

# Higher Education for Refugees

Advice Centre of the  
Potsdam University  
of Applied Sciences

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  
3.30–6:30 pm

**HERE!** – Higher Education for Refugees is a first point of call for refugees with questions about studying in Germany. We speak English and Arabic as well as German and can additionally offer advice in other languages (French, Farsi etc.) should this be required.

We provide information, advice and support for all those who wish to start studying or to continue an interrupted study programme in Germany. We explain how study programmes are organised, which requirements there are in order to study in Germany and what the possibilities are for studying in the region Brandenburg.

Additionally, we can offer information and advice in refugee accommodation in around Potsdam, in order to help you take the first steps towards taking up a study programme.

We are also keen to build networks with universities in the region; communal accommodation and housing initiatives; migration advice centres; refugee initiatives; language schools; job centres and authorities.

Subject-specific guidance is provided by a board of higher education experts under the leadership of the vicepresident for international affairs, Prof. Dr. Hermann Voesgen.

**In the advice centre **HERE!**, we provide:**

- > information about the German university system and study programmes in the region Brandenburg
- > information about the requirements for applying to a study programme and connect you to those institutions which recognise foreign qualifications and previous higher education modules
- > an overview of special German language courses for people who wish to study
- > advice on possibilities to finance your studies
- > support in finding the right study programme for you
- > assistance in applying as a guest student or in enrolling in university
- > help to take up contact and communicate with universities and authorities

A number of our advisors have personal experiences of migrating to Germany and also study in Potsdam.

We provide free advice.

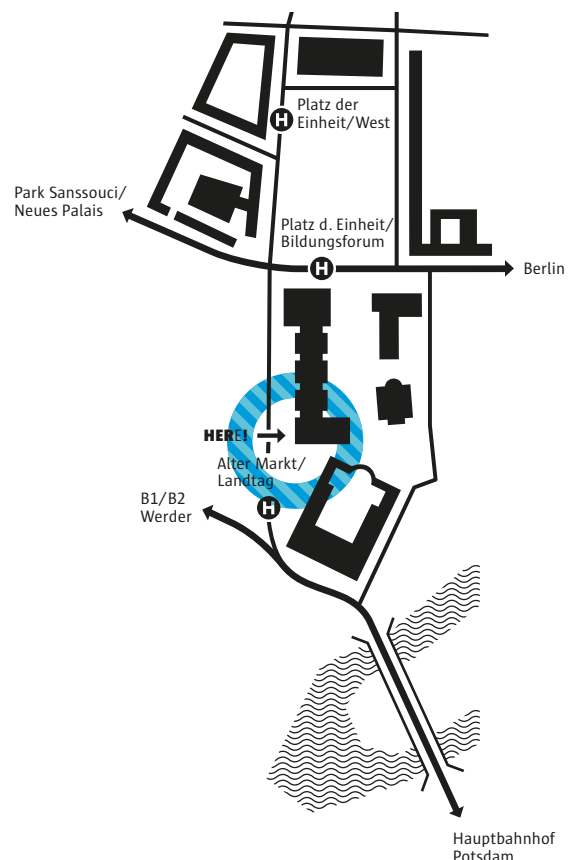


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