
PROGRAM

Day of Action Against Abuse of Power

Thursday, November 27, 2025

Hochschule für Musik und Tanz Köln

Workshops for students

Anti-discrimination and empowerment for students

- 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. | room 14, main building, Cologne
- referent: Pamela Akua Aryeh (freelance trainer and anti-discrimination officer at KHM)

Performascularity – Power. Space. Masculinities

- 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. | ZZT, Studio 3, Turmstr. 3-5, Cologne
- Trainer: Maïke Stemmler & Fabian Ceska ([Detox Identity](#))

Workshops for students and lecturers

Power and responsibility – rethinking communication

- 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. | ZZT, Turmstr. 3-5, Cologne
- Trainer: [Chun Mei Tan](#) und Laura Schuhrk

Appreciative Communication and Feedback Culture for Lecturers and Students | Aachen

- 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. | room 410, Aachen
- Trainer: [Barbara Barth](#) (jazz singer and psychological counsellor)

The Art of Respectful Communication | Wuppertal

- 9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. | room N304, Wuppertal
- Trainer: Vera Lyko (communication trainer, [Econoyou](#))

Workshops for teaching staff

Abuse of power: actively shaping and responsibly handling power relations at art universities

- 2:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. | room 13, main building, Cologne
- Trainer: [Alexandra Busch](#) (coach and trainer in context of universities)

Workshops for technical and administrative staff

Successful Communication between different administrative units in the context of power abuse

- 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 a.m. | room 2.06, THR, Cologne
- Trainer: [Marcus Brien](#) (actor and coach)

Information Fair | Foyer of the main building Cologne

- 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. | main building Cologne
- Internal and external counselling services

Book table with books on the subject of abuse of power

- Library in the main building, Cologne

„Resting space“ in the main building Cologne

- Counselling space | room 02, main building, Cologne
- For everyone, who needs space and/or a conversation

Verantwortung.Macht.Grenzen: a panel discussion on power abuse and the art to say “no”

- 7:00 p.m. - 8.30 p.m. | concert hall, main building, Cologne
- Discussion evening with artistic contributions



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