



Science March Frankfurt / Rhein-Main

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Team (in alphabetical order)



Oliver R.W. Bechtoldt

Server-Admin and IT-Specialist at Attac Bundesbüro (NGO) in Frankfurt/Main. Member of the german skeptics movement (GWUP) and PodCaster (SchlauLicht - science-communication for children / HeissLuftDampfer - Infotainment)

Motivation:

The good thing about science is: it works whether you believe in it or not. I want to live in a society which is dedicated to scientific research, sceptical thinking and critical review. Alternative facts have no place in a 21st century value system.



Dr. Nathalie Dehne

Scientist (cell biology, biochemistry) at the Goethe-University Frankfurt

Motivation:

I strongly believe in the values of free speech and travel but there is a distinct difference between opinions and facts. In a modern democratic society decisions should be based on facts not on opinions and that seems to get lost today.



Susanne Ficus

Scientific sales specialist

Motivation:

If conspiracy theorists, fake news, alternative facts, travel ban, nationalism and racism tries to undermine democracy, it is time to stand up and raise our voice for evidence based facts, for responsibly politics, for diversity in an open society and for the freedom of speech and science



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Motivation

A Pro-Science-Movement...That's motivation enough. We expect our audience to think likewise and is eager to hear the LIVE recording



Dr. Julia Krohmer

Geo-ecologist, science communicator and responsible for Knowledge Transfer at the Scientific Coordination Office of the Senckenberg Gesellschaft für Naturforschung

Motivation:

Science and research need to be defended in a society, where 38% of the german population claims that we "rely too strongly on scientific findings", and only 32% negate this statement. Our future is at stake if we don't base our actions and decisions on sound scientific results, especially when it comes to topics like climate change or biodiversity loss. I hope the Science March will draw attention to this critical situation of our society.