

# Newsletter

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Dear Sir or Madam,  
dear teaching staff,

also in 2021, we are looking forward to supporting you in the implementation of digital and digitally supported teaching.

With best wishes for the start of the semester and stay healthy

Your Kompetenzteam  
Digitale Lehre

## General Information about Support Requests

For questions regarding digitally supported teaching, such as didactic concepts and digital tools, etc. please contact [digitale.lehre@uni-giessen.de](mailto:digitale.lehre@uni-giessen.de).

Do you have questions about the web conferencing tools Cisco Webex or Microsoft Teams? In addition to these support email addresses [webex@hrz.uni-giessen.de](mailto:webex@hrz.uni-giessen.de) (for questions about Cisco Webex) and [office365@hrz.uni-giessen.de](mailto:office365@hrz.uni-giessen.de) (for questions about Microsoft Teams) you can contact us in urgent cases via telephone: +49 641 99-13119.

The website ‚Lehre im Fall einer Pandemie‘ (translation: ‚Teaching during a pandemic‘) informs your about support offers for designing digital teaching scenarios and references to the digital tools, which are available at JLU to support you in your digitally supported teaching concept. Further information is available on the [support page](#).

## Funding for digitally supported teaching at JLU

As part of the project „Digital gestütztes Lehren und Lernen in Hessen“ (digLL), teaching staff have been supported for over two years in the implementation of digital teaching. The content is referenced, exchanged and continuously developed via a central web portal. Within the sub-project at the JLU, the departments and service facilities are to be supported in the conception, implementation and creation of various digitally supported teaching formats in the second project funding phase as well. Grants for personell and material resources are possible. [To the calls for proposals](#).

# News about video conferencing tools

- **Cisco Webex - april update:** In Webex Meetings you now have the opportunity to prepare a stage and synchronize this view with the participants. You can learn how to do this on the [IT Service Center website](#).
- **Cisco Webex - may update:** The layout of Webex Events has been adjusted. On Tuesday, May 04, 2021, JLU's Webex platform will be updated to version 41.4.7. No operational disruptions are expected during the update and it will be applied automatically. The update includes bug fixes only and no feature enhancements. Further information about the update is available on the HRZ website or via the HRZ-Twitter-channel. On the [IT Service Center website](#) you will find the instructions for Cisco Webex.
- **News about MS Teams:** The MS Teams user manual has been updated. The registration steps have been updated and information about the „Breakout Rooms“ and their functions has been added. All relevant information is available on the [IT Service Center website](#).

## Lecture Recording

The IT-Service Center still has a few remaining capacities for lecture recording at the Seltersberg campus for the summer semester 2021. If you would like to take advantage of this service please contact the lecture recording team: <https://www.uni-giessen.de/vaz>.

The IT-Service Center offers the opportunity to record yourself at the self-recording studio. The offer is only for teaching staff and takes place after a short briefing. Further information is available at the [VAZ Studio website](#).

## Tutor Qualification

The Hochschuldidaktischen Kompetenzzentrum (HDK) (English translation: competence centre for didactic in higher education) offers all courses of the tutor qualification online. The workshops are specifically designed for the implementation of online scenarios. Further information is available on the [website](#) of the tutor qualification.

## Student Term Papers – Creating Screencasts with PowerPoint

The digital semester at JLU requires new ways – also in the creation of term papers in digital form.

This blog post explains how students can use simple tools to create presentations as screencasts with simple tools. [To the blog post](#).

## International Office

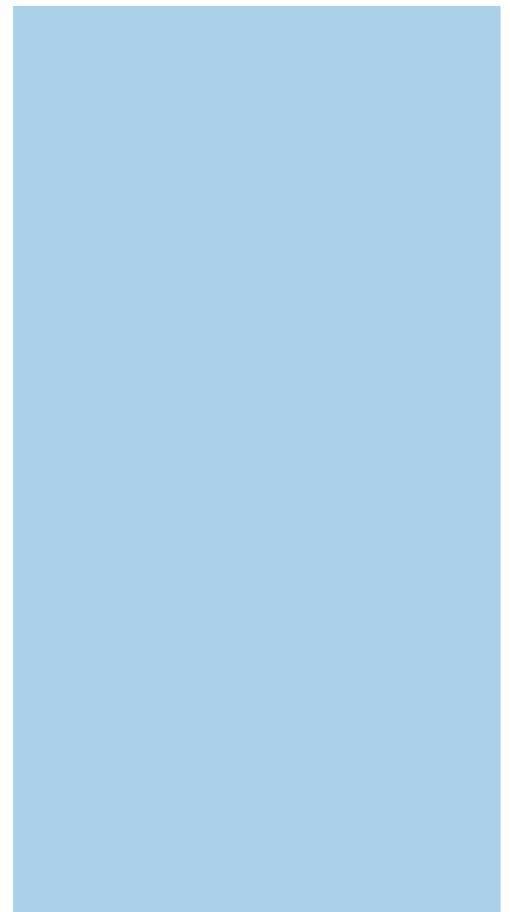
In the winter semester 2020/21, the Virtual International Program (VIP) was evaluated by students and lecturers. The results of the surveys were presented at a meeting of the dean's. In addition, the evaluation will be presented as an article and a lecture at the virtual symposium „EduLearn“ in July 2021. The VIP includes a total of 85 courses from all departments at JLU in the summer semester 2021. 420 students from the international partner network have enrolled in the VIP.

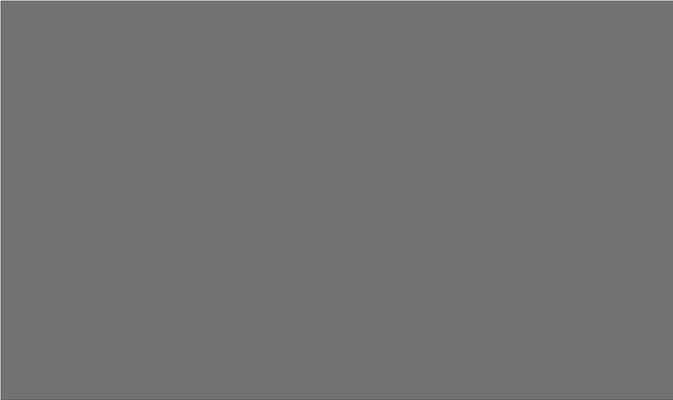
Contact: [internationales@admin.uni-giessen.de](mailto:internationales@admin.uni-giessen.de).

# Online-Workshop about Cisco Webex Meetings and Events is now online

The online workshop offered as a part of the e-learning lunch bag session on cisco webex meetings and events was recorded, edited and is now available as a video series in the Lehre 4.0 media library. [To the library](#).

In the five new videos, we take you on a virtual tour through the user interface of Cisco Webex Meetings and Events and explain the most important functions and setting options. We explain the scheduling functions of the breakout sessions in Cisco Webex Meetings and how these can be managed.





News from the Lehre 4.0 media library:  
Explanatory video about the topic „web  
based trainings“

The new explanatory video about the topic „web  
based trainings“ is now available on the Lehre 4.0  
media library. The video has english subtitles.

[To the library.](#)

KDL-Webinar Series „Impulse Digitale Lehre“ is extended

The webinar series „Impulse Digitale Lehre“ will continue beyond April into May an June. Further Informa-  
tion and the new dates are available on the [Pandemic-Website](#).

## Subscribe to the KDL-Newsletter

From now on you have the possibility to subscri-  
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and will not be passed on to third parties. [To the  
Pandemic-Website](#).

Online Networking Meeting on the topic:  
„Limitations and Potentials of Escape Games in Teaching“

The digLL-Project at JLU is working on a digital escape room in cooperation with the „Hochschuldidaktisches Kompetenzzentrum“ (HDK). Teaching staff can deal with the tools and methods for digitally supported teaching in a playful way. A networking meeting on the topic takes place online on May 11, 2021, from 3.00 to 4.00 pm. Further information and registration is available [here](#).

## Registration for online-workshops

Register now for online workshops on the following topics (unless otherwise specified, german speaking only):

- E-Moderation - Online-Meetings in der Lehre sicher leiten: May 17 - 31, 2021. [Registrate here](#).
- (Video-)Feedback in der Lehre umsetzen: June 7, 2021. [Registrate here](#).
- Digitales Peer-Feedback - Studierende zum selbstständigen Lernen anleiten: June 14, 2021. [Registrate here](#).



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