



Our Welcome@TUHH- orientation and networking activities cannot be offered as in-person-program during the Corona (Covid 19) pandemic. As a substitute, we have developed an online assistance service to give you useful information, links and tips:

Stay up-to-date: information regarding corona

- Breaking news about Corona at the [TUHH-Website](#) and the [Hamburg City Website](#)
- Information about Corona in various languages at: [Website of the Ethno-Medical Center Germany e.V.](#)
- Useful information about Corona and the situation at the universities at: [DAAD Website](#) und [Study in Germany](#)

If you need to talk: information and advisory services for international students in difficult situations

- [The TUHH Student Counseling Center](#) continues to be available for you with individual appointments for telephone consultation.
- [The student crisis helpline of the Protestant Student Association \(ESG\) Hamburg](#) has an open ear for you if you feel upset or under stress, independent of your religious orientation. [ESG pastor Gisela Groß-Ikkache](#) und [ESG pastor Christof Jaeger](#) are available for direct contact by phone.
- [The crisis helpline „Telefonseelsorge“](#) offers consultation and advice in emergency situations for people in distress around the clock, nationwide, anonymous and free of charge, via telephone, E-Mail or chat.
- The [Counseling Centre for Social & International Affairs of the Studierendenwerk Hamburg](#) provides important information regarding the financing of your studies, accommodation, health insurance etc. Should the information you are looking for not be available on their homepage, you can email them at: besi@studierendenwerk-hamburg.de
- [Ask the Tutor: Die TUHH Welcome Tutoren](#) will be there for you in the newly established virtual consultation room starting Friday, 17.04. at 3-5 p.m.. For joining the meeting just follow the link: <https://meet.jit.si/welcomeOfficeHours>
- More valuable tips regarding your TUHH study orientation can be found at: [Welcome@TUHH Seite](#).
- The TUHH student union [ASTA TUHH](#) is open as well for consultation. Just contact them

If you need help on particular subjects: information and advice for students in financial distress

- The [Deutsche Studentenwerks`](#) Website offers special advice for students with financial difficulties. A special corona-emergency-fund has been set up. [Further information can be found here](#).
- Questions on scholarship opportunities? Please contact [Mrs Jutta Janzen](#) from the TUHH International Office

Do you need a job or you would like to help voluntarily?

The DAAD recommends the following website for students who want to help or are looking for a part-time job:



1. <https://www.daslandhilft.de>
2. <https://helpunity.eu/>
3. <https://www.zenjob.de/>

If you are interested in online teaching offers at TUHH and outside

- The TUHH is in the process of moving into online teaching from the start of the semester. Further information will be announced via [StudIP](#).
- Free materials for individual learning and teaching purposes can be found at [Hamburg Open Online University](#) . The TUHH is involved in the project as well.
- [Massive Open Online Course \(MOOC\)](#) are designed and offered by universities, mostly free of charge and open for all interest groups.

If you want to use the time to improve your German language skills

- [TUHH Language Cafe](#) program is in the process of moving into cyberspace. Language Cafe German started already to work! Please check the website regularly for new language cafes to join. We update the page on a daily basis.
- Free German learning materials including online courses as well as slowly- spoken podcasts can be found at the pages of [Deutsche Welle](#) and [Goethe Institut](#). It is worth checking!
- The Language Tandem programs for example at [VHS –Tandembörse](#) or at [Seagull](#) are always a great possibility to improve one's language skills! Find out for yourself that learning a language works online as well! (Perhaps even better!)

You do not have to give up art; culture and travelling during the pandemic!

- Our [TUHH ArtRoom networking project](#) will continue to offer activities in cyberspace! We are preparing the Live Stream Art Workshops to start on 8.05.2020!
- You are sick (tired) of not being able to travel now? [Discovering Germany from the comfort of your own home](#)
- The [Bücherhallen Hamburg](#) are providing their media - like books, films and newspapers online.
- Many of Hamburg's cultural institutions are offering online programs. [Check them out](#).

If you want or must stay at home:

- [Hochschulsport Hamburg](#) provides free online sports courses
- Here you go: with these [Workouts](#) you can keep fit at home!

Visit our [Facebook](#) pages and our [Welcome Members Mailing List](#), to keep yourself informed about our intercultural activities!

We are further available for you via [Email](#) !

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