RDA Chairs Meeting in Cologne

Wednesday 26 June – Friday 28 June 2019, Cologne, Germany

Venue
GESIS - Leibniz-Institute for the Social Sciences, Conference room "Köln Ost"
Unter Sachsenhausen 6-8
50667 Cologne
Tel.: +49 (0)221-47694-0
https://www.gesis.org/en/institute/address-journey/location-cologne/

Hotel (with room contingent on a first-come-first-serve-basis)
Maternushaus
Kardinal-Frings-Str. 1-3
50668 Köln
www.maternushaus.de

It takes 10 minutes to reach Maternushaus from Cologne Central Rail Station. Nearest stop on the underground: Appellhofplatz and Cologne Central Station.

Room booking code: GESIS RDA (preferably, book in writing)
Booking-Email: info@maternushaus.de
Booking-Telephone: +49 221 1631 – 0
Contact form: https://tagen.erzbistum-koeln.de/maternushaus/language/en/contact/

The contingent can be retrieved until May 10th 2019 the latest.

Room prices: single rooms from EUR 89,00 to EUR 99,00 incl. breakfast per night
double rooms EUR 119,00 incl. breakfast per night
Some useful information about travelling to Cologne, alternative accommodation options with special GESIS rates and about Cologne in general can be found here: https://www.gesis.org/en/institute/address-journey/location-coLOGne/

IMPORTANT:
Cologne is generally charging a tax for the promotion and advancement of culture for overnight stays. The tax rate is 5 percent.

More information can be found here (the page is in German – English help see below German text): https://www.stadt-koeln.de/artikel/06845/index.html

There is an exception if the guest declares in a legally binding manner that the accommodation is absolutely necessary for professional reasons. By completely filling in the official form for §7 paragraph 2 KFA statutes, the guest declares that the accommodation in Cologne is professionally mandatory.

If the declaration is not presented at the latest at the check-out at the hotel, the latter must collect the tax.

There you will also find the appropriate form under forms for guests called “Official form to §7 Section 2 KFA-Satzung”, which we kindly ask you to complete in advance and to get a signature and a stamp from your employer in order to avoid the above stated tax.