

Subject: DFG Review Board Election 2023 | Your vote for science

Dear Sir or Madam,

The election of the Review Board members of the German Research Foundation (DFG) takes place between 23rd October 2023, 2 pm and 20th November 2023, 2 pm. This election is an important element in the system of scientific self-governance with regard to the distribution of grants by the DFG. Therefore, the DFG would like to ask all researchers who are eligible to vote to participate in the election.

Researchers are eligible to vote if they have completed their degree and have successfully passed their oral doctoral exam before the first day of the voting period or hold a professorship and are working in scientific or academic research at a voting centre on, but not limited to, the first day of the voting period.

For the Philipps-Universität Marburg we are the voting centre and therefore responsible for the administration of the election. We will compile a list with all researchers who are eligible to vote at our institution (electoral register) and make sure that these people get their election notification.

In the coming weeks all eligible voters will receive their election notification which includes their access information for the online voting system. They will get the election notification via letter post at their private address, which is saved at Philipps-Universität Marburg. They please keep their election notification in a safe place and make sure that only they are able to use the access information. If they lose the election notification after receipt – even through no fault of their own – they cannot receive a replacement notification.

With their access information, they will be able to log onto the online voting system during the voting period. They have six votes, which they can freely distribute to candidates for different Review Boards and/or different subject areas. They can give up to three votes to the same candidate. Detailed instructions on how to vote are to be found on the election notification.

Eligible voters can find further information on the Review Board Election under www.dfg.de/rb-election2023. Information on the function and duties of the Review Boards as well as their current members can be found under www.dfg.de/review_boards.

Kind regards

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