

# AStAventil

Wahlen 2022

- + Regular election
- + Election repetition
- + StuPa-list presentation

## YOU DECIDE!

**30.05**

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**03.06.**

**ELECTIONS**

of the student body at KIT

student parliament  
& student council boards

# Editorial

Dear students,

From May 30th to June 3rd, the regular elections as well as the election repetition for the committees of the constituted student body will take place. Both elections will determine the members of the student parliament and the student representatives of the departments of architecture, civil engineering, geo- and environmental sciences, chemical and process engineering, electrical engineering and information technology, informatics, mechanical engineering, mathematics, physics and economics and management for a certain term of office (election repetition: until September 2022; regular election: October 2022 - September 2023).

Information on the lists running for the student parliament can be found within their election advertisements on pages 16 to 31.

You can vote at various locations - a map with the polling locations can be found on page 14. If you don't know who you want to vote for, you may also want to take a look at the "StuPa-O-Mat", which offers an overview on the positions of the electable lists towards numerous statements ([www.asta-kit.de/stupa-o-mat](http://www.asta-kit.de/stupa-o-mat)).

Note: The lists have sole responsibility for the design and the provision of their election campaign content. Therefore, there is no guarantee for completeness and comprehensiveness. An overview of all running lists can be found in the announcement of election proposals on pages X and Y.

Yours sincerely,  
the election committee

PS: Information on the candidates for the student councils is available at your student council.



*Note: This version does not contain all the information given in the corresponding German version of the Ventil.*

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## Standorte der Wahlurnen

- 1 AKK
- 2 Civil engineering department building
- 3 Mechanical engineering department building
- 4 „Allianzgebäude“
- 5 Executive board building
- 6 ETI-building
- 7 Informatics department building
- 8 Mathematics department building
- 9 Physics department building
- 10 Architecture department building



## **StuPa-list presentation**

- Volt
- LHG
- HuRa
- BIER
- Die LISTE
- campus:grün
- Juso-HSG
- SDS

The order of the lists does not correspond to the order of the lists in the election documents and has been determined at random by the election committee.





## European networking

Across Europe, students are struggling with the same problems. Together with other Volt university groups, we advocate for stronger networking and support the expansion of Erasmus+.

## Sustainability

We will campaign for the possibility of microwaving food that students bring with them to the refectory, similar to what is done at ETH Zurich.



## Digitalisation

In exchange with other universities, we want to find the best solutions to improve e-learning at KIT. We also demand free access to scientific results for all students.

## Mobility

We want to campaign for low-cost local and long-distance transport for students throughout Europe with a European Youth Card. The bicycle racks on campus must be renewed and expanded.



## Student financing and housing

Studying should not be a privilege based on one's privilege. Our goal is a dignified standard of living for all students. With a view to the time after Corona, a further expansion of dormitory capacities is necessary.

## The goals that have already been achieved through the Student Parliament:

- ✓ A vegan line in the Mensa
- ✓ We campaigned for menstrual products to be provided free of charge at university
- ✓ We have campaigned for university roofs to be fitted with solar panels

# Unsere Liste:



**Beatrice Iacopi**  
Architecture and Urban Planning  
Current StuPa President  
Advisory Board for International Students  
Forum "Recruitment of female students"



**Valentin Quapil**  
Computer Science  
Current in the StuPa Presidential Board



**Katharina Sabel**  
Bioengineering  
Forum "Recruitment of female students"  
Senate Commission for Equal Opportunities and Diversity



**Tobias Kempf**  
Computer Science



**Aaron Geiger**  
Computer Science

**Vote for Volt**  
**in the student parliament**  
30 may - 03 june 2022  
for more details: [wahl.asta.kit.edu](https://wahl.asta.kit.edu)

**Interested?**  
**Here is more info**  
**about us:**

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# Our

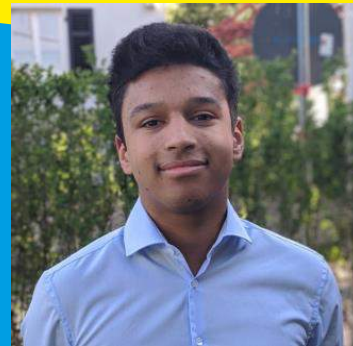
## Candidates



**Justus Rämisch**  
Electrical Engineering and  
Information Technology



**Simon Walter**  
Mechanical Engineering



**Alexander Hallitschke**  
Industrial Engineering and  
Management



**Felix Effler**  
Industrial Engineering and  
Management



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# Our

## Program



### # Freedom of Collaboration

We are fundamentally in favor of cooperation with companies in research and teaching. Companies should not be banned on campus either, as long as they do not directly harm students.

### # Freedom of Research

We want KIT to be a place where opportunities, not risks, determine the extent of our actions. We therefore demand responsible freedom of research, excellence and individuality in studies, and the abolition of general civil clauses.

### # Startup Culture

Founding should be addressed as part of a course in every degree program. Startup mentality is the engine for innovation and is important in self-employment as well as in professional work-life and research.

### # Mental Health

Over the past two years, the number of students struggling with mental health issues has increased significantly in the wake of the Corona crisis. These students must not be left alone in the aftermath of Corona.

### # BAföG

We successfully campaigned for the BAföG reform, which will give students noticeably more money in their pockets. However, BAföG is still not fully independent of parents. We continue to advocate for a BAföG that is independent of parents, independent of age, and unbureaucratic.

### # Tuition Fees

Currently, foreign students pay tuition fees of 1500€ per semester. We want these fees to be abolished and downstream tuition fees to be introduced instead.





# HuRa – Humanist-Rationalist List

## WHO WE ARE



**Philipp Seidel**

Computer Science  
6th semester



**Jannes Wagner**

Computer Science  
6th semester

**Lucas Florin**

Computer Science  
12th semester



## WHAT WE STAND FOR

### More transparency at KIT

- Present research results in a more accessible and visible way
- Communicate important decisions early and discuss them together

### Better classes

- Online classes are no substitute for in-person classes!
- Upload teaching materials and recordings, and continue to do so after the pandemic
- Greater availability of English language courses
- Involve students in current research
- Departments should mark exams in a timely manner

### Climate Action

- CO2-compensation of the constituted student body
- Easy access to vegan meals for all

### Colorful design of the campus

- Free painting at the Forum square for more creativity and freedom of expression

### Social & fair studying conditions

- Extension of maximum number of semesters through volunteer work
- Realistic university program duration based on actual graduation times
- Lottery for slots in sport courses instead of first-come-first-served
- Equal opportunities and better integration for the LGBTQ+ community at KIT



# HuRa – Humanist-Rationalist List

## WHAT GUIDES US

### Humanist

Humans are the focus of all thought and action. They are the source of knowledge, reason and ethics. They act in order to have a positive effect on themselves and their fellow human beings. No dogma and no ideology stands above human well-being or scientific knowledge. Therefore, self-determination of people and human rights are fundamental principles for humanism and by extension for us.

### Rationalist

The influence of populism has increased worldwide in recent years. We stand against that with rational arguments, by focusing in particular on scientific evidence. We consider careful, reason-based discourse to be an essential part of decision-making processes. And if the facts change, we naturally change our positions.

### Progressive

Let's act! Let's shape our future, learn from history and optimistically seize opportunities. Let's focus on responsible action to protect the habitat for us and our fellow creatures and to preserve it for future generations. A realistic assessment of opportunities and risks is essential. We do not close our minds to progress, but focus on equal opportunity in education, transparent research, digitalization and renewable energies using modern technologies. We do not want to experience only the world, but to actively shape it.

### Social-Liberal

Freedom and self-determination are not contradictory to solidarity and justice; nor the other way round. We want equal chances for everybody as well as the opportunity for everyone to make the best of it in his or her own way. Because every person is unique, and every society is the sum of its unique parts!



# BIER

- Free beer at the AKK
- Reconstruction of the beer tents on the Forum
- Lecture on alcoholic fermentation as mandatory examen for all majors at the KIT
- A beeroeratic movement for the parliament

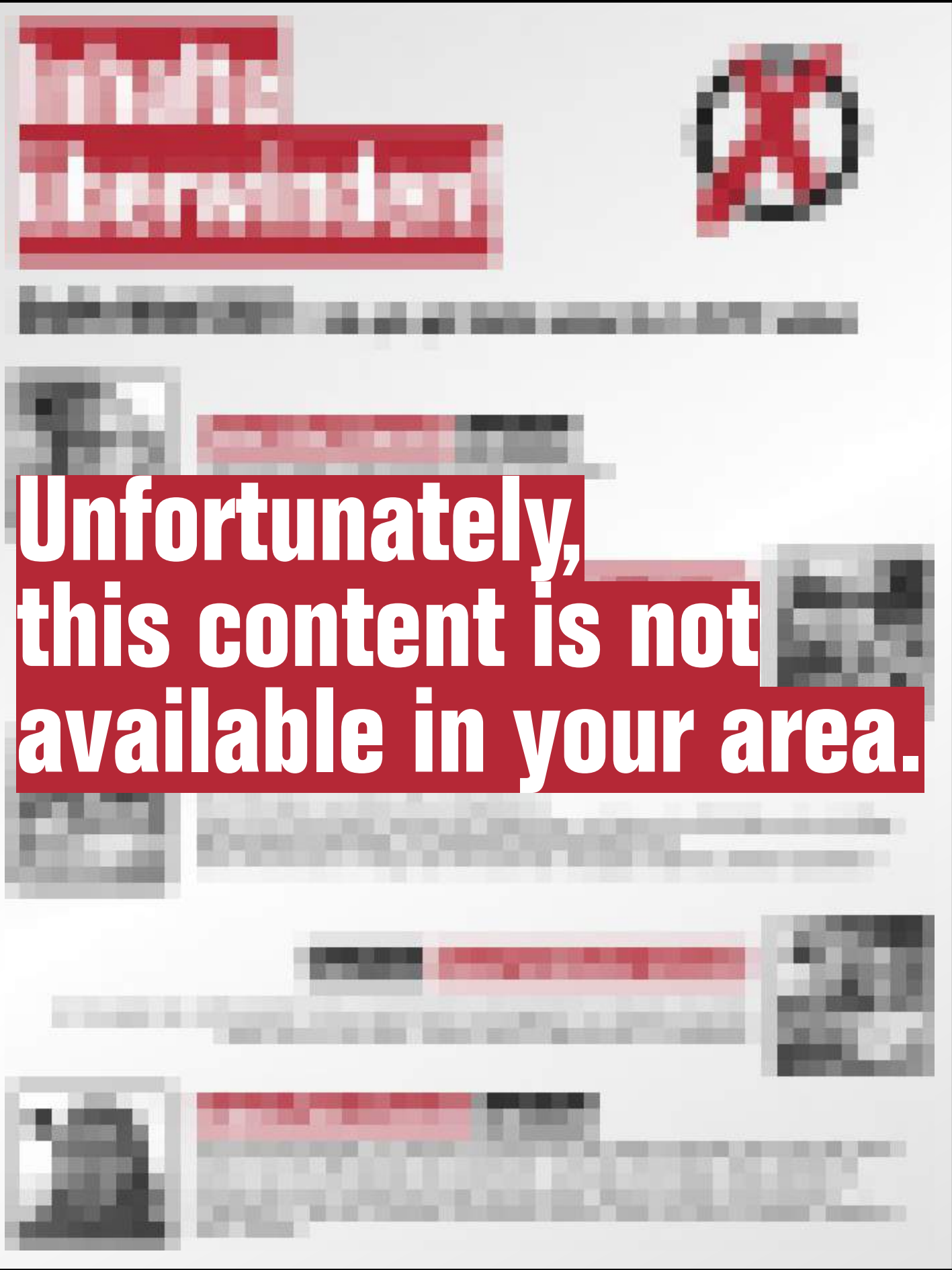
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2. Tianran Wei

*You?*

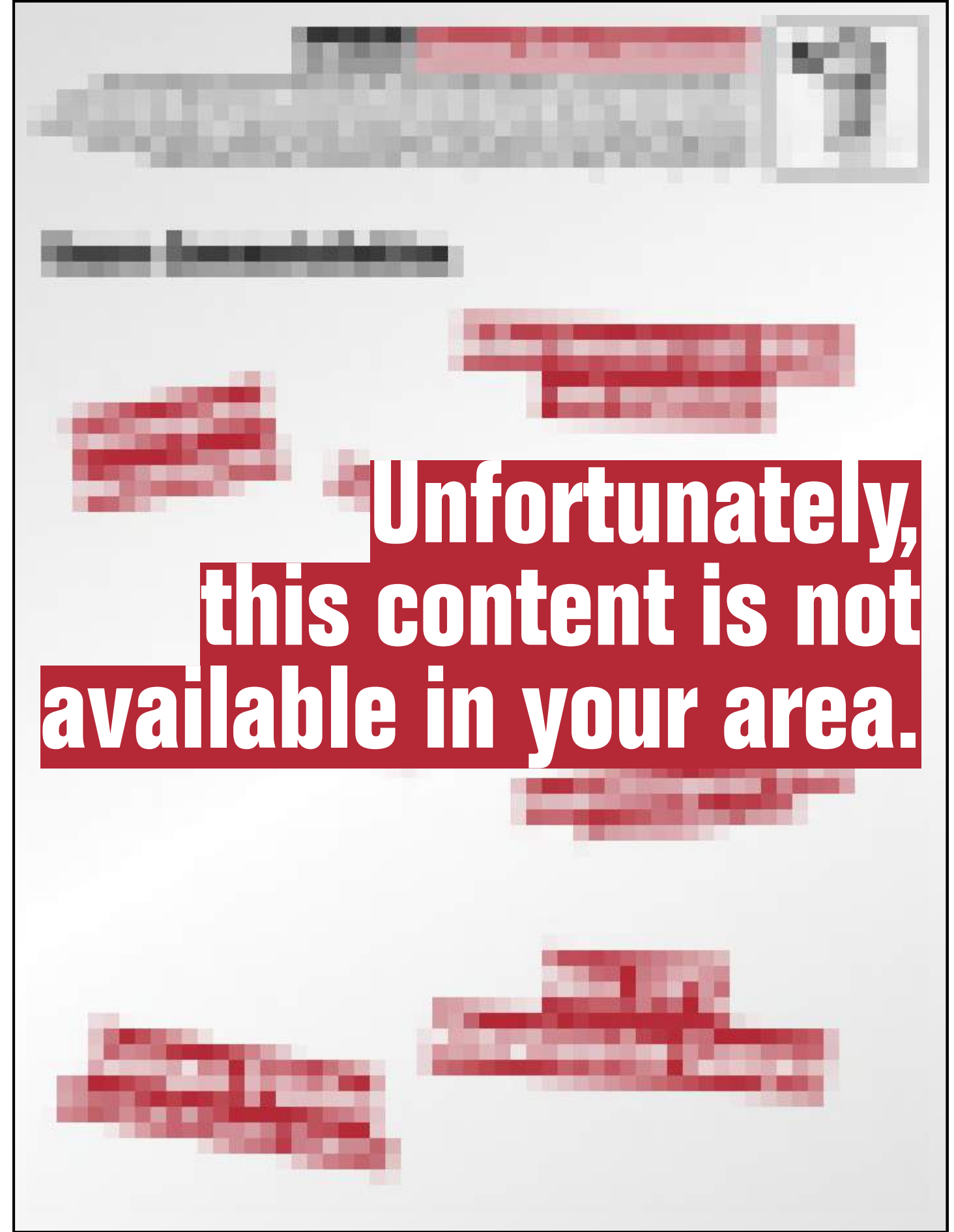
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Vote for Die LISTE – it is very good!

Die **LISTE**



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Die **LISTE**



## GREEN!

The student body and KIT must become climate neutral as soon as possible.

**Mensa:** Avoidance of greenhouse gas emissions through regional, seasonal and preferably vegetarian/vegan offerings. Reduction of (plastic) waste.

**Buildings:** Energy-efficient construction and renovation of buildings for teaching, research and living.

**Energy:** Climate-neutral electricity and heat supply as well as photovoltaics on all suitable KIT roofs. Focus on energy efficiency and sufficiency.

**Responsible management:** Consideration of sustainability in investment decisions, inclusion of lifecycle costs in procurement, movement towards local circular economy and public good orientation.

## COLOURFUL CAMPUS

Green is not enough for us, we do our best for a colourful campus where everyone feels comfortable and valued, regardless of gender, sexual orientation/identity, course of study, origin and disability.

We consider international exchange in teaching and research to be a great enrichment for our university. It should be open to everyone with the lowest possible financial hurdles.

Supporting university groups and culture is an important concern for us, because these make the campus a place worth living in, even outside of learning.

## EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

The fundamental right to education is indispensable to prevent the cementing of existing inequalities in society. It must not be made more difficult or completely denied to financially disadvantaged students by tuition fees, BAföG bureaucracy battles or too little affordable housing. We also support the student body's solidarity-based emergency aid to ensure that short-term financial bottlenecks do not force any of our fellow students to drop out of their studies.



### OUR ENGAGEMENT FOR YOU IN THE STUDENT BODY

- ✓ CO2-labelling of dishes in the university canteen
- ✓ Permanent workshop for the AK Fahrradcampus
- ✓ Active committee work, AStA Department of Ecology, Climate Protection and Sustainability
- ↻ Development of immediate measures for a climate-neutral student body
- ↻ Free cargo bike rental for KIT students
- ↻ Photovoltaics on KIT roofs
- ↻ Reappraisal of Karl Steinbuch and renaming of SCC

## SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY

We want to turn all the screws to shift journeys from motorised private transport to walking, cycling and rail transport. We see potential for this in the state-wide semester ticket, the campus-wide redesignation of streets as bicycle lanes and the support of the AK Fahrradcampus.

We demand a traffic emission-free, future-oriented campus that serves as a role model in Karlsruhe and beyond.

## RESPONSIBILITY AS A UNIVERSITY

The KIT should bring "green" topics such as environmental protection or ethics to the foreground in both research and teaching.

There should be a reappraisal of persons with a Nazi past (e.g. Karl Steinbuch) or a questionable role in wars (Fritz Haber). The SCC and the Fritz Haber Path are to be renamed.

## STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

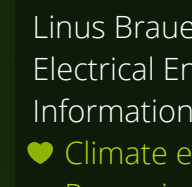
We believe it is essential that students at universities are not treated like minor children to be cared for, but as partners at eye level. University groups and voluntary work offer an environment for valuable study elements such as self-discovery and interdisciplinary exchange. Everyone should be able to afford student engagement without having to deal with the regular study time or the landlord breathing down their neck.

## DIGITISATION

We see great opportunities in digitisation at universities, for example with regard to transparent research, open source offerings and saving paper. Data protection and security must not be neglected.



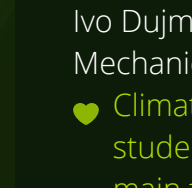
Frederik Knoblauch (20)  
Economics Engineering  
♥ Expanding sustainable food options  
♥ Regulate commercial advertising on campus



Linus Brauer (21)  
Electrical Engineering & Information Technology  
♥ Climate emergency state  
♥ Renaming SCC



Kai Oswald (21)  
Electrical Engineering & Information Technology  
♥ Gender equality&Inclusion  
♥ Empower stud. engagement



Ivo Dujmović (23)  
Mechanical Engineering  
♥ Climate friendly student life  
♥ main focus: mobility&energy

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 [gal.campusgruen.karlsruhe](https://gal.campusgruen.karlsruhe)



We want **affordable and social student living**. The Rent for a room in the city has been unacceptable for too long. In order for every student to find the accommodation they need and still have money left after paying rent, we will demand solutions from the City and the Regional government. We need **Dorms** for more than 10% of students and affordable flats close to the uni.

The **refectory** should offer a diverse offer with good and inexpensive food. The supply of **Currywurst** must be ensured. All lines must open! And we fight for a **Maultaschen** line with changing dishes of homemade Maultaschen.

For us, **climate protection** is a core issue. We want a campus that is more ecologically conscious. In the past we have proposed to declare climate emergency and initiated the balancing of CO2 emissions for all dishes on the refectory menu. Furthermore, we demand a better connection between Campus Nord and Campus Süd, especially by bike, and a more environment and bee-friendly campus greening. In the long term, we want to see more photovoltaic energy and a complete **CO2 balancing** at KIT.

The **Notlagenhilfe** is a student-organized support fund, that can quickly and unbureaucratically help students in financial distress. It was founded in 2019 on the initiative of the Juso-HSG and has since helped more than 50 students continue their studies. To this day we are strongly represented in the awarding commission.  
[asta-kit.de/notlagenhilfe](https://asta-kit.de/notlagenhilfe)

The KIT is **international**. In our eyes, it is a place for international and intercultural exchange. We deeply value our connections to universities in foreign countries, which is why we participate in networks like EUCOR. We strongly **oppose tuition fees** of any kind! Everyone should be able to learn collectively and under fair conditions at KIT, regardless of their nationality.

We demand the provision of the **teaching evaluations**, because exchanging experiences with one another is an important means of planning one's own studies.

**Interested? Swing by our group meeting: Every Wednesday 19:15h at Z10.**  
**>> [jusohsg-karlsruhe.de](https://jusohsg-karlsruhe.de)**

**That's us:**

1

**Adrian Keller**  
Informatik  
AStA-Vorsitz  
4 years AStA  
3 years StuPa  
2 years KIT Senate

2

**Anna Gutmann**  
Maschinenbau

3

**Daniel Wurche**  
Maschinenbau  
1 year StuPa

4

**Davis Riedel**  
Informatik  
2 years AStA  
1 year StuPa

5

**Oliver Becker**  
Wirtschaftsinformatik

6

**Daniel Hunyar**  
Elektrotechnik  
2 years AStA  
2 years StuPa  
Interim management  
AK Studierendenwerke  
of LaStuVe

7

**Robin Oehler**  
Wirtschafts-  
wissenschaften

8

**David Braun**  
Materialwissenschaft  
und Werkstofftechnik  
3 years StuPa  
Establishment of the  
Notlagenhilfe and 1  
year chairman

More about  
the election

**From 30.05. to 03.06. is StuPa election. Give your list vote to the Juso-HSG. We are strong for you in the StuPa!**



## For a just university:

### Climate Justice Now

In order to have even a minimal chance of reaching the 1.5 degree target, climate protection must be taken seriously in all areas of society immediately. Therefore, we demand the climate neutrality of KIT.



### Study for Yourself

- not just for the job market. We are against maximum study times and support that is tied to standard study times. We want there to be time during studies for voluntary work and education beyond one's own subject. To teach responsibility, we demand the introduction of technology ethics in STEM subjects.

### Responsible University

This means no military research, ensured by a comprehensive civil clause, which KIT still does not have. Furthermore, we demand the expansion of the company blacklist in order to ban defense companies from campus.



### Education for All

Studying must be affordable for everyone. We are calling not only for the abolition of all tuition fees, but also for BAföG that is independent of parents. Housing is a major cost item. Therefore, we regularly campaign for affordable housing in Karlsruhe.

### Against all Discrimination

More than ever, the alt-right is succeeding in shifting public discourse more and more to the right. We are resolutely opposed to this and speak up against fascism, racism, ableism, sexism and queerphobia.



### Political University

We want the student body to remain political and the StuPa to publicly express political positions that are in the interest of the students. We bring our voice to the streets and organize political and informational events on campus.

## Our list for you:

1



**Verena Mendel**  
Physics

"Make racists afraid again!"

2



**Sascha Gruber**  
Physics

"Socialist change to stop climate change!"

3



**Niklas Hemken**  
Computer Science

"Kapitalinteressen raus aus der Uni."

4



**Thilo Hoffmann**  
Computer Science

"A spectre is haunting the university."

5



**Michael Khal**  
Computer Science

"Procrastination against commodification."

**SDS**  
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