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Directions to the old Town Hall
Take the lift from Pilgrimstein (near Rudolphsplatz) up to the old town, turn right and after 100 meters turn left. After another 100 meters you will reach the Marktplatz (market square). The town hall is on your left, please follow the directions to the first floor

Historischer Rathaussaal/Historic Town Hall
Historic Town Hall, 1st floor
Markt 1
35037 Marburg

Welcome Reception

for International Doctoral Candidates and Scholars

4 December 2026

Marburg, Historic Town Hall

DEAR INTERNATIONAL RESEARCHERS,

On behalf of the City of Marburg and the University of Marburg, the International Office is delighted to invite you and your families to this year's International Welcome Reception at the historic Old Town Hall.

The reception will begin with welcoming addresses by representatives of the University and the City of Marburg. Afterwards, enjoy coffee, pastries, and refreshments while getting to know fellow newly arrived researchers. The event will conclude with a guided tour of Marburg's picturesque Old Town, offering an opportunity to discover the city's rich history and charm.

To end the evening on a festive note, we will visit Marburg's Christmas Market together and enjoy its magical seasonal atmosphere.

Please contact our staff for registration and more information at welcome@uni-marburg.de.

Registration closes on 30 November 2026.

We look forward to welcoming you and sharing this special occasion!

Your Welcome Center Team

AGENDA

15:45	**Reception**
16:00	**Musical Opening**
16:15	**Welcome Address by Dr. Thomas Spies** *Mayor of Marburg* **Welcome Address by Prof. Dr. Sabine Pankuweit** *Vice President for Equal Opportunities and Career Development at the University of Marburg* **Welcome Address by Prof. Dr. Gert Bange** *Vice President for Research at the University of Marburg* **Welcome Address by Sylvie Cloutier** *President of the Foreigners Advisory Council*
16:45	**Informal get-together, snacks and drinks**
18:00	**Guided city tour (optional)**
19:00	**Joint visit to the Christmas market (optional)**

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