

Winterschool 2025

16.03.2025 – 21.03.2025

Please register by
January 15

Graduate Center Medicine and Health, Behavioral and Social Sciences Program & Department Health and Sport Sciences
Technische Universität München

In March 2025 the Behavioral and Social Sciences Program of the Graduate Center Medicine and Health of Technische Universität München hosts the annual Winterschool for doctoral candidates in sport and health sciences. Professors from the Department Health and Sport Sciences will tutor presentations and a workshop and will be available for the whole time for in-depth consultation but also informal conversation.

Invited Tutor and Keynote

The Invited Tutor in 2025 is Vanessa Wergin (University of Queensland, Brisbane). She is Postdoctoral Research Fellow at the Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences and she started her career at TUM. Dr. Wergin's academic journey - across Frankfurt, Amsterdam, Milwaukee, TUM and UQ, was fully supported by competitive fellowships and external funding. Her primary research centers on the sudden breakdown of team performance, a critical area in both sports and organisational psychology and successfully employs quantitative and qualitative data collection. Vanessa Wergin will give a keynote presentation on her research and an optional workshop.

Scientific Program

The Winterschool offers two formats for active participation: In *presentation of project* participants share project ideas and projects in their early stages. The Winterschool is a safe environment for discussion, giving and receiving feedback on doctorate projects. Alternatively, participants may submit (parts of) a paper or proposal to a *peer-review*. Under the supervision of a tutor, participants will engage in a sample review process and provide feedback.

Subsequent to the Winterschool, Vanessa Wergin offers a workshop: "Using qualitative methods to strengthen your research." In this workshop, you will discover the diverse range of qualitative methods available and learn how to seamlessly integrate them into your existing research. By doing so, you can add depth, nuance, and a more comprehensive understanding to your work, ultimately strengthening your research outcomes.

Accommodation & Costs

Accommodation is provided in rooms of four or double rooms. The costs include full board (break-fast, snack, dinner), scientific program, social activities. Beyond the scientific program, there will be some time for snow sport activities.

Date: Winterschool: Sunday, 16.03.2025 – Thursday, 20.03.2025
Workshop: Thursday, 20.03.2025 – Friday, 21.03.2025

Location: Hirschegg (Kleinwalsertal, A), Darmstädter-Haus of TU Darmstadt

Registration: no later than January 15 2025 via
<https://go.tum.de/308665>

Participation Fee: (including full board, excluding travel)

	Winter-school	plus Workshop
TUM students	80 €	20 €
Students from affiliated/ partner institutions	80 €	20 €
others	240 €	50 €

