



The UNITE! Teacher Training and Education Staff Week

The event brings together people who are **administratively involved in** higher education and **teacher education**, people working at the centres for teacher education or similar institutions.

- Topics include:
 - Presentation and discussion about the teaching programmes for the teaching profession at the universities involved (subject didactics, didactics)
 - Courses of teacher training at the universities
 - Presentation and discussion of preparatory courses for the students
 - Practical opportunities at cooperating schools/high schools (if available)
 - Possible "mobility windows" (times for exchange) for individual subjects

- Participate in workshops, share best practice and network with like-minded professionals.

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Organisation: **TU Darmstadt**
Mode: **Virtual (via Zoom)**
Date: **15.-17.06.2021 (Tue-Thu)**
Number of Participants: **30**

Target group:

People administratively involved in higher education and **teacher education**, people working at the centres for teacher education or similar institutions (not lecturers of the subjects and subject didactics)

Aim:

Exchange knowledge and explore possibilities to initialise an international network for STEM teacher education within UNITE!

Thematic focus

The Staff Week is about sharing knowledge with a view to teacher training and the internationalisation of the teaching profession. After getting to know each other we want to learn from each other how teacher training is realised at the UNITE! universities. In working groups on specific topics we will focus on the idea of a joint exchange programme for teacher training, how it could look like and what its focus should be. We will consider digital and physical events in which all interested students from the UNITE! universities could participate. But it could also simply be a matter of getting into conversation again and having the opportunity to learn more about teacher training at the partner universities. We will give the framework of discussion, set impulses and will be driven by everybody's ideas and experiences. After presenting our results we will plan how we and our students can all benefit of the network in the future.

Preliminary Programme

Tue June 15th <i>Section 1:</i> <i>Welcome (Vice-President Jens Schneider)</i> <i>Intercultural introduction (Prof. Dr. Christoph Merkelbach)</i> <i>Section 2</i> <i>Presentations of the UNITE! Partners</i>	09:30-12:00 (CET): Section 1 12:00-14:00 (CET): Lunch Break 14:00-16:00 (CET): Section 2
Wed June 16th <i>Section 3 and 4:</i> <i>Workshop Day</i>	10:00-12:00 (CET): Section 3 12:00-14:00 (CET): Lunch Break 14:00-16:00 (CET): Section 4
Thu June 17th <i>Section 5:</i> <i>Presentation of the Workshop Day Results</i> <i>Section 6</i> <i>Outlook- Future Plans</i>	10:00-12:00 (CET): Section 5 12:00-14:00 (CET): Lunch Break 14:00-15:00 (CET): Section 6

Registration via: www.tu-darmstadt.de/unite-staff-week-june2021

Registration Deadline: 14 May 2021

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