



## International Training Circle

Invitation to the 23rd International Training Conference  
for anthroposophic curative education, social therapy and related professions

### Homelessness and Relationship Building: Methodical–Didactical Approaches

April 24–27, 2019 at the Anthroposophical Center, Kassel

Dear Colleagues,

For the third time, this year's training conference will be based on the theme 'Homelessness as a Phenomenon of our Time'. As planned, this time we want to take the step towards the question of how to deal methodically and didactically with the experience of homelessness and alienation (from our body, identity, biography, etc.) in our educational pathways. In doing so, we want to juxtapose this with the question of the relationship to the self, to the other and to the world, as it is addressed in the Curative Education Course as an anchor and new 'home' for our work. With this we also join the efforts to explore the Curative Education Course anew from the point of view of the present time and in view of its 100th anniversary in 2024.

At the same time, this meeting will also look at how we can respond to the need for training opportunities for trainers in our global movement, which has been identified as a top priority by Council country delegates. Following on from discussions last year, the Training Council has developed a project proposal to this end which provides for regional peer-to-peer training conferences, learning partnerships and other activities to be organized around the 'backbone' of the Kassel Annual Meetings. We will present this proposal, discuss it and agree on the next steps together.

With regard to our formal agreements, we will submit for adoption revised versions of the guideline documents for the recognition process, adapted to the Council's new 'look' and somewhat simplified in terms of organization and comprehensibility.

From this year on, we will no longer receive the foundation funds available so far to support our conference, so we would also like to strengthen the solidarity-based financing of our joint work. We are grateful that some educational centers have contributed donations to our fund for travel expenses. As you can see in the registration form, we ask all participants to pay the new regular fee if possible. We also ask those who need financial support to consider carefully what other means they can use, so that we can distribute the available funds among as many colleagues as possible.

We look forward to working together!

Warmly,

Ralf Giese & Jan Göschel  
For the Training Council

# 23rd International Training Conference on Anthroposophic Curative Education, Social Therapy and Related Professions

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## Responsible entity:

Anthroposophic Council for Inclusive Social Development

## Organization:

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## Conference venue:

Anthroposophical Center Kassel

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D-34131 Kassel, Germany

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[www.az-kassel.de](http://www.az-kassel.de)

## Accommodation:

Please organize this yourself. (Hotel list enclosed. You can also search for hotels near Bahnhof Wilhelmshöhe on any booking portal. The Anthroposophical Center is about 5 minutes walk from the railway station.)

We are also able to arrange simple student accommodation again. If you are interested, please contact Johannes Wolter ([wolter@steiner-institut.de](mailto:wolter@steiner-institut.de)) as soon as possible with arrival and departure information.

## Catering:

Lunch (Th/Fr) and dinner (Wed/Th/Fr) as well as catering during breaks are included in the conference fee.

## Conference fee:

A solidarity fund for travel expenses has been set up to enable institutions in pioneer situations and economically weak regions to participate. We ask all participants and institutions to choose between the regular fee or the reduced conference fee on the basis of a self-assessment when registering. Through the regular contribution you support the possibility of needs-based solidarity funding.

**Regular fee: EUR 380,00 / CHF 430,00**

**Reduced contribution: EUR 300,00 / CHF 340,00**

Payment by bank transfer (see bank details footer first page – reference 'Conference Kassel 2019'), by PayPal to [info@inclusivesocial.org](mailto:info@inclusivesocial.org) or in cash at the beginning of the conference.

## Financial support:

If you need financial support, please submit your application at the time of registration. The application is included in the registration form. Support can only be provided within the limits of available resources, so we ask that applications be made as early as possible and that all other funding opportunities be fully exploited. If you have any questions, please contact Ralf Giese ([giese@haus-arild.de](mailto:giese@haus-arild.de), +49 4501 1890).

## Registration:

By 20 April 2019 at the latest via our website:

<https://inclusivesocial.org/event/internationaler-ausbildungskreis-jahrestagung/?lang=en>

## Upcoming date:

24th International Training Conference from 29 April to 27 May 2020

## Hotels nearby

### Hotels in the immediate vicinity of the Anthroposophical Center

#### InterCity Hotel Kassel

Fon 0561 / 9388-666, Fax 9388-888  
Wilhelmshöher Allee 241, D-34131 Kassel  
E-Mail: [kassel@intercityhotel.de](mailto:kassel@intercityhotel.de)  
[www.intercityhotel.de/kassel/](http://www.intercityhotel.de/kassel/)

Single room: 89,- € / Double room: 108,- € (Standard category)  
Single room: 99,00 € / Double room: 118,00 € (Business category) incl. breakfast buffet as well as free public transport ticket and WLAN  
For trade fairs and major events, special prices apply only on request and subject to availability.  
Reservations can be made directly by telephone or e-mail.  
Please specify when making your reservation: CINV4J

#### Kurfürst Wilhelm I.

Fon 0561 / 31 870, Fax 318 777  
Wilhelmshöher Allee 257, D-34131 Kassel  
E-Mail: [info@kurfuerst.bestwestern.de](mailto:info@kurfuerst.bestwestern.de)  
[www.kurfuerst.bestwestern.de](http://www.kurfuerst.bestwestern.de)

Single room from 88,- € / double room from 105,- € incl. breakfast, public transport ticket, free W-LAN.  
For trade fairs and major events, special prices apply only subject to availability.  
Please specify when making your reservation: Conference in the AZ

#### penta hotels

Fon 0561 / 93 39-0, Fax 93 39-100  
Bertha-von-Suttner-Str. 15, D-34131 Kassel  
E-Mail: [reservations.kassel@pentahotels.com](mailto:reservations.kassel@pentahotels.com)  
[www.pentahotels.com/de/hotels/kasph-kassel/](http://www.pentahotels.com/de/hotels/kasph-kassel/)

BAR (Best-Available-Rate) minus 10%  
parking spaces available, Parking in underground car parks  
For trade fairs and major events, other prices  
Reservations can only be made online at [www.pentahotels.comper](http://www.pentahotels.comper)  
Internet code penta20120563

#### Hotel Schweizer Hof

Fon 0561 / 93 690, Fax 93 69 99  
Wilhelmshöher Allee 288, D-34131 Kassel  
E-Mail: [info@hotel-schweizerhof-kassel.de](mailto:info@hotel-schweizerhof-kassel.de)  
[www.hotel-schweizerhof-kassel.de](http://www.hotel-schweizerhof-kassel.de)

Single room from 85,- €; regular rate max. 109,- €. Single room (Comfort category) 95,- €; regular rate max. 115,00 € Double room supplement 20,- €/ double room from 109,- € incl. breakfast buffet as well as sauna, public transport ticket and WLAN free of charge  
Please specify when booking: Conference in AZ and booking code APP15

### You can find cheap accommodation in Kassel and the surrounding area via the following links:

#### Kassel Marketing (the tourism agency of the city of Kassel)

A radius search is possible. Enter "Bahnhof Wilhelmshöhe" as destination; the Anthroposophical Centre is only 300 metres from the IC Bahnhof Wilhelmshöhe. [www.kassel-marketing.de](http://www.kassel-marketing.de)

#### Private stays in Kassel

A map view gives you a quick overview of the local conditions. The Anthroposophical Centre is located at Symbol No. 8 (IC Bahnhof Wilhelmshöhe) [www.privatvermieterinkassel.de](http://www.privatvermieterinkassel.de)

### Other Hotels

#### Hotel GENIUS-House

Phone 0561 / 703 457 43  
Fax: 0561 / 503 759 76  
Ludwig-Erhard-Strasse 14, D-34131 Kassel  
E-Mail: [info@hotelinkassel.de](mailto:info@hotelinkassel.de)  
[www.hotelinkassel.de](http://www.hotelinkassel.de)

Walking minutes: 15 to AZ/ 10 to ICE station / Tram  
Free tram and bus ride for GENIUS guests  
Location plan AZ #14  
39,-/ 49,- € / DR 59,-/ 69,- € (Please specify: AZ)  
incl.: Internet and PC/ guest kitchen/ tea/ coffee/ w.  
optional Breakfast: 9,- € p. p./ group 8,50 p. P.

#### Hotel Burgfeld

Burgfeldstr. 1  
34131 Kassel-Bad Wilhelmshöhe  
Phone +49 (0) 561 32126  
E-Mail: [reception\(at\)hotel-burgfeld.de](mailto:reception(at)hotel-burgfeld.de)  
[www.hotel-burgfeld.de](http://www.hotel-burgfeld.de)

Price for a single room: from 65,- EUR for one overnight stay per person incl. breakfast buffet  
20 min. walk to the Anthropol. center

#### Mulang no. 6 – The small guesthouse

Phone 0561 / 3 26 71  
Mulangstr. 6, D-34131 Kassel  
E-Mail: [info@mulang-no6-kassel.de](mailto:info@mulang-no6-kassel.de)  
[www.mulang-no6-kassel.de](http://www.mulang-no6-kassel.de)

single room 79,- € / double room 99,- € incl. laundry, final cleaning, TV, internet breakfast  
: 12,- € / 16,- €  
Directly in the Bergpark Wilhelmshöhe  
30 min. walk to the Anthropol. center

All information without guarantee