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Invitation to the Public event
Rights-Based Research and the CRPD
Jan 14th 2016, EFH Rhineland-Westphalia-Lippe, Bochum

Dear Madam / Sir,

We cordially invite you to the international event *Rights-Based Research and the CRPD* hosted by the Protestant University of Applied Sciences Rhineland-Westphalia-Lippe (EFH R-W-L) and the University of Melbourne (UoM) on January 14th 2016.

The event will highlight current research issues in the context of disability and human rights. The welcome address will be provided by Verena Bentele, the Federal Government Commissioner for Matters relating to Disabled Persons, and the speakers include high-level representatives from the UN Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), NALSAR University of Law in Hyderabad, the Center for Disability Law and Policy at NUIG Galway and the Disability Research Initiative at the University of Melbourne. The event concludes with a wine reception at the foyer of the EFH R-W-L.

For registration, please send an e-mail by **December 18th 2015** to bodys@efh-bochum.de. Please note that due to limited space, the number of participants is limited. Further information on registration and the program can be found in the attachements.

Kind Regards

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Invitation to the event

**Rights-Based Research and the Convention on the Rights of Persons with
Disabilities**

Jan 14th 2016 at the EFH Rhineland-Westphalia-Lippe in Bochum

Easy-to-Understand Version

Dear Madam / Sir,

We want to invite you to an event.

The event takes place at the Protestant University of Applied Sciences Rhineland-Westphalia-Lippe on January 14th in 2016.

The University of Melbourne and the Protestant University of Applied Sciences organize this event together.

We will talk about human rights of persons with disabilities.

Experts from the United Nations and international universities will talk at the event.

Please register by e-mail to bodys@efh-bochum.de by December 18th 2015.

We are sending the program and registration form with this e-mail.

You can ask for an easy language interpreter for the event.

Kind regards,

Dr. Anna Arstein-Kerslake

Prof. Dr. Theresia Degener