



## **HU im Dialog at 6 April: How do we deal with personalities from HU history who come under criticism?**

Only recently, the founder of quantum physics and Nobel Prize winner Erwin Schrödinger, who taught and researched at Friedrich Wilhelm University, made headlines. What is there to the allegations of sexual assault? Should the lecture hall and seminar building named after him on the Adlershof campus be renamed? How should the university deal with historical figures and role models in general? And what experiences have other Berlin universities had with this topic? These and other questions will be the subject of the online discussion "Schrödinger, Butenandt & Co- how do we deal with historical figures who have come under criticism?" from 3 to 5 pm. Following the panel discussion, all Humboldtians are cordially invited to contribute their perspectives.

### **At a glance**

Time: 6 April, 2022, 3 to 5 p.m.

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## Participants of the panel discussion

- Prof. Dr. Gabriele Metzler is a historian and chair of the Historical Commission of the HU. Currently, the commission is busy redesigning the exhibition of important personalities in front of the Senate Hall in the main building, which will be reopened at the end of April.
- Dr. Ursula Fuhrich-Grubert holds a doctorate in history and is the HU's central women's representative. At the request of female students and professors from the Adlershof campus, she is taking care of the topic of Erwin Schrödinger as an identification figure of the HU.
- Prof. Dr. Monika Gross is Professor of Cell Biology/Molecular Biology at the Berlin University of Applied Sciences. She was president of the university from 2011 to 2019, leading it through the anti-Semitism debate surrounding its then namesake Beuth.
- Stephanie Mia Schwanz is a student at the HU. Her research focuses on gender relations and law as well as reproductive rights. Her final thesis is dedicated to the (historical) pathologisation of women.

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