

Newsletter DWIH New York

February 2024

Dear reader,

Our event calendar for the upcoming months is starting to fill up quickly, check out the activities below that we offer together with our partners! First up: **Join us today** at 12 noon EST / 6PM CET if you are interested in Science Diplomacy. With UAS7 – German Universities of Applied Sciences and the American Friends of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation we are bringing together researchers, scientists and practitioners with a focus on applied research.

Reminder: The global DWIH network is currently undergoing a large-scale evaluation and we need your input! If you have not already done so, please **fill out this survey**. (Deadline: February 4) to help us improve our work. Thank you in advance!

With kind regards  
The DWIH New York Team

## EVENT HIGHLIGHT



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### STEP USA – Pitch Night February 2024

The German American Chamber of Commerce, Inc. (GACC), the DWIH New York and the German Consulate General New York are excited to host the STEP USA University Program Pitch Night on Wednesday, February 14th, 2024. Join us for exciting startup pitches & networking, and try a different way to spend Valentine's Day!

[Register now for free](#)

## WHAT'S NEW?

### Our Past Events

Here is what you missed - looking back at some of our recent activities:

- January 7-8: [DWIH New York @ the Transportation Research Board \(TRB\) Annual Meeting in Washington, DC](#)

### International Innovation Competition "INNOspace Masters"

The German Space Agency at DLR has been organizing this competition in cooperation with ESA, Airbus and OHB since 2015. It is open to companies of all sizes, start-ups, research institutions and universities, as well as individuals from all over the world. Submissions accepted from Feb 15 to Apr 23, 2024. More information [on their website](#).

### GUILD - Women in Entrepreneurship Program

Our colleagues at the DWIH San Francisco are offering hybrid innovation program for German students and researchers. Organized in cooperation with GUILD Academy, this program is a combination of online and in-person learning experiences. The online program spans eight weeks, from April 1, 2024 to May 24, 2024. The in-person component will be from September 2-6, 2024. Find out more and apply [on the DWIH SF website](#).

### Are you looking for a New Job?

There are currently a few [interesting job openings](#) in the German-American cultural and business spheres in the US. This time a mix of full-time jobs, part-time positions and internships.

### Information Session: Executive Master of Public Administration at the Hertie School Berlin

Find out more about the flexible mid-career program for working professionals in this online info session on February 5, 2024. Check out [the website](#) for details and registration.

## OUR UPCOMING ACTIVITIES



### #DWIHeitgeist – Science Diplomacy in Practice

Feb 1, 2024 | online



### The Digital Revolution in Health Care: Challenges, Opportunities, and the Need for Policy Innovation

Feb 8, 2024 | in-person



### STEP USA University Program - Pitch Night

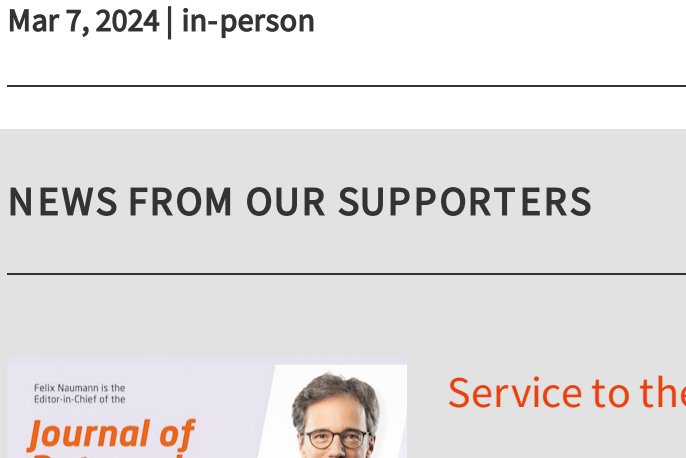
Feb 14, 2024 | in-person



### Zero-Waste Techniques in Fashion

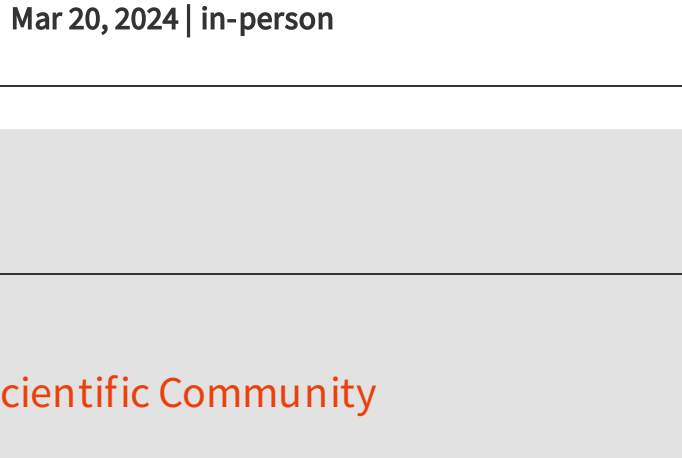
*(more details TBA)*

March 4-8, 2024 | in-person



### Workshop Parallel Computing in Operations Research

Mar 7, 2024 | in-person



### Save-the-date: How Sustainable is Artificial Intelligence?

Mar 20, 2024 | in-person

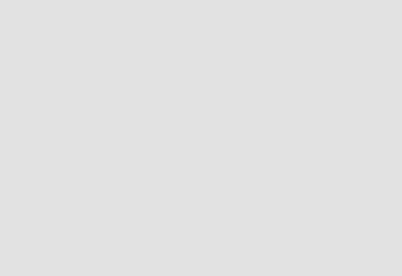
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### Service to the Scientific Community

Prof. Felix Naumann, head of the "Information Systems" research group at the "Plattner Institute (HPI), is the new editor-in-chief of the "Journal of Data and Information Quality" (JDIQ). The HPI talked to him about his work as editor-in-chief and the focus of the journal.

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### University of Cologne Researchers Find That Clinical Predictive Models Created by AI Are Accurate but Study-Specific

Scientists from Yale and the University of Cologne were able to show that statistical models created by artificial intelligence (AI) predict very accurately whether a medication responds in people with schizophrenia. However, the models are highly context-dependent and cannot be generalized. Study published in *Science*.

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### Research Explorer Ruhr 2024

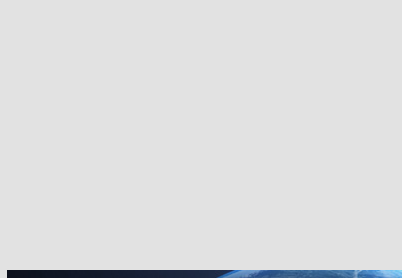
Call for applications: Research Explorer Ruhr (RER) is a program in June 2024 for international early postdoctoral researchers (to-be) interested in exploring the research landscape of the University Alliance Ruhr. The deadline is February 15.

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### Prostate Cancer: Newly-developed inhibitor shows massive potential

New epigenetic inhibitor is also effective in treatment-resistant prostate cancer cells.

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### Trustworthy AI for Seamless Problem Solving

With the steadily increasing integration of artificial intelligence into everyday life, it becomes increasingly important to ask how trustworthy these technologies are. The Research Training Group for Trustworthy AI Technology 'DataNinja' aims to contribute to this with various projects. Data Ninja connects leading universities in the area of AI from the region of North Rhine-Westphalia.

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### New Horizon Europe Project: Preparing Europe for the future

From January 1, 2024, InvigoratEU\* – a new Horizon Europe project coordinated by the EU-Chair at the University of Duisburg-Essen together with the Institute for European Politics in Berlin – will examine how the EU can structure its future relations with its eastern neighbors and the countries of the Western Balkans.

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### Call for Applications: DAAD Postdoctoral Networking Tour in Artificial Intelligence (Postdoc-NeT-AI)

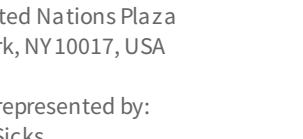
The call for Postdoc-NeT-AI 04/2024 is out! The focus of this edition – which will take place from April 15-19, 2024 – is on Safety and Security in AI. The fellowship includes a Virtual Networking Week and a one-week travel stipend with plenty of opportunities to personally connect with leading researchers and research institutions from all over Germany.

[Registration and details](#)

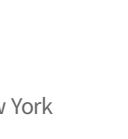
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