

Charter of the association Dresdener Studentennetz Sektion Gerokstraße 38

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§1 Legal Status

The Section Gerokstraße 38 is an institution of the AG Dresdener Studentennetz (in following called: AG DSN) from the Studentenrates of the Technical University Dresden (TU Dresden).

§2 Purpose

The primary function of the Section Gerokstraße of the AG DSN is the buildup and operating of computer networks in the student-hostel Gerokstraße 38. Also ensures the AG DSN Gerokstraße the connection to the Zentrum für Informationsdienste und Hochleistungsrechnen (ZIH) of the TU Dresden. Internet connection and other network services (e.g. Mail- and FTP-server) are provided in the context of research and science.

§3 Membership

- a) Everybody can become a member if she/he lives in a room of the under §2 mentioned student hostel.
- b) The section consists of:
 - active members
 - passive members
 - advising members
- c) Passive membership is archived by filling out the application for internet connection, accepting the charter of association and complementary regulations, and paying the contribution rate according to the financial regulations. The final joining is subject of one of the user administrators.
- d) A passive member can become an active member at anytime. Requirement is that the member signs the internal declarations, agrees to the laws governing data protection and data security of Saxony, and collaborates actively at the buildup and maintenance of the network. The final transition of membership status is decided by the members session of the section (see §4).
- e) Active members can be declared to passive members by the members session of the section if the member is not joining the members session regularly, or does not fulfill the assigned tasks.
- f) Members of the section can connect to the internet via the student hostels network. However this does not result in any legal claims for accessing the internet.
- g) The Membership expires through:
 - i) Not paying the contribution rate according to the financial regulations in time
 - ii) serious violation of the charter of the section or one of the under §8 mentioned complementary regulations
 - iii) Resignation
 - iv) Death

- v) Closure of the Section Gerokstraße
- h) A voluntary resignation is possible at any time. In this case an informal request of resignation as to be transmitted to a representative of the section. The member has to confirm his identity to prevent abuse. Immediately after a resignation the internet access will be deactivated.
- i) In the case of a sublease the sublessee has to applicate for a membership for access to the network.
- j) Active members can become advising members at the termination of active membership. For further information see the Charter of the AG DSN.

§4 Members Session of the Section

- a) The members session handles also all topics of the members assembly according to the charter of the AG DSN.
- b) The members session consists of the members of the section. Active and advising members have the right to vote at the members session.
- c) If the section does not have the quorum because it has not enough members with voting rights then all members of the board of AG DSN get a right to vote. Board members of the section does not get a second vote.
- d) All topics concerning the section are discussed at the members session.
- e) The section has the quorum if at least half, however not less than two, of all members with voting power are present.
- f) The representative of the section can convene a members session. They have to convene a members session if at least 1/10 of the members of the section request this in written form.
- g) Changes of the charter as well as complementary regulations have to be decided on by a supermajority (2/3) of the present members. Changes have to be announced at least two week before the referendum.
- h) All other Decisions are resolved by a simple majority of present members if nothing else is stated for special subjects.
- i) The members session votes the representatives of the section.

§5 Representatives of the Section

- a) The representatives of the section represent the section and coordinate their business. They implement the decisions of the members session and administer the business of the section in their own responsibility according to the charter. The representatives of the section have an accountability to the members session.
- b) The chairman of the section, the vice chairman of the section, the financier, the administrator, and the user administrator are the representatives of the section. All post can be filled multiple times with the exceptions of the chairman, the vice chairman, and the financier.
- c) The representatives of the section are elected at the members session for a one year term. They have to have the status of an active or advising member.
- d) A representative of the section can resign at any time. The representative executes its task in acting position until the next members session. These has to take place within four weeks.
- e) The recall from office of a representative takes place by a vote of no confidence of the majority of attendees of a members session who are entitled to vote.

§6 Representatives in the AG DSN

The members session delegates representatives to the AG DSN. These represent the section in the members assembly of the DSN.

§7 Closure

- a) The section is closing down if a safe operating of the network cannot be ensured.
- b) The closure is decided by a applicable vote of the members session. A supermajority (2/3) of eligible present voters have to agree. At least 3/4 of all eligible voters have to be present.

§8 Complementary Regulations

- a) The financial regulations and the network regulations are issued on the base of this charter.
- b) Furthermore following regulations and documents are binding in their latest review:
 - i) Satzung der AG DSN
 - ii) Rahmennetzordnung der AG DSN
 - iii) Benutzungsordnungen und Vorschriften des ZIH
 - iv) Rahmennetzordnung für die Rechen- und Kommunikationstechnik und die Informationssicherheit an der TUD (IuK-Rahmenordnung)
 - v) Benutzungsordnung des Deutschen Forschungsnetzes (DFN)

§9 Commencement

This charter comes into effect immediately after the announcement following the decision of the members session. This holds also for changes.

§10 Severability

If a provision of this Agreement is or becomes illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, that shall not affect:

- a) the validity or enforceability in that jurisdiction of any other provision of this Agreement; or
- b) the validity or enforceability in other jurisdiction of that or any other provision of this Agreement.