From July 5: Resumption of presence operation - under pandemic conditions

Back in the office and lab: return to working in presence

Starting next Monday, after the expiration of the federal emergency brake, Humboldt University will also gradually return to normal operations: In principle, working in presence is possible again. However, the distance and hygiene rules, which are anchored in the framework hygiene plan, continue to apply. The workplace-specific risk assessment also remains valid and must be taken into account.

Provided that there are no official reasons to the contrary and tasks can be completed sensibly in the home office, employees can make appropriate agreements with their supervisors on flexible and mobile working.

All HU buildings and areas are once again open to members of the university for the performance of tasks in research, teaching and studies, continuing education, administration and academic self-administration. Permits are no longer required.

Opening hours may vary according to the necessities of the individual areas on a site-specific basis.

The buildings will remain closed to the general public. This includes the cour d'honneur in front of the main building, which will be accessible again as an architectural monument (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.). However, the main entrance at Unter den Linden 6 will remain closed to prevent uncontrolled access to the property.

Teaching: Summer semester still digital

Students will also be allowed to enter university properties to attend face-to-face classes as well as use service offerings starting July 5. However, they must still present a negative test result that is no more than 24 hours old. Vaccinated and convalescent students must present appropriate proof. In principle, teaching for the 2021 summer semester will continue digitally until the end of the lecture period.

Events: Conferences in attendance possible again from mid-July

Events with the participation of a public audience, such as meetings, conferences, readings, etc., will be possible again at the end of the lecture period from July 18. The requirements of the Third SARS-CoV-2 Infection Control Measures Ordinance will continue to apply unchanged. All distance and hygiene rules continue to apply - in particular, the wearing of an FFP2 mask is mandatory.

More questions and answers about current measures

Questions and answers about the current measures of the Humboldt-Universität to contain the pandemic can be found bundled at hu.berlin/corona.