

Monday	Introduction: What is Globalization?	New Aspects of Globalization	Dynamics in International Division of Labour
Tuesday	Money & Currencies --- Financial Markets	IWF and World Bank --- Gender and Globalization	
Wednesday	Networks --- Outsourcing Strategies and Site Com-petition	Guided City Tour: Kassel global – lo-cal?	Current Topics
Thursday	Plant Tour VW Bau-natal	Trade --- WTO	
Friday	Social Standards --- ILO	Global Governance	Feedback

5 days of global experience

*Exchange with activists
from north and south*

*Understanding the context of
globalization*



Developing future perspectives

International Instructors

*In the picturesque manor house of
Hofgeismar*

- Simultaneous Interpretation -

Towards a world of fair labour



**4th Kassel Summer School
„Shaping Global Economy”
August 25-29, 2008**

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OBJECTIVES

The shaping of Globalization is one of the main challenges of our time. The objectives and instruments how to shape the ongoing globalization process in a social and democratic way are heavily debated. In our working context we are frequently confronted with the effects of globalization without having enough time to have a closer look on the problems and to analyze political options to deal with them.

The Summer School provides an opportunity to learn more about economy and globalization and the ways and means of how to shape it. There will be speeches of an introductory nature followed by the opportunity to discuss how the theoretical aspects apply to the situation at country level.

The Summer School targets those who are politically active in NGOs, trade unions (both shop floor level and national level) and political parties. Young participants who are in the early phase of their career are particularly welcome. The summer school will be attended by a total of about 25 participants, from Germany and from developing or emerging countries.

Working languages are German and English. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided.

INSTRUCTORS

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Hofgeismar manor house



Discussions during Summer School

LOCATION

The Kassel Summer School will take place at the Evangelic Academy Hofgeismar which is situated in the surrounds of Kassel, approximately four hours from Berlin. There will be a bus transfer for all international participants from Berlin to Hofgeismar in the afternoon of August 24th and back on August 29th.

More information about the academy at <http://ekkw.de/akademie.hofgeismar/>

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation during the Summer School will be provided in the manor house of the academy. All participants will be accommodated in single or double rooms with en suite bathroom.

ORGANIZERS

Kassel University, Faculty „Globalization and Politics“, in co-operation with the Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung and the Hans-Boeckler-Stiftung

FURTHER QUESTIONS?

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