

To the students and doctoral candidates

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University elections 2024

Dear students, dear matriculated doctoral candidates,

This year's university elections will be held from 10 am on 11 July 2024 to 10 am on 17 July 2024. Students and enrolled doctoral candidates are eligible to vote in this election. They elect their representatives to the Senate and the Faculty Councils. The university elections are held in conjunction with the elections of the legally constituted student body (Student Council election). With regard to the university elections, I would like to inform you about the following topics:

Online elections

The university elections are held online. During the voting period, eligible voters can log in to the election portal at <https://wahl.uni-freiburg.de> using their UniAccount and cast their vote electronically. It is not possible to vote in person (ballot box voting) or by post (postal voting).

Submission of nominations

The university elections are tied to accepted nominations. It is not possible to write in names. This also means that in order for an election to take place, there must be candidates standing for election and accepted nominations. **In the absence of valid nominations for the election to a Faculty Council or to the Senate, no election will take place and the seats will remain vacant.** To ensure that all member groups are represented in the governing bodies, nominations are requested.

Nominations must be submitted using the nomination forms, which are available on the election platform: <https://uni-freiburg.de/zuv/service/wahlplattform/universitaetswahlen/>. The forms are only available in German. Note: **The deadline for submitting nominations is 3 pm on 13 June 2024.**

Nominations should be submitted to the Election Supervisor at the Electoral Office, Friedrichstraße 39 (Rectorate building), Room 05024, 79085 Freiburg. Nominations must be submitted in person or by post. Email submission is not possible. If you wish to submit a nomination in person, please make an appointment in advance (wahlamt@zv.uni-freiburg.de). If you submit a nomination by post (Universität Freiburg, Wahlamt, Friedrichstraße 39, 79085 Freiburg), be sure to fill in the nomination forms provided especially carefully and completely. Incomplete information may lead to the rejection of the nomination.

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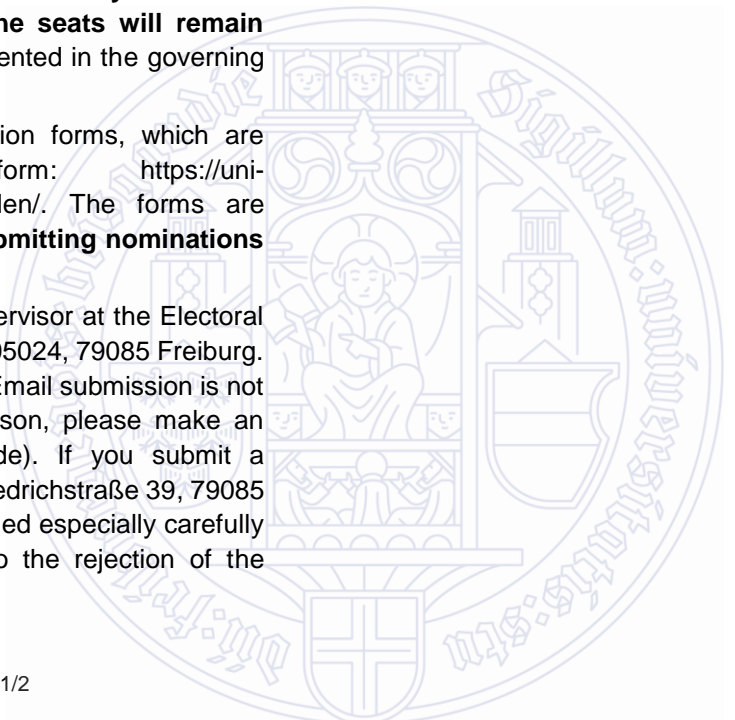
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Equal representation in nominations

According to Section 10, Paragraph 2, Sentence 2 of the Act on the Higher Education Institutions in the Land of Baden-Württemberg (LHG), women and men should be given equal consideration when determining the composition of a governing body. In this context, Section 10, Paragraph 7 of our Election Regulations (WahlO) applies to elections to the Senate: **If a nomination is submitted for the election of members of the Senate that does not include an equal number of male and female candidates, the lack of equal representation must be justified in writing.** A nomination is considered to have equal representation if it includes an equal number of male and female candidates. If there is an odd number of candidates, the nomination is considered to have equal representation if the difference between the number of women and the number of men is no more than one. Persons whose gender is specified as non-binary are not included in the calculation of equal representation. The Election Supervisor will publish any justifications on the homepage of the University of Freiburg. Nominations that do not have equal representation and for which no justification pursuant to Section 10, Paragraph 7, Sentence 2 of the Election Regulations (WahlO) is submitted by the deadline specified in Section 10, Paragraph 10 WahlO will be rejected (Section 11, Paragraph 1 WahlO).

Further information on the university elections can be found on the election platform at <https://uni-freiburg.de/zuv/service/wahlplattform/universitaetswahlen/>.

Best regards



Dr. Tobias Haas, Election Supervisor

