2024 Doctoral Retreat

Agenda

Wednesday 10.04.

15:00 -	Arrival	Burg Rothenfels
ab 18:00	Dinner and free time together	Burg Rothenfels
from 20:00	Boardgame Night	Burg Rothenfels

Thursday 11.04.

08:00 - 09:00	Breakfast	
09:00-12:00	Presentations	Burg Rothenfels
12:00-13:00	Lunch	Burg Rothenfels
13:00-14:30	Presentations / Discussion	Burg Rothenfels
15:00 - open	Archery	Burg Rothenfels
from 18:00	Dinner	Burg Rothenfels

Friday 12.04.

09:00-09:45	Breakfast	Burg Rothenfels
10:00-12:00	Walking Tour	Burg Rothenfels
12:00-13:00	Lunch	Burg Rothenfels
after 13:00	Departure	

Project presentations and discussions (10 to 15 min)

Please prepare a short presentation about your current research. The presentation doesn't have to be extensive. It should just give an overview of the following topics:

- What is your PhD project about?
- Past and current projects/papers you worked on or are currently working on
- Future projects you plan
- Potential cooperation with other groups of the SFB
- Is there any potential overlap with other groups in the SFB?

As the group is smaller than we initially expected, we would like to have a discussion exchange of your experiences, suggestions, and lessons learned during your PhD. As we are at different stages in our PhDs, we hope to have some valuable experiences exchanged.

So please also think about and come up with a few concrete examples of your PhD or, if you are in an early phase of your PhD, also of your Master studies:

- How did you structure your PhD project?
- What plans during your PhD did work out as you anticipated?
- What plans did not work out? Is there a particular reason they did not work out?
- How do you come up with new ideas for future publications?
- Did you have a stay abroad?
    - How did you organize that?
    - How did you get in contact with the university abroad?
    - How did the SFB finance/support in your research stay

In the evenings and during the discussion time slots, we also have the opportunity to discuss current ongoing projects with the others.