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Humboldt Residency Application Open! Deadline March 4th.

Dear all,

The Humboldt Residency Programme 2024 invites researchers, artists, writers, and civil society actors to Brandenburg/Berlin for a six-week residency on the topic of "Power and Knowledge: Confronting Global Imbalances in our Knowledge Systems".

The Humboldt Residency Programme brings together a transdisciplinary, international group of twelve participants consisting of Humboldtians and junior researchers with a diverse range of disciplinary backgrounds with writers, artists, civil society actors and social entrepreneurs.

Find out more about the programme [here](#).

Please reach out to residency@avh.de should you have any questions regarding the programme or application process.

Kind wishes,
Your Humboldt Residency-Team



February 2024 Events

- 3 **Philly Alaaf! A Fasnacht TanzParty**, 8:00pm
- 4 **Gentle Yoga**, 11:00am
- 10 **Buchclub: Aller Tage Abend** by Jenny Erpenbeck, 1:30pm
- 11 **Kinderfasnacht mit PhillyKinder**, 3:30pm
- 14 **Konversationsabend**, 6:00pm
- 16 **Friday Film Fest: Die Glasbläserin**, 6:30pm
- 17 **Wandern at the Willows**, 11:00am
- 18 **Wister and More Presents: Rachell Ellen Wong & David Belkovski**, 3:00pm
- 24 **11th Annual Philly Bierfest**, 2:00pm



The DAI presents: Arthur Landwehr: The Torn States of America. Old myths and new values – a country is fighting for its identity

Join USA expert and long-time ARD radio correspondent in Washington, Arthur Landwehr, as he describes the election campaign as a culture war that threatens to tear the USA apart as seen in his new book "The Torn States of America".

The stream will be broadcasted via Zoom on Monday, February 5th at 1pm Eastern. Click [here](#) for more info.

Canstatter Volkfest Verein Valentine's Dinner / Sinatra Show

The Canstatter Volkfest Verein will be hosting a Valentine's dinner and Sinatra show on February 9th starting at 5:30pm.

Enjoy a 5-course dinner with your loved one while listening to the sounds of Frank Sinatra preformed by Steve Ritrovato.

Doors open at 5:30, dinner starts at 6:30, show starts at 7:30.
\$75.00 per ticket. \$140.00 for a couple ticket. Get your tickets [here!](#)

Annual Hax'n Essen!

GACC Philadelphia is proudly partnering with [Brauhaus Schmitz](#) to host our Annual Hax'n Essen! Please join us on Thursday, February 22 from 6:00-9:00 pm at Brauhaus Schmitz in Philadelphia for our first event of the new year!

We are excited to share this German specialty with our members and friends: a traditional Schweinshaxe (crispy pork shank)! Enjoy a delicious 3-course dinner (vegetarian option available) as well as German wine and beer in a casual networking setting. We look forward to seeing you there!



German American
Chambers of Commerce
Deutsch-Amerikanische
Handelskammern

GACC German American Business Outlook (GABO) 2024

Join the GACC 2/28/24 for GABO 2024 in Philly!

Their annual survey results promise an in-depth exploration of the landscape of German businesses in the United States, offering a comprehensive outlook for the year ahead.

The German American Business Outlook 2024 is a significant event for German-American Business Executives. Stay informed about the current economic situation with a comprehensive update to better understand the factors that could influence your business operations in the year to come. Get more info [here!](#)



11th Annual Bierfest!

Bierfest is back! Bierfest 2024 will be the 11th annual iteration of this refreshingly different, Deutschably-delicious beer festival. Benefiting the German Society and the Philly Roller Derby as well as the Brewers of Pennsylvania, Bierfest is designed to celebrate Pennsylvania's German brewing heritage and to showcase this state's leadership in brewing world-class German-style beers. Come visit with PA's leading brewers of Lagers, Kölsches, Bocks, and Weizens, and sample a diverse array of imports from Germany as you learn more about this local specialty and indulge in our uncommon array of activities and entertainments!

Philly Alaaf! A Fasnacht TanzParty

Sat. Feb. 3, 2024 - 8:00pm - 11:55pm.

Join us for a Fasnacht (Mardi Gras) Dance party at the fabulous retro Ratskeller of the German Society - celebrating German Karneval with all of its glitz and glitter. Dress in costume or come as you are, but definitely come and dance with us!

Our DJ will play a selection of popular dance music and sing-along hits, and our bar will serve beer, wine and a signature cocktail. Admission of \$10 includes a drink ticket. Get your tickets [here!](#)

