



# Elections Bulletin for the election of the student council of FSU Jena in winter semester 2024/25

#### General

The Student Council of Educational Sciences is the representative body for students from the Faculty of Educational Sciences at the FSU Jena.

#### **Electoral Procedure**

The election procedure for the Student Council of Educational Sciences on 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> October, 2024, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM each day, is based on the election regulations of the student body dated 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2009, as amended on 7<sup>th</sup> January, 2015. The election will be conducted as a ballot election. The voting location is the foyer of the Ernst-Abbe-Mensa. The election is general, equal, direct, free, and secret. For elections to student councils, only individual candidacies are allowed. The election follows a majority voting system without vote accumulation. Each voter has as many votes as there are seats to be filled in the respective electoral area. Votes are valid if the voter's intent is clearly recognizable and no more votes are cast than there are seats available for the corresponding body. The proper conduct of the election is monitored by the Student Council's election board. According to the Faculty Council's regulations, the Student Council of Educational Sciences has a maximum of 18 members.

#### Right to Vote

All enrolled students listed in the voter registry have active and passive voting rights. The voter registry can be viewed from 14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2024, at the Election Office (University Main Building, Fürstengraben 1, Room 3.55) during office hours. The assignment to electoral areas is based on the primary or core subject and can be changed by written declaration to the election board within the limits of the study programs set by enrollment. Such declarations, which can also take the form of candidacies, as well as objections to the voter registry, can be submitted to the election board until 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2024, 2:00 PM. The board will decide on these requests by 23<sup>th</sup> October, 2024. Objections to the election board's decisions can be filed until 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024.

## **Election Proposals**

Nominations must be submitted by 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2024, 2:00 PM at the latest, as electronically completed PDFs via email to the election office (wahlamt@uni-jena.de). The forms are available online at the election office. It is especially important to include the FSU email address for each candidate, as this email address is verified by the university. After the nomination is received, the nominated individuals will receive a confirmation email from the election office regarding their candidacy. Candidates then have the opportunity to counter any false nominations. This procedure replaces a signature. Nominations can be submitted by all eligible students of FSU. The election board will review, approve, and publicly announce the nominations.

### **Election Process**

According to the election regulations, the ballot election will take place over two consecutive days. The election dates are 28<sup>th</sup> October and 29<sup>th</sup> October, 2024, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM each day.

The vote count will take place on 29<sup>th</sup> October, 2024, and the preliminary results will be announced. The counting will begin at 4:00 PM in Conference Room (StuRa), Carl-Zeiss-Straße 3, 07743 Jena.

Jena, 19th September 2024, Peter Wiemuth (elections administrator)

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