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# Lange Nacht der Wissenschaften on 22 June: Programme highlights and ticket raffle

Dear Humboldtians,

Would you like to interview researchers live about their work from the Amazon to the Arctic? Take a walk through the Späth Arboretum at dusk? Or learn GDR dances with the whole family in a workshop? These and over 170 other programme highlights await you at the Long Night of the Sciences on 22 June from 5 pm to midnight at the HU. The events will take place on the Mitte, Adlershof and North campuses as well as the Späth Arboretum, the Humboldt Laboratory and the Mori Ogai Memorial. We offer an exclusive ticket raffle and discounted tickets for HU employees.

# Video: Julia von Blumenthal gives an insight into the programme

Extra



"I would like to thank all the contributors who helped to prepare the Lange Nacht der Wissenschaften."

Watch on YouTube

### Tickets: prize draw for employees until 19 June

After the first ticket raffle, we are going into extra time and increasing the number of tickets: We're giving away ten more tickets for employees. Simply post the question about your personal highlights or tips in the comments field below the post on the intranet:

Read the article and take part in the prize draw

### **Discounted tickets for employees**

Employees of the participating institutions who are not on duty during the event, as well as their relatives, friends and acquaintances, can purchase discounted individual and family tickets online.

General tickets are available online or at the box office in the cour d'honneur of the HU main building on 22 June.

Information on ticket discounts

## Highlights from the programme

#### **Global Climate Call: Call a Scientist**

8 to 11 pm in the Humboldt Labor in the Humboldt Forum, 1st floor

Live broadcasts to researchers on the RV Polarstern in the Arctic, the Amazon and Australia to find out more about global climate change research. Visitors can talk to the scientists.

#### Humboldt spoken word poet Bas Böttcher on treasures

7 to 7:30 pm in the Main Building, Ehrenhof

The current Humboldt spoken word poet Bas Böttcher takes the audience on a rousing lyrical treasure hunt full of surprises. In the style of slam poetry, he ventures into the world of words and unearths gold, diamonds, bitcoins, jewels and parts of a hidden vocabulary.

# Children's university: Coins and fairy tales: What actually is money?

5:30 to 6 pm in the main building, lecture theatre 1070, ground floor

Chocolate, Lego, the new mobile phone: you need money for everything. But what is money? How is it created? What are taxes? What does a bank do? The workshop takes you into the world of money with illustrative examples. Parents and children can discover this together and discuss it.

# New Dances, New Society: The Choreography of Socialism in the GDR

5 to 7:30 pm in the main building, Senatssaal

Between 1950 and 1970, dozens of new dances were created in the GDR to encourage participation in the construction of the "new" socialist society; only a few were recorded or filmed. In this child- and family-friendly workshop, visitors can learn these "new" dances.

# Spot on! - Twilight tours through the Späth Arboretum

7 to 10 pm at Späth Arboretum

Guided tour at dusk through the woody garden with 4,000 native and exotic plant species, including a look into the greenhouse and herbarium, which are otherwise not open to the public. Visitors can use their own mobile phone as a torch or borrow a head torch in the dark and discover surprising things.

## **Exhibition MAREJESHO - Restitution Research**

5 to 10:30 pm at Tieranatomisches Theater

In 2022, the mobile exhibition travelled to villages in northern Tanzania. The focus was on questions relating to the return of cultural artefacts and human remains to the communities of origin. With short guided tours, tours and an open table discussion on restitution with the exhibition's organisers.

# Come see the Snow Leopard

5 to 10 pm in the Alfred-Rühl-Haus on the Adlershof campus, ground floor, foyer

A virtual reality exhibition where participants have the opportunity to

explore snow leopard landscapes in India and Kyrgyzstan. Visitors can also take part in an interactive game and set up camera traps to observe snow leopards.

# Forest and sea - sustainable adhesives made of wood inspired by the mussel

5 to 11 pm on the Adlershof campus, Emil Fischer House, Kamm A, 2nd floor, room 2.116

The development of environmentally friendly adhesives is shaping a more sustainable future for generations to come. They are less harmful to the environment than conventional adhesives and can even have a positive impact on fragile ecosystems.

All HU events at a glance

The programme at all locations



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