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**Application deadline: Thursday, May 9**

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## Location

St. Jakobushaus in Goslar.

## Costs

Travelling expenses from the place of study in Lower Saxony to the location (return) will be reimbursed (German railway ticket, 2nd class). Accommodation and meals are free of charge. More information on how to get to the venue will be sent to the selected participants following the confirmation of registration by us (STUBE), approximately one week before the beginning of the seminar.

## Organizers

Development Education Programme for Students from Africa, Asia, Latin America and East Europe (STUBE)/KED Niedersachsen .

## ■ Artenvielfalt und Ökosysteme schützen Protecting habitats – restoring ecosystems: challenges and opportunities



# WEEKENDSEMINAR. 2019

17.–19. Mai | Goslar

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Lateinamerika und Osteuropa

## **Artenvielfalt und Ökosysteme schützen Protecting habitats – restoring ecosystems: challenges and opportunities**

The continuous failure to recognize the enormous value of biodiversity is rapidly pushing toward critical tipping points, to where many of the planet's ecosystems will shift into unprecedented states in which the capacity to provide for the needs of present and future generations is highly uncertain.

During this weekend invited experts will focus on (scientific and practical) approaches to take care of marine ecosystems and on the challenges of preserving biodiversity in a tourist hotspot.

We will also have a look at the situation in other parts of the world where the poorest populations are the most dependent on ecosystem services for food, clothes, medicine, fuel, shelter, income and other basic needs. Their empowerment in the management of biodiversity constitutes a positive incentive, addresses underlying causes of biodiversity loss and contributes to prevent poverty.

Participants are welcome to share their personal experiences and questions about the seminar issue.

The weekend offers different methods – there will be time for brainstorming, discussions, interactive exercises, excursion, films, ice-breakers and so on.

Students of all study programs are invited to join in for a varied weekend with committed people from all over the world.

The seminary language is English.

### **Friday, May 17 >>> Fridays for Future !**

Arrival until 18:00 p.m. – Dinner 18:30

Opening Session

Getting to know each other – Programme overview

Introduction to the seminar topic

### **Saturday, May 18**

Future of Marine Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services in the face of Climate Change

Input, exchange and exercises

Dr. Ute Jacob

Biodiversity in the Harz Mountains – Richness, Chances and Vulnerability by Climate Change and Tourism – an introduction in theory with practical experiences

Excursion to Bad Harzburg – Haus der Natur

Dr. Friedhart Knolle

Social (sustainable) evening ...

### **Sunday, May 19**

Open Space (Inputs ...)

Group work – Closing discussion

Seminar evaluation

Departure after lunch

## **Speakers**

Dr. Ute Jacob, marine biologist, Helmholtz Institute for Functional Marine Biodiversity at the University of Oldenburg (HIFMB)

Dr. Friedhart Knolle, geologist, Bund für Umwelt und Naturschutz Deutschland e.V. /Friends of the Earth (BUND), regional group Westharz

## **Facilitators**

Susanne Berlich de Arroyo, STUBE Niedersachsen, Hannover Assistance N.N.