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Robert Bosch Academy

The Robert Bosch Academy was founded in 2014 as an institution of the Robert Bosch Stiftung. Located at the Berlin Representative Office of the foundation, the Academy offers a space for multi-lateral dialogue and interdisciplinary cooperation focused on finding solutions for the main challenges of our time. By bringing together diverse perspectives and a multitude of voices, the Academy enriches the public discourse in the capital and beyond.

Richard von Weizsäcker Fellowship

The Richard von Weizsäcker Fellowship was established in honor of the former Federal President, who served for many years on the Board of Trustees of the Robert Bosch Stiftung. The Fellowship offers leading decision-makers and intellectuals from over the world a residency of several months in Berlin.

Creating a space to think – and a strategic network

Residencies at the Robert Bosch Academy provide Fellows with the

Interdisciplinary and multilateral dialog is more important than ever. We offer our Fellows insights into German and European decision-making processes. In return, they share their expertise and perspectives and contribute to the public debate.



Sandra Breka, Member of the Board of Management, Robert Bosch Stiftung

intellectual and physical space to pursue individual research and outreach activities on the challenges of the 21st century. To foster dialogue with the public, the Robert Bosch Academy organizes numerous activities tailored to the background and interests of the respective Fellow. By engaging with the Fellows, German experts and decision-makers gain new perspectives on major social and political issues; in turn, Fellows expand their networks and enrich their expertise with insights in German and European policy debates and decision-making processes.

Through joint activities, the Robert Bosch Academy creates a growing interdisciplinary and multilateral community of Fellows. Since 2015, this community reunites at the annual Richard von Weizsäcker Forum.

Deepening expertise on Germany

While the Fellows come from a wide array of backgrounds, they are united in their desire to learn more about Berlin and Germany during their stay. The Robert Bosch Academy offers its Fellows a comprehensive program with insights in German history, politics, economy and society.

BBTI Fellowship

In the realm of the Brookings – Robert Bosch Foundation Transatlantic Initiative (BBTI), distinguished experts of the American think tank The Brookings Institution are becoming part of the Robert Bosch Academy. During their time in Berlin, the BBTI Fellows focus on current issues concerning transatlantic relations and social cohesion in Europe and the United States.

ROBERT BOSCH ACADEMY
ANNUALLY ORGANIZES



OVER **1.000** BACKGROUND MEETINGS
65 COMMUNITY EVENTS
25 PUBLIC EVENTS

If you want to make sense of Europe today, be in Berlin. And if you want to make sense of Berlin, be at the Academy - because this is a very open, intellectual space, no institutional interest, you are coming and everything is organized in the way strongly to push and to encourage your curiosity.



Ivan Krastev, Chairman of the Centre for Liberal Strategies in Sofia (CLS); Fellow of the Robert Bosch Academy

I met some of the most important German people during my Fellowship to exchange perspectives, understandings as well as expectations. Now I can see Germany with Greek eyes and Greece with German eyes.



Anna Diamantopoulou, President of DIKTIO, former Greek Minister of Education and European Commissioner for Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities; Fellow of the Robert Bosch Academy

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Being part of the Fellow community means you can spend time with an amazingly diverse group of people who care about values and, each in their different way, try to bolster them. It helps bring mind sets and experiences closer - with no other goal but to try to make sense of an incredibly complex world, and think together about how we can defend what really matters.



Natalie Nougayrède, Editorial Board Member and Columnist at The Guardian; Fellow of the Robert Bosch Academy

The approach of the Robert Bosch Academy is quite original, because there are very few places where you can actually settle down and work on your own chosen topic without being under the pressure of your daily job.



Francois Heisbourg, Chairman of the International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS); Fellow of the Robert Bosch Academy

KEY-TOPICS



- Foreign and Security Policy
- Civil Society and Social Change
- Peace and Human Rights

Fellows of the Robert Bosch Academy

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