



UNIVERSITÄT
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Anti-Racism Committee

Invitation to the event

Roundtable for Black Persons and Persons of Colour on Empowerment

New date:

on Monday, 11 July 2022, 12.00-14.00, via Zoom

With its loose series of round tables, the Anti-Racism Committee invites Black persons and persons of Colour to address racism at our university as well as racism in Bayreuth and Kulmbach.

The terms „Black“ and „of Colour“ are self-designations of persons who are often treated in our society as „different“ and not belonging to the „white“ majority society. Black persons and persons of colour are exposed to numerous negative prejudices; they experience various forms of exclusion, discrimination and violence in their everyday lives. These can be understood as different manifestations of racism.

The round tables are part of a series of different events and interventions to promote processes of debate, cooperation and change critical of racism at the University of Bayreuth.

The theme of the 2022 Summer Semester Round Table is „Empowerment“. Its programme is as follows:

Information on Structures, Activities and Services

(Contributions by Prof. Dr. Stefan Ouma, Dr. Stefan Kurth and Thorsten Parchent)

- Activities and events of the Anti-racism Committee since May 2021
- A model for transformative anti-racism work at UBT
- Regional activities of the University of Bayreuth for international researchers and students
- Complaint procedures and counselling structures in cases of racism
- Racism and anti-racism work in/with local day-care centres and schools
- Independent university initiatives.

Discussion: What do I understand by empowerment?

What is needed at UBT? What do I want to get involved in?

(Moderation: Prof. Dr. Stefan Ouma and Dr. Christine Vogt-William)

- Work in small groups
- Discussion and agreement on next steps in plenary.

Registration

If you are interested, please send us your registration by 7 July 2022 with the following details to the Diversity Service Office (diversity@uni-bayreuth.de).

I register for the event „Roundtable for BPoCs on Empowerment“ on 11 July 2022, 12.00-14.00, via Zoom.

My details regarding the language of the event:

- I can follow German-language statements well.
- I can express myself well in German.
- I can follow English-language statements well.
- I can express myself well in English.

Any Questions?

Do you have any questions about the event? Please contact one of the following persons:

- Prof. Dr. Stefan Ouma (co-moderator): stefan.ouma@uni-bayreuth.de
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