

The 3<sup>rd</sup> “Kassel Summer School in Quantitative and Qualitative Research Methods (KSS)” offers students, junior researchers and other persons who are interested in empirical research the unique possibility to gain in-depth insights into the methods of empirical research during the semester break. The course program covers five weeks with a total of five modules. The first module is attributed to the Methods of International Comparisons, the second module covers Data Collection and Data Analyzing methods, the third module treats Causal Inference, the fourth module deals with the Analysis of Social Contexts in Neighborhoods and the fifth module introduces into Innovative Data Collection Processes.

Every module consists out of two submodules. Each submodule covers a different topic of the respective main module. The topics will be taught with increasing levels of difficulty - ranging from *Elementary* and *Intermediate* to *Advanced* levels - and will be supplemented by practical exercises which allow the participants to apply and further deepen their knowledge.

If you want to participate, please contact us: [kss@uni-kassel.de](mailto:kss@uni-kassel.de) / Students of the University of Kassel who are eligible for earning ECTS please enroll in HISPOS ([portal.uni-kassel.de](http://portal.uni-kassel.de))

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#### Modules:

- 11.09.-14.09.: Methods of International Comparisons
- 18.09.-23.09.: Data Collection and Data Analysis
- 25.09.-28.09.: Causal Inference
- 04.10.-07.10.: Analysis of Social Contexts in Neighborhoods
- 09.10.-12.10.: Innovative Data Collection Processes

#### ECTS (credit points):

ECTS can be awarded for the listed subjects / modules:

- B.A. Sociology Major Modules „Interaction and social structure“ & „Social practices and collective processes“
- B.A. Sociology Minor Module „Methods und Statistics“
- M.A. Sociology Module „Methods und Statistics“
- Architecture, urban planning, landscape architecture
- Sport L3 Module 7 „Sport scientific priority area A or B or C“
- B.A. Social Work Module 6 „Empirical accesses to areas of practice of social work“
- M.A. Social Work Module 3 „Empirical processes and their basics“

#### Requirements for gaining certificates:

- The requirements vary by subject. Please contact the homepage of the KSS for further information. Check „Certificates and ECTS (/credit points).“

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Enrollment for SS 2017 / WS 2017/18 in HISPOS

## Kassel, Germany



**11. September – 12. October 2017**

#### Summer School with five thematic modules:

- **Methods of International Comparisons**
- **Data Collection and Data Analysis**
- **Causal Inference**
- **Analysis of Social Contexts in Neighborhoods**
- **Innovative Data Collection Processes**

**The summer school is open for B.A., M.A. & Ph.D. students, junior researchers and other persons interested in methods of empirical research.**

**11.09.-07.10.: Georg-Forster-Straße 4, R. 0005 (Campus Holländischer Platz, Kassel)**

**09.10.-10.10.: Steinstraße 19, R. H13 (Faculty of Organic Agricultural Science, Witzenhausen)**

**11.10.-12.10.: Damaschkestraße 25, R. 0110 (Institute of Sports and Sport Sciences, Auestadion, Kassel)**

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Welcome to Kassel Summer School '17		Methods of International Comparisons													
		Monday, 11.09.2017		Tuesday, 12.09.2017		Wednesday, 13.09.2017		Thursday, 14.09.2017							
<p>We wish all participants interesting lectures and we are looking forward to inspiring discussions with you!</p> <p>If you have any further questions, please contact:</p> <p>kss@uni-kassel.de</p>		„Methodological Basics of International Comparative Designs“				„Methodological and Practical Challenges of International and Comparative Research“									
		Dr. Anna Kosmützky (INCHER-Kassel) Dr. Romy Wöhlert (University of Leipzig)				Dr. Anna Kosmützky (INCHER-Kassel) Dr. Romy Wöhlert (University of Leipzig)									
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Data Collection and Data Analysis															
Monday, 18.09.2017		Tuesday, 19.09.2017		Wednesday, 20.09.2017		Thursday, 21.09.2017		Friday, 22.09.2017		Saturday, 23.09.2017					
„Ethnomethodology and Visuality“				„Ethnography and the Analysis of Documents“				„Nonresponse und Weighting in Population Surveys Using the Example of SOEP“				„Introduction into Multiple Imputation“			
Dr. Mathias Blanc (University CNRS, Lille3, France)				Prof. Katarina Jacobsson (Lund University, Sweden)				Simon Kühne, M.A. (DIW Berlin)				Dipl. Soz. Ferdinand Geißler (HU Berlin)			
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Causal Inference						Analysis of Social Contexts in Neighborhoods									
Monday, 25.09.2017		Tuesday, 26.09.2017		Wednesday, 27.09.2017		Thursday, 28.09.2017		Wednesday, 04.10.2017		Thursday, 05.10.2017					
„Experimental Methods in the Social Sciences“				„Introduction to Panel Regression Models“				„Analysis of Neighborhood Effects in Educational Research“							
Dr. Philip Lergetporer (LMU Munich)				Dr. David Pupovac (Lazarski University, Poland)				Dr. Jaap Nieuwenhuis (TU Delft, Netherlands)							
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Innovative Data Collection Processes															
Friday, 06.10.2017		Saturday, 07.10.2017		Monday, 09.10.2017		Tuesday, 10.10.2017		Wednesday, 11.10.2017		Thursday, 12.10.2017					
„Effects of Neighborhood on Vocational Training and Gainful Employment“				„Eye Tracking in Social Research“				„Kinematic Motion Analysis in Sports and Beyond“							
Prof. Alexandra Nonnenmacher (University of Siegen)				Prof. Jesper Clement (Copenhagen Business School, Denmark)				Nils Eckardt, M.Ed. (University of Kassel)							
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