

## Location

The conference will be held at the  
Katholische Hochschule Mainz (KH Mainz)  
Saarstr. 3, D-55122 Mainz  
Telephone number: (+49)-6131-289-44750  
Website: [www.kh-mz.de](http://www.kh-mz.de)

The Katholische Hochschule Mainz can be reached on foot (700 m, 10 minutes) from the central train station (rear exit, near S-Bahn tracks). There are direct train connections from Frankfurt Hauptbahnhof (central station) and Frankfurt airport "Fernbahnhof" to Mainz Hauptbahnhof (central station).

## Accommodation

A limited number of single rooms (65 €) and double rooms (80 €) are reserved until November 24 2017 for conference attendees at the Hotel Stiftswingert (extra beds can be added to rooms): <http://www.hotel-stiftswingert.de/>

Please provide the code "DGHWi conference" to reserve these rooms. It is also possible to book at nearby hotels, but it is advisable to book early.

## Registration

The conference registration forms can be found on the **website of the DGHWi** by clicking on „4. International Conference“ in the menu. Please email or fax the completed form to the administrative office:

E-Mail: [4-int-fachtagung@dghwi.de](mailto:4-int-fachtagung@dghwi.de)

Fax: (+49)-5372-9718-78

## Call for Abstracts

The call for abstracts for presentations and poster presentations begins in May 2017 and

**ends on August 31, 2017.**

Please use the forms available on the DGHWi website:

<https://www.dghwi.de/index.php/4th-international-conference>

Notification of acceptance will be given by the middle of October 2017.

The German and English abstracts (presentation or poster) which have been accepted will be published in a print version as a supplement to the Journal of Midwifery Science (Zeitschrift für Hebammenwissenschaft) and published online with GMS (German Medical Science open access e-journal).

Presenters (presentation or poster) must also pay the conference fee.

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the German Society of Midwifery Science  
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für Hebammenwissenschaft e.V.) - DGHWi  
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## 4th International Conference

### The academic midwife – practice and science

Akademisiertes  
Hebammenwesen –  
Praxis und Wissenschaft

**February 16, 2018**

10:30 am - 5:00 pm

**Mainz (Germany)**

Katholische Hochschule Mainz  
(Catholic University of Applied Sciences Mainz)

## Conference Goals

The 4th International Conference serves the purpose of giving a framework for professional exchange and networking of midwives and other professionals in the German speaking countries and European community who are involved in research, teaching and midwifery practice in and outside the clinic; as well as those interested in midwifery science. A space will be created for dialogue to awaken and enliven innovative approaches to midwifery care and to reflect on experiences in midwifery practice in and outside the clinic environment, thus promoting individual research activities.

The conference agenda includes lectures and poster presentations showing recent research findings and scientific methodological challenges within midwifery science and relevant interdependent sciences. There will be time for discussion.

## Programme

9.45-10.30 am	Registration
10.30-11.00 am	Greeting
11.00-12.00 am	Keynote address
12.00-12.45 pm	Presentation
12.45-1.45 pm	Lunch
1.45-2.45 pm	Poster presentations in groups
2.45-3.15 pm	Coffee break
3.15-4.45 pm	Presentations
4.45-5.00 pm	Review and Outlook

## Registration fee

The registration fee includes lunch and coffee, as well as the conference folder and the volume containing the published abstracts.

**Early bird registration closes on October 31, 2017.**

Please note that the cost of registration depends on the **day payment is received**. This also holds true for the early bird registration!

Registration	Member DGHWi	Student	Non-member DGHWi
<b>Before October 31, 2017 ("early bird")</b>	130.00 Euro	70.00 Euro	180.00 Euro
<b>Until December 17, 2017</b>	180.00 Euro	90.00 Euro	230.00 Euro
<b>Day ticket</b>	200.00 Euro	110.00 Euro	250.00 Euro

## Keynote Speaker

Professor Cecily Begley will share her experiences in setting up direct-entry bachelor degree study programmes in Ireland. She holds the Chair of Nursing and Midwifery in Trinity College Dublin, Ireland, and has participated in expert groups developing educational standards and BSc and MSc programmes in Ireland and overseas.

## Simultaneous translation

Presentations may be held in English or German. All oral presentations will be simultaneously translated from German into English and from English into German.

Please transfer the registration fee to the following account:

**Deutsche Gesellschaft für Hebammenwissenschaft e.V. (DGHWi)**

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