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### Dear doctoral students, Dear graduates,

In this February-newsletter we would like to inform you about announcements and events which might be of interest for your doctoral studies.

With kind regards from the Office of the Dean of Studies of the Faculty of Social Sciences,

Martin Ertelt

#### Information from the GGG:

#### Courses

The qualification program of GGG includes courses on self and social competencies, competencies needed for your PhD project, and professional skills. These are the upcoming workshops:

- 07.-08. & 14.-15. & 21.-22.03.24: <u>Academic Writing:</u> <u>Effective Strategies for Publishing in English</u> (online, Frank Lauterbach)
- 04.-05.04. & 11.04.24: <u>Career choices: The art of creating</u> <u>a career that you love</u> (in person & online, Dr. Kerstin Mauth)
- 24.04.24: <u>With good research practice through your</u> <u>doctoral studies – what the Ombuds Office can do for you</u> (online, Dr. Katharina Beier)
- 07.-08. & 15.05.24: <u>Scientific Presentation Getting it</u> <u>Right (online & in person, John Kluempers, Ph.D.)</u>

Detailed information on our courses and other PhD student courses offered by cooperating institutions can be found <u>here</u>.

#### **Support Measures**

The Göttingen Graduate School of Social Sciences provides support measures and scholarships for PhD students of social sciences. At the moment GGG offers new support for your qualification and networking activities. Further up-to-date information can be found on the <u>GGG homepage</u>.

#### SAVE THE DATE: Week of Methods 2024

The next interdisciplinary Week of Methods will take place in presence at the Historical Observatory and the adjacent Conference Centre by the Observatory September 09th – 12th, 2024.

The Week of Methods will open with a keynote by <u>Dr. Katharina</u> <u>Beier</u> (Göttingen): "With Good Research Practice through your doctoral Studies".

For the following days, you can choose from these parallel methodworkshops in order to broaden your methodological knowledge in an interdisciplinary way:

- Workshop 1: Methodenverknüpfung Theorie und Forschungspraxis (<u>Andrea Hense</u>, Göttingen)
- Workshop 2: Text als Daten computergestützte Methoden der Datensammlung und Textanalyse (<u>Valentin</u> <u>Gold</u>, Göttingen)
- Workshop 3: Understanding Data-Driven Legal Scholarship: A Stata Workshop About Empirical Legal Studies (<u>Prof. Dr. Roee Sarel</u>, Hamburg)

Another workshop is still in planning.

Applications will be possible 8 June – 30 July, 2024.

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www.methodenwoche.uni-goettingen.de

#### **Insights into Science Management**

Science management has become an attractive and manifold occupational field for PhD graduates. In order to illustrate the wide range of tasks and professions as well as prerequisites for an entry in this occupational field to PhDs and PostDocs, the Göttingen Interdisciplinary Graduate Schools provide different insights into science management in 2024. One example is the

<u>Schnupperworkshop</u> <u>"Wissenschaftsmanagement – ist das was für</u> <u>mich?"</u>. Further events and activities are still in planning. Please find further and updated information online <u>here</u>.

# Certificate Program of the Section for Teaching and Learning in Higher Education

If you want to qualify for teaching in a career-effective way, then you can now register again for the certificate programme of the Section for Teaching and Learning in Higher Education (Hochschuldidaktik). The program runs over a period of two semesters and starts in March 2024. The aim is to provide participants with key content and methods of teaching and learning at the university and to develop existing skills. The certificate program is usually conducted in German. If you are interested in participating at this program please don't hesitate to contact the <u>Hochschuldidaktik</u>. Further information and registration can be found <u>here</u>.

# FoLL: Enabling students to conduct research at an early stage - developing skills in research-oriented teaching

Dear doctoral students, dear lecturers,

would you like to supervise and accompany a small group of committed Bachelor's students (1/3 Master's is possible) in their early research, possibly also pursuing your own research interests and developing your skills in research-oriented teaching? The "Research-oriented Teaching and Learning" (FoLL) program, which is part of the section for teaching and learning in higher education, offers opportunities for this. Find out more <u>here</u> or contact Susanne Wimmelmann on 0551/3925981. The application deadline for SoSe 24 is 21.03.2024.

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