

Hector Research Institute of Education Sciences and Psychology – Retreat 2023

Location: [Evangelische Akademie Bad Boll](#)

Date: 11.10.2023 to 13.10.2023

Language: English

Objectives:

Reflecting on our institute’s research program as a way to prepare for the external evaluation in Autumn 2024

Getting to know each other, team development / growing together

Having a good, productive but also enjoyable time

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

Time	Content / Methode
before	Arrival
10:30	Arrival at the location with welcome coffee (bus leaves Tübingen at 9:00)
11:00	Welcome, introduction and warming-up <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welcome by the institute directors - Introduction of guests (Prof. Eccles and Prof. Wigfield) - Orga notes and overview of agenda - Warming-up activity - Information on the upcoming evaluation: What to expect? Why is it important? - Mock Interviews
12:30	Lunch break with randomized seating order
13:30	The 2024 external evaluation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ulrich/Benjamin: The Hector Research Institute: past, present, and future (draft presentation) - Questions and answers
14:15	Introduction to the work in the hubs Work on the evaluation in hubs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Why is your hub crucial and how does it contribute to the Institute? - How does it connect to the other hubs? - What are the main goals of the hubs? - What are the biggest achievements / best projects? - What are the benchmarks? - Which contribution to the evaluation will your hub make/deliver?
15:00	Coffee break
15:30	Continuation of the work on the evaluation in hubs
16:50	Introduction of World Café & topic collection
17:00	Teaching session (for teaching staff)
18:00	Dinner
19:30	Evening event <i>Music Night with Allan Wigfield</i>

Thursday, October 12, 2023

Time	Content / Methode
07:00	Morning sport / run
07:00	Breakfast
09:00	Presentation of results of the work in the hubs and feedback
10:30	Coffee break
11:00	Continuation of work on the evaluation in hubs & feedback implementation
12:00	Lunch break
13:00	Group picture and Social-academic walk: Sharing ideas on the future of HIB
14:00	World Café: how to improve the HIB?
15:00	Coffee break
15:30	Continuation of World Café
16:30	Presentation of ideas
17:00	Flexibility Time (e.g. PhD reps meeting, ...)
18:00	Dinner
19:30	Joint Evening Event <i>Campfire organized by PhD reps</i>

Friday, October 13, 2023

Time	Content / Methode
07:00	Morning sport
07:00	Breakfast
09:00	Feedback from Prof. Eccles and Prof. Wigfield
09:30	Fishbowl discussion and general feedback
10:30	Coffee break
11:00	Highlights of 2023-2024 Update on future events Ending the Retreat Final words by the Institute's direction
12:00	Lunch break
13:30	Bus departure to Tübingen