.07.2022

Maximum number of participants: 30

Cancellation policy: If the event cannot be held on site in Mainz due to COVID19 there will be an online-Event in the same week.

Further terms and conditions: As we cannot estimate what the COVID19 regulations will be in September, we can only permit people who recovered from COVID or are fully vaccinated to attend the workshop.

Registration link:

<https://www.personalentwicklung.uni-mainz.de/registration-staff-week/>

## Further Procedure

We will send out confirmations whether registered persons may participate in the Staff Week by the end of July. Please hold off from making any travel plans or booking a hotel room until you have received a confirmation.

## Event coordinator

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