PhD Day
28. May

Information day for current and aspiring doctoral candidates
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10:00 - 14:00

Zoom
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Code 885522
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Why HU-Docs?
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The Answer: HU-Docs!
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► Board with 8 members for planning and administration.
► Board is elected yearly, members can vote and stand for election.
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  - Surveys, networking, representation.
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- Will at some point take place in person again.
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- Excursions to other German cities.
- Hiking & cycling in Berlin, sightseeing “get to know Berlin”.

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- September: Yearly member assembly & elections
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