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How to: Getting to know other students

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Goals of this tutorium

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- The Participants are able to talk to other students
- The Participants have somebody to talk to in every lecture and every tutorium
- The participants are aware of the university‘s services and how they can access this information
- Participants have the possibility to contact their new acquaintances privately, e.g. via WhatsApp or other social networks.

Conditions for an optimal get-to-know-you conversation

Guide for an optimal get-to-know-you conversation

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How should I behave?

- Be open, friendly and communicative: approach people with a smile. If approached, be polite and helpful.
- Stay attentive: You can listen to music outside of the university, but listen to your fellow students!
- Being lost in university stuff is not bad: Arriving is hard for everyone, but it doesn't lower your self-confidence. - Everyone is new and lost!
- Be active: The university has much more to offer than lectures! Attend events and stay curious

Optimal Conditions

- No distractions: Make sure that the person can listen to you and that there is no lecture going on in parallel
- No time pressure: You both have time to talk and no one has to run to the bus or to the next lecture.
- The mood: If the exam went badly, perhaps choose another day.

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University Events

- Events
  - ESAG Week
  - Uni Soccer League
  - Medi Grillen
  - Sommerkult
  - Uni Partys

- Join university groups
  - Hochschulsports
  - Fachschaft
  - Hochschulpolitics
  - Language courses

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On the Campus

- Eat something together at the Mensa, Vita or Uno
- Grab a coffee before/ after lectures at Ex-Libris
- Form learning groups from your lectures
- Reserve group rooms in the library, invite people to study (especially during exam period).

Outside university

- Go to partys / to the old town
- Organise your own partys (e.g. theme party)
- Do a sightseeing group tour
- Events in Düsseldorf
  - Roll-Nacht
  - Japan Tag
  - Büdchen Tag
  - Nacht der Museen

How to find out about the events?

Follow the universitys official Instagram pages

- HHU: https://www.instagram.com/hhu_de/
- AStA: https://www.instagram.com/asta_hhu/
- Wiwi Fachschaft: https://www.instagram.com/fswiwi_hhu/
- Düsseldorf:
  - https://www.instagram.com/rausgegangenduesseldorf/
  - https://www.instagram.com/foodiedusseldorf/

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Thank you for your attention!

Any questions?