

## Information under Articles 12, 13 of the General Data Protection Regulation

### “HGU Photo Competition” from April 30 to June 15, 2025

Please take note of the following data protection information before participating in our photo competition using HGU's LMS ILIAS interactive learning space. By participating in this photo competition, you also tacitly give your consent to data processing in accordance with Article 6 (1)(f) GDPR.

Responsible party	Hochschule Geisenheim University (HGU) Represented by President Dr. Hans Reiner Schultz Von-Lade-Str. 1 65366 Geisenheim
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Definitions	Detailed definitions can be found in Article 4 GDPR.
Purpose of processing	HGU is hosting an online photo competition from April 30 to June 15, 2025, as part of the ICA “Biodiversity Challenge” project. The university will provide access to the ‘LMS ILIAS’ interactive learning space for the purpose of participating in the photo competition. Participants have the opportunity to upload their photos to the ILIAS platform, subject to the terms of participation and provided they give their consent.
Personal data	Data that will be processed for the photo competition are primarily the image files, which participants submit on their own authority, and the names and e-mail addresses of the participants. Image files which depict persons will not be admitted to the photo competition or published on the ILIAS platform. Servers and web services automatically process server log files and metadata as part of the specified technical processes. Server log files are the data and information automatically collected by the host server from the computer system of the accessing computer each time a website is accessed (e.g. IP address, date and time of the request, information on the browser type, user's operating system). In this context, metadata refers to the general data for the Internet connection (e.g. IP address, time, duration and location of the connection).
Order processing Categories of recipients	HGU operates the ILIAS platform on its own servers, so that no order processing takes place with external providers.
Legal basis of processing	The processing of personal data takes place on the basis of Article 6(1)(f) GDPR.

Voluntary nature of consent	If you register for the online event via the link provided by HGU, your metadata will be transmitted to the contractors in Germany.
Revocation	This declaration of consent can be revoked from HGU at any time, without giving reasons, with effect for the future. If consent is not revoked, it shall remain valid for an unlimited period of time.
Duration of storage Deletion period	HGU deletes server log files after one month at the latest.
Your rights	Your rights in connection with the processing of your personal data arise from §§ 33 to 35 HDSIG, Articles 15 to 22 GDPR and Articles 77 to 79 GDPR. The following rights are singled out: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Right to access to personal data</li><li>- Right to rectify data</li><li>- Right to restrict processing</li><li>- Right to erasure</li><li>- Right to object</li></ul>
Your right to complain	You have the right to lodge a complaint with the competent supervisory authority. The authority can be contacted as follows: <p><b>The Hessian Commissioner for Data Protection and Freedom of Information</b> Gustav-Stresemann-Ring 1 65189 Wiesbaden Phone: 06 11/140 80 Telefax: 06 11/14 08-900 E-mail: <a href="mailto:poststelle@datenschutz.hessen.de">poststelle@datenschutz.hessen.de</a> Internet: <a href="http://www.datenschutz.hessen.de/">http://www.datenschutz.hessen.de/</a></p>