

Dear colleagues,

We are delighted to welcome you to the Erasmus+ International Staff Week CrossMedia Connect at the Medien-campus of Hochschule Darmstadt (h_da) - one of Germany's largest and most diverse media campuses.

Over the coming days, we invite you to connect, share experiences, and discover the vibrant community at Hochschule Darmstadt. Together, we will discuss the societal opportunities and risks of contemporary technologies, explore current developments in various creative and media fields and share best practices for modern, innovative teaching methods.

We hope you enjoy your time here and return home with new ideas, partnerships, and friends.

Warm regards,

THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICE & MEDIENCAMPUS TEAM

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Welcome to the medien campus

Faculty of Media
Darmstadt University of Applied Sciences

CrossMedia Connect
Erasmus+ Staff Week

CrossMediaConnect 2025

Schedule

Monday, November 24th

10:45 – 12:00 Opening & Welcome
Greeting words by Rector Prof. Dr. Arnd Steinmetz &
Vice Dean Prof. Dr. Patricia Bliemeister
12:00 – 13:00 Lunch
13:00 – 14:30 Introduction Round
14:30 – 14:45 Coffee Break
14:45 – 16:00 Campus Tour: Faculty of Media
18:30 Brewery Tour & Welcome Dinner
at Restaurant Braustüb'l
Goebelstr. 7, 64289 Darmstadt

Tuesday, November 25th

9:30 – 10:30 Session 1 “State of Gaming”
with Prof. Carla Heinzl
10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break
10:45 – 12:30 Session 2 “Extended Realities”
with Prof. Dr. Paul Grimm
12:30 – 13:00 Bus to Darmstadt
Lunch to go is provided
13:00 – 15:30 Study Abroad Fair
15:30 – 15:45 Coffee Break
15:45 – 17:45 Campus Tour: Darmstadt Campus

Wednesday, November 26th

9:30 – 10:30 Session 1 “Film Production”
with Prof. Alex Herzog
10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 12:30 Session 2 “Sound Production”
with Prof. Felix Krückels, Prof. Hanna Steger, Prof. Dr. Jürgen Schwab
12:30 – 13:15 Lunch (Mensa)
13:15 – 14:00 Bus Transfer
14:00 – 15:15 UNESCO Natural World Heritage
“Grube Messel”
15:15 – 15:45 Bus Transfer
15:45 – 16:45 UNESCO World Heritage
“Mathildenhöhe”
Followed by: Christmas Market (Darmstadt)

Thursday, November 27th

9:30 – 11:15 Session 1 - Problem-Based Learning
11:15 – 11:30 Coffee Break
11:30 – 12:30 Session 2 “Storytelling for Digital Media”
with Prof. Georg Struck
12:30 – 13:15 Lunch (Mensa)
13:30 – 15:00 Networking – Bring Your Business Card
at Café Zeitraum
16:30 – 17:45 Student Showcase w/ Music & Film
in the auditorium/ Aula
18:00 – 18:30 DAAD Award Ceremony
18:30 – 21:00 Dinner

Friday, November 28th

9:30 – 10:30 Session 1 “Research & Promotion”
with Dr. Klara-Maeve O'Reilly & PhD-Students
10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break
10:45 – 12:30 Feedback Session - Wrap-Up & Farewell