

## The Future of Societies: On the Role of Academic Freedom and Independent Researchers

## **Event in the context of the Philipp Schwartz Initiative together with the Federal Foreign Office in Berlin**

Tuesday, October 10, 2017 15:30 – 18:00

Venue: Senate Hall at Humboldt-Universität Berlin, Unter den Linden 6, 10117 Berlin

Participation by invitation only

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Programme subject to change. Updates will be made available following the link enclosed in your invitation.

## **PROGRAMME**

13:00 – 15:30	Registration
15:30 – 15:35	Welcome note Prof. DrIng. Dr. Sabine Kunst, President, Humboldt-Universität Berlin
15:35 – 15:50	<b>Opening address</b> Dr. Andreas Görgen, Director-General for Culture and Communication, Federal Foreign Office
15:50 – 16:00	Keynote address: On the Role of Academic Freedom and Independent Researchers
	Prof. Dr. Lorraine Daston, Director, Max Planck Institute for the History of Science, Berlin
16:00 – 17:00	Panel discussion: On the Role of Academic Freedom and Independent Researchers
5 minutes statements each	Prof. Dr. Helmut Schwarz, President, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation
	Prof. DrIng. Hussain Al-Towaie, Philipp Schwartz Fellow, Technische Universität Darmstadt
	Dr. Nil Mutluer, Philipp Schwartz Fellow, Humboldt-Universität Berlin Prof. Dr. Shabo Talay, Freie Universität Berlin, host of a Philipp Schwartz fellow
	Moderator: Dr. Jan-Martin Wiarda
17:00 – 18:00	Reception at the restaurant "cum laude", Humboldt University Berlin
	End of the event

Language: The event will be held in English.