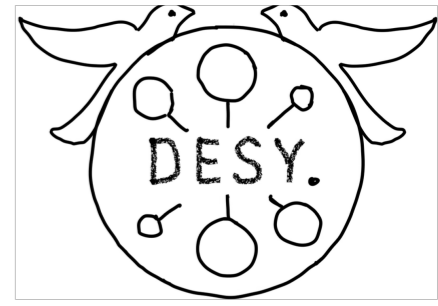




S4P@DESY: Employees have the floor



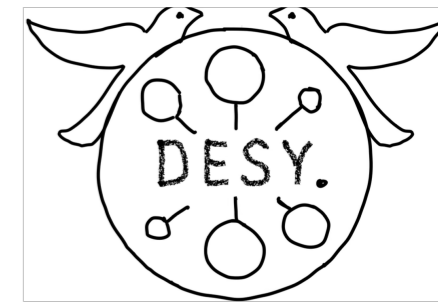
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Recap

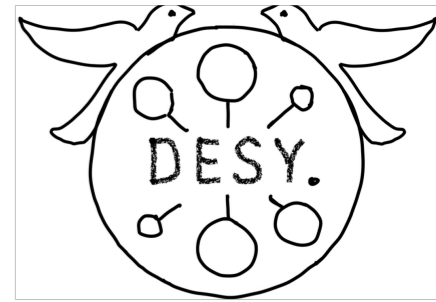


- Employee meeting 17. Juni 2024:
 - announcement to discuss guiding principle, “... goals that are peaceful and serve civil society” is still appropriate ?
- [MoPo](#) Artikel: Militärforschung am DESY ?
- discussion at DESY leads to petition: NotInOurName
 - > 300 have signed — **please sign !**
- Info 31. July 2024: no directives from Helmholtz Gemeinschaft
- [Rundmail](#) DESY Direktorium 23. July 2023
 - Info: no in-house military research, at most open Petra III/IV for externals
- [Flyer](#) 26. Aug 2024





Recap II

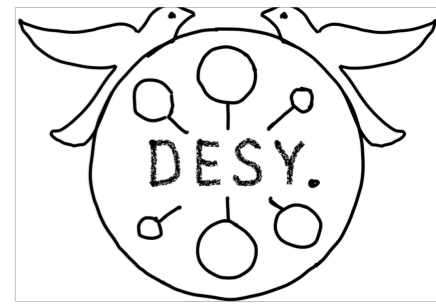


- [Science4Peace Podium Diskussion](#) 4. Sept 2024 “Against the opening civil research facilities for military projects - contributions to a discussion at DESY”
- NotInOurName Petition released for all on change.org
 - please sign ALL, ... international campaign
- DESY Betriebsversammlung 4. Sept 2024
 - DESY Ethics Commission recommends discussion on guiding principle - but **not**, as A. Willner claimed, a change of the guiding principle
- Survey with Helmholtz WorksCouncils:
 - GSI, Jülich have civil clause, in Jülich discussion started
- [Zeitenwende in der Wissenschaft](#) - panel discussion
 - S4P@DESY give short contribution (Karsten Gadow)





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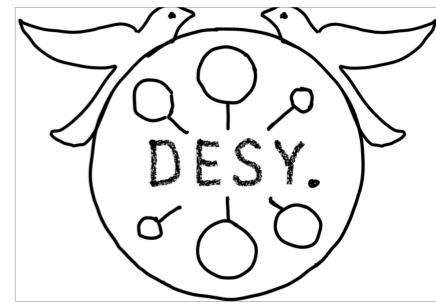


What could happen, if military research is allowed at DESY ?

- the free international exchange with scientists from many countries would no longer be possible
- Special security measures would regulate access for permitted groups of persons
- DESY would become target for cyber attacks
- attractiveness of DESY would decrease because people who want to work in civilian and peaceful institutions would no longer apply
- reputation and acceptance for research at DESY would decrease among employees and the population because no more trust in research



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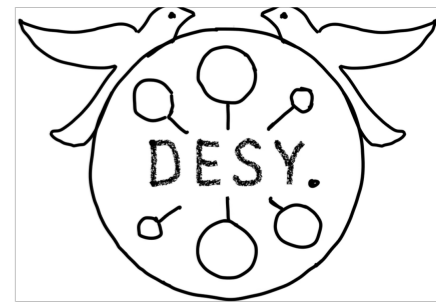


Central issues from Science4Peace@DESY:

- A binding civil clause for DESY
- Exclusion of all military research!
- Publication of all research results
- The preservation of the open campus DESY
- Promoting and expanding conflict resolutions beyond war, violence and the military



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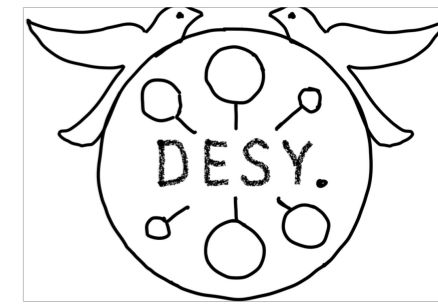


We really need a *Zeitenwende*:

- we don't need political statements from the directorate
- we do not want any defense or military research, but to carry out our research for purely peaceful and civilian purposes
- we want to fill the Science4Peace idea with content, especially in difficult times - we do not want to be in danger of being obliged to cooperate with the military, such as in Bavaria
- the many employees who explicitly speak out against any participation in military projects in the signature collection must be taken seriously
- we want to be peaceful — we do not want to participate in being able for war by 2029, as Pistorius demands.



Central Issues von S4P



- together with the other Helmholtz Centres, we do not want to participate in military projects, but rather jointly stand up for cooperation, peaceful cooperation and research with ALL countries and invest more in scientific diplomacy instead of opening up science for military purposes.

Especially now, after the presidential election in the USA and before the new elections in Germany, it is very important to focus more on scientific diplomacy and civil, peaceful research, and to oppose efforts for further militarization.

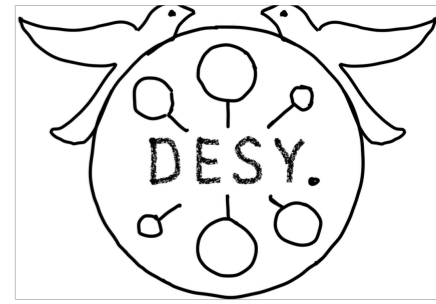
Everyone is welcome to join Science4Peace@DESY,

Sign up for the email mailing list





Next Meeting



- Wednesday, 4. Dez 2024, 16:00

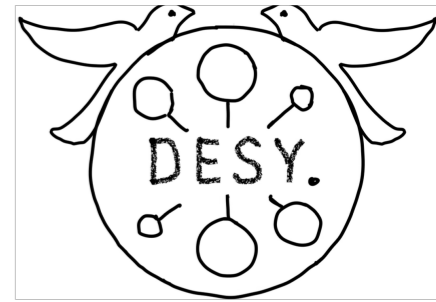
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- Sem 3a



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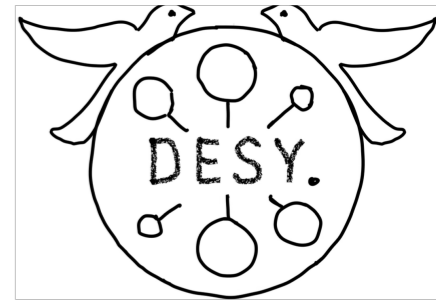
Procedure:

- 5 min introduction
- 50 min German discussion
- 50 min English discussion



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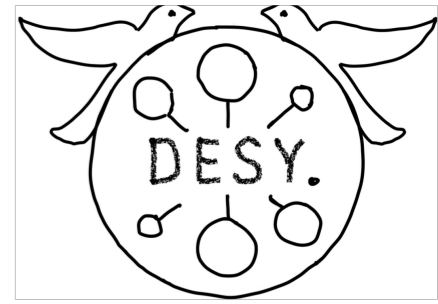


Questions:

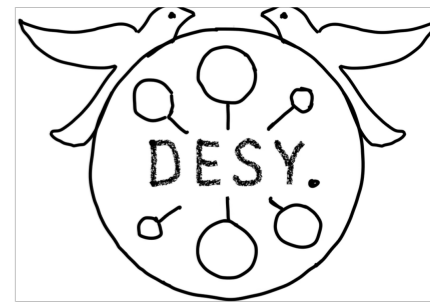
- Why is the discussion about “civil and peaceful research” taking place right now at DESY?
- What social role does DESY have - do you have to participate in military research?
- What tasks for the peaceful coexistence of all could DESY fulfill?
- What can be done to keep peaceful and civil research at DESY ?



Appendix



News



- In einem [Papier von DFG und Leopoldina](#) (Nov 2024) steht:
“Wissenschaft und Innovationskraft werden infolgedessen auch in Europa und Nordamerika zunehmend als geopolitischer Machthebel identifiziert, um Widerstands- und Wettbewerbsfähigkeiten im Sinne nationaler Sicherheitsinteressen zu stärken.”
- in einem [Papier der FDP](#) vom März 2024 steht deutlicher:
“Die Forschungssicherheit und die Stärkung von militärischer Forschung und Forschung mit Dual-Use-Potenzial sind ein Gebot der nationalen Sicherheit.”
- und weiter:
die “Intensivierung der Forschungskooperationen mit Wertepartnerstaaten auszubauen. Die Beziehungen zu Staaten, die gänzlich andere Werte und Ziele als Deutschland und Europa verfolgen, müssen weiterhin einem konsequenten De-Risking unterzogen werden.”