

WINTER EDITION!

Newsletter



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The winter semester's **DIES ACADEMICUS**: it is on the 6th of December: No classes. Instead, Public events, exhibitions, and lectures will take place at the university main building and individual institutes.

Check out the planned public lectures at the faculty of Agriculture in the Events [here](#)

For all other news and all weekly social activities organized by the international students office [here](#)



The Holidays will arrive soon and we would like to wish you Merry Christmas!

RECENT PUBLICATIONS

Public acceptance of default nudges to promote healthy and sustainable food choices:

A new open-access article by Professor Dominic Lemken and his colleagues. Check the full article [here](#)

From "Grain for Green" to "Forests to Arable Land" : a study on environmental sustainability, biodiversity, and rural livelihoods by Dr. Linmei Shang. Full article accessible from [here](#)



EVENTS

Seminars & Lectures:

- 1.12: istart-Job Application Training 12:00 – 1:30pm
- 02.12 - 23.12: (online weekly on Saturdays): Ukrainian Language Course for Beginners at 10:00-11.45. For more info: [link](#)
- 05.12: Preserving creation – more than sustainability? lecture on sustainability from 6:15 p.m. - 7:45 p.m, in the Lecture hall XV main university building. No registration required
- 06.12: "Challenges in using law to achieve sustainable development: Experiences from India" by Ritwick Dutta, Legal Initiative for Forest and Environment - ZEF. 11:00
- 13.12: 28 years and counting: Why are COPs Relevant and how can we use them to Accelerate Action for Climate Resilience. Organised by Bimun. For more info, check the [link](#)
- 20.12: The climate Crisis and the Struggle for Gender Justice in land and Food Systems in the Global South. Organised by Bimun. More info [here](#)

06.12 - DIES ACADEMICUS at University of Bonn

Events, exhibitions, and lectures at the university. More info [here](#)

- 10.15: Personalized nutrition based on the microbiome – state of the art. Given by Marie-Christine Simon
- 11.15: Entrepreneurs as solution providers for the great challenges of our time!?. Given by Prof. Dr. Denise Fischer-Kreer
- 12:15: Is agriculture a problem, or a solution to climate change??. Given by Prof. Dr. Ana Meijide
- 14:15: Why we need to talk about Agriculture (and Agricultural Economics). Given by Prof. Dr. Niklas Möhring
- 15:15: Resilience of soil systems - What can numerical modeling contribute??. Prof. Dr. Holger Pagel (CANCELLED)

Social:

- 08.12: Christmas party at 18:00. Organised by the International Office of the Faculty of Agriculture. To register, [here](#)
- 15.12: The Frankenstein Jr Musical: Swap the free voucher you were given while doing the city registration for an entrance ticket at the TheaterKasse in the city center: Get the ticket as early as possible for the front row seats. For more info: [check the program](#)
- 19.12: Werewolf+ (game evening) at 19.00 in International Club of Uni Bonn, organised by the Ukrainian Students Association - Poppelsdorfer Allee 53.

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JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Are you in need of a job opportunity? We did some research for you and found these interesting offers:

- **Student assistant (SHK, WHF, WHK)** for administrative activities at ZEF-B. Application is open until the position is filled. For more info [click here](#)
- **Student Assistant (f/m/d) (Geo-Spatial Data)** at the land economics group of the food and resource economics institute. For more details, check [here](#)
- **Internship position at IDOS:** The German Institute of development and sustainability, to work on "SHAPING FUTURES ACADEMY" from February 1, 2024. Apply before December 6, 2023. For more info, check [here](#)
- **Intern (f/m/d)** in the agriculture sector project at GIZ office in Bonn: apply until the 31st of December to do work on Agricultural sustainability, value chains, policy, and trade. | Fluency in German and English required| for more info [click here](#)
- **Intern (f/m/d) management consultancy** in agricultural and food industry at AFC Consulting Group AG, Bonn. For more info, check their website from [here](#)

Our new students representatives!

Hey, I'm Francesc, 24 years of age and grateful to be in my 1st Semester of AFECO! I studied Economics in France and I'm now looking forward for these years ahead! Feel free to ask, talk and share anything at anytime with us, we'll be glad to hear you out 😊 See ya around!



Hi, my name is Felix I'm 22 years old and in my first AFECO semester. I did my Bachelor in Agricultural science in Bonn, so I know the city and the University well. Feel free to contact me any time if you have questions I'm happy to help. I'm looking forward to our time :)



DEADLINES

- **From 01.12:** The registration period for exams in Basis starts
- **WUS Sponsorship Award:** For those writing their Master thesis, the prize will be awarded to those who write in the following areas: SDGs, education for sustainable development, global learning or human rights to education. Application must be send before 28.02.2024. More info [here](#) (German)

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PUBLICATIONS & MORE

"UniBonn.UA" is an Association of Ukrainian students of the University of Bonn with the aim of representing their interests as a separate cultural and student community and implementing various initiatives. The activity is exclusively non-profit.



Activities include the following areas:

- cultural (e.g. Ukrainian movie nights, photo exhibition, donation event "Help to Ukraine", cooking workshops)
- informational (e.g. lectures about studying in the universities of Germany)
- cooperation with Ukrainian youth (e.g. German speaking club).

Every Ukrainian student of the University of Bonn and any interested person, regardless of age, nationality, race, colour, religion or gender can voluntarily become a member of the association. The organisation is free and glad to get support from everybody, who is ready to contribute voluntarily to its projects. [Link to become a member](#)

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- *Nina Mialo, 5th semester AFECO student, she's deputy head of the organisation. Several current and former AFECO students are active members*



PUBLICATIONS & MORE

*If you want to share articles, news, or interesting publications please reach out to us



WRITE US!

This is a student-run newsletter intended to motivate you to participate in educational & fun events. We will be happy to hear from you. If you want to contribute with information or share experiences you are welcome to contact us at: s27letxe@uni-bonn.de or s03anyis@uni-bonn.de