

Election Announcement

for the elections to the 47th Student Parliament of the University of Bonn (in accordance with §8 of the electoral rules governing elections to the Student Parliament (*Wahlordnung für die Wahlen zum Studierendenparlament*))

The elections to the 47th Student Parliament will be held at the University of Bonn from **Monday, January 13 to Thursday, January 16, 2025**.

Nominations

Nominations must be submitted by **12:59:59 on Wednesday, December 18, 2024** at the latest. They must be handed in to the Election Committee in person during Election Office opening hours (see below). Further details and candidacy templates can be obtained from the Election Committee's website (see below). Nominations must comply with the provisions of §10 of the electoral rules.

A nomination will only be considered if an electronic list was submitted before the nomination itself. This list must indicate the first name, last name, subject studied and email address of all candidates in a clearly discernible order and must be emailed to sp-wahl@asta.uni-bonn.de. A template is available from the Election Committee website.

A statement on the relevant manifesto (in the form of an article in the election newspaper) must be submitted together with a candidacy. You will need to submit four A4 pages in grayscale electronically as a PDF file (either four individual pages or one four-page document) with a maximum total file size of 10 MB. The article must be emailed to sp-wahl@asta.uni-bonn.de. An article that is submitted late or fails to meet the requirements will not be considered for publication.

Eligibility

All members of the student body who were enrolled as regular students at the University of Bonn on **Friday, November 29, 2024** are eligible to vote and stand for election. Auditors and cross-registered students do not qualify.

A list of all those with voting rights (the "voter list") has been on display since Monday, December 2, 2024 at Endenicher Allee 31–33, 53115 Bonn, where it can be viewed between 9:30 am and 3 pm. In accordance with §16 para. 3 of the electoral rules, any objections to the list must be presented to the Election Committee in writing by **08:59:59 on Monday, January 6, 2025**. Only those whose names are on the voter list will be able to vote.

Voting

Voters will be able to cast their vote at polling places across the University (see the list of polling stations). They will need to bring their **digital student ID** and **official photo ID** with them.

Voting by mail

Voters will also be able to cast their vote by mail. Request forms are available from the Election Office and the Election Committee website (see below). Signed forms requesting mail-in voting can be submitted in hardcopy form or emailed as a scan to sp-wahl@asta.uni-bonn.de and must have been received by the Returning Officers by **19:29:59 on Tuesday, January 7, 2025**.

Sealing

The ballot boxes will be publicly sealed in the Election Office (exact room to be specified) from 4 pm onward on Friday, January 10, 2025.

Counting

Votes will be publicly counted immediately after polls close from 6 pm onward on Thursday, January 16, 2025 in the Grand Hall and Senate Hall of the University Main Building (Regina-Pacis-Weg 3, 53113 Bonn).

Voting system

The **43 seats** in the Student Parliament of the University of Bonn are up for election. The election uses the mixed-member proportional representation system, with seats allocated to candidate party lists using the Sainte-Laguë/Schepers method. Using this method, the number of votes for party lists and individual candidates is used to determine, for each list, how many seats are to be allocated according to party-list ranking and how many are to be allocated according to votes for individuals. The seats reserved for votes for individuals will be allocated to the candidates with the most votes. The remaining seats will be allocated to the candidates not yet considered in the order in which they appear on their party list. In the event of a tie, the order in which candidacies were submitted shall be decisive. If there are more seats to be allocated than there are candidates, the leftover seats will remain vacant.

More information on the elections and the candidates can be found on University notice boards and in the election newspaper, which will be published in January 2025.

Annex: List of polling places. The list may change at short notice due to fire prevention regulations. Any updates will be announced separately.

No.	Name	Day	Time	Location
1	Department of Law 1	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 6 pm	Department of Law, Adenauerallee entrance, corridor to the left
2	Department of Law 2	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 4 pm	Department of Law, Lennéstraße entrance, corridor to the right
3	Hofgarten-Mensa	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 2:30 pm	Mensa-Zelt
4	Rabinstraße 1	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 6 pm	Mother-child room
5	Rabinstraße 2	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 6 pm	Lockers
6	University Main Building 1	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 6 pm	Central coat checkroom, right-hand side
7	University Main Building 2	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 6 pm	Café Unique
8	Pop-Mensa 1	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 3 pm	Endenicher Allee 19, exit
9	Pop-Mensa 2	Monday to Thursday	11 am to 2:30 pm	Endenicher Allee 19, exit
10	Geography	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 4:30 pm	Department of Geography, Meckenheimer Allee 166, foyer
11	Chemistry	Monday to Thursday	9:30 am to 4:30 pm	Chemical Institutes, Gerhard-Domagk-Straße 1, by the lecture halls
12	Lecture Hall Center Poppelsdorf 1	Monday to Thursday	9:30 am to 6 pm	Friedrich-Hirzebruch-Allee 5, foyer
13	Lecture Hall Center Poppelsdorf 2	Monday to Thursday	11:30 am to 2:30 pm	Friedrich-Hirzebruch-Allee 5, foyer
14	Anatomy	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 4 pm	Nußallee 10, foyer
15	MNL Branch Library	Monday to Thursday	9 am to 6 pm	Friedrich-Hirzebruch-Allee 4, foyer
16	Venusberg 1	Monday to Thursday	10:30 am to 2:30 pm	Canteen, Building 32
17	Venusberg 2	Monday to Thursday	10 am to 5:30 pm	Teaching Block, Building 10
18	University and State Library (USL)	Monday to Thursday	9:45 am to 4:15 pm	Adenauerallee 39–41, department entrance
19	Psychology	Monday to Thursday	10:30 am to 6 pm	Kaiser-Karl-Ring 9, corridor to the right
20	Mathematics	Monday to Thursday	9:30 am to 4 pm	Mathematical Institute, Wegelerstraße 10, foyer
21	Mobile ballot box, city center	Monday Wednesday	9:30 am to 4:30 pm 9:30 am to 4:30 pm	History: Konviktstraße 11, foyer Language Learning Center: Lennéstraße 6, foyer
22	Mobile ballot box, Poppelsdorf	Monday Tuesday Wednesday	9:30 am to 5 pm Noon to 4 pm 9:30 am to 2:30 pm 9 am to 2:30 pm	AVZ: Endenicher Allee 11–13, foyer Computer Science: Friedrich-Hirzebruch-Allee 8, foyer Geodesy: Nußallee 17, foyer Physics: Wolfgang-Paul Lecture Hall Building, foyer

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23	Elections Office (voting by mail)	Monday to Thursday	As required	Elections Office during election week (will be announced in due course)

Contact	Elections Office
SP-Wahlausschuss c/o AStA Uni Bonn Endenicher Allee 19 (Container) 53115 Bonn, Germany www.wahlen.uni-bonn.de sp-wahl@asta.uni-bonn.de +49 176 478009 (Returning Officer) +49 1575 8258175 (Deputy Returning Officer) Facebook: SP-Wahlausschuss Uni Bonn Instagram: @spwahl	Room 4 Endenicher Allee 19 (Container) 53115 Bonn, Germany Opening hours: Tuesday, December 17, 2024 4 pm to 7 pm Wednesday, December 18, 2024 10 am to 1 pm Friday, December 20, 2024 10 am to 1 pm Tuesday, January 7, 2025 11 am to 1 pm 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm January 13–16, 2025 9 am to 6 pm daily