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Elections

of the Student Council of the University of Bremen

from 2nd to 6th June 2025

Who is elected?

During the lecture period, between Monday (02.06.2025) and Friday (06.06.2025)

the 25 members of the Student Council

of the University of Bremen will be elected by the students. The election will take place in presence.

All students who are enrolled at the University of Bremen at the time of the election and have paid the student body fee have the right to vote and stand for election. The right to vote and stand for election also applies to foreign students who have been admitted to a place at the University of Bremen.

Eligibility to vote and voting

All students of the University of Bremen with a valid student ID for the summer semester 2025 have the right to vote. Voting takes place in presence.

Applications for postal voting

Applications for postal voting can be made in writing up to one day before the start of the election (01.06.2025), 5.00 p.m., without presenting the student ID and will be sent afterwards. Alternatively, the election documents can be collected from the Election Commission until 04.06.2025 upon presentation of the student ID.

The ballot papers of all voters, together with the declaration of independence in an election envelope, must be received by the Election Commission by 3:00 p.m. on the last day of voting, Friday, 06.06.2025. The declaration of independence is a piece of paper on which you declare your identity and sign to guarantee that you are really the student you are submitting the ballot paper as. The declaration must be signed and returned with the ballot paper, otherwise the ballot paper is invalid.

Only your name on the electoral roll entitles you to vote. Important: If you vote by postal ballot, you have to fill out the documents completely!

Polling stations and voting times

The elections will take place from Monday, 02.06.2025, to Friday, 06.06.2025, in the following polling stations:

Glas Hall	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri	10:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
Grazer Str. Café	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu	10:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
	Fri	10:00 a.m 2:00 p.m.
Domshof (Forum)	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu	10:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
	Fri	10:00 a.m 1:00 p.m.
GW2	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri	10:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
Mensa	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri	11:30 a.m 2:00 p.m.
MZH	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri	10:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
NW 1	Mon, Tue	10:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
SFG	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri	10:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.

(Attention: subject to change - please observe announcements!)

List of eligible voters (electoral roll)

Every eligible voter can inspect the electoral roll at the electoral commission. The inspection at the electoral commission is only possible with a previously arranged appointment by e-mail.

Any person with the right to vote may file a written objection against the electoral roll. **Objections are admissible until 12.05.2025 at 1 p.m.** The objection must be made in writing and must be substantiated. Please put the objection in the letterbox of the electoral commission. It is located in the hallway to the AStA conference room opposite of room A 2120, accessible via the Studierendenwerk, entrance on the first floor in the glass box.

Election proposals

The election proposals must be submitted to the election commission. Each election proposal must contain the following information:

- the surname, first name and, if applicable, call name,
- the address,
- the e-mail address,
- Course or courses of study,
- Semester of study,
- Matriculation number,

• the name of the list or list combination for which the candidate is standing, or whether it is an individual candidacy.

Nominations can be submitted to the Election Commission as individual nominations or as closed list nominations. In the case of list proposals, a list with the order of the candidates must be enclosed and a responsible contact person with telephone number and e-mail address must be named. The name and, if applicable, the short name of the list must be explicitly stated. In addition to the list name, the election proposals can be provided with a short designation of the list.

The election proposals shall be submitted using the forms or in this corresponding form. In order to avoid errors in reading and transmitting the data, the forms - see www.sr.uni-bremen.de - are best filled in electronically or legibly in block letters and printed out.

Each candidate must confirm their candidature with their own signature. Each candidate can only stand for one list.

The deadline for submitting election proposals is 1 p.m. on 12th May 2025.

The election proposals in the form of a provisional ballot paper (sample ballot paper) will be published in the glass hall on the AStA floor from 14.05.2025. (also see <u>www.sr.uni-bremen.de</u>). The order of lists on the ballot will be publicly drawn by the election officer on 13.05.2025 at 1 p.m. on the AStA floor.

Objections against the provisional ballot paper (sample ballot paper) must be submitted in writing with substantiation to the mailbox of the Election Commission by 20.05.2025.

Please note: The student council elections will take place at the same time as the university elections (Gremienwahlen). Please note the separate <u>election notice (German only)</u> of the University Election Management.

Other

The election regulations can be viewed at <u>https://sr.uni-bremen.de/wiki/Hauptseite.</u>

If the election is not extended by two university work days, the public counting of the votes and the determination of the provisional election results will take place on Friday (06.06.2025) from 3 p.m. The final election results will be announced on Monday (09.06.2025) at the latest at 3 p.m. **Any person with the right to vote may file an objection and contest the final election result within a period of three working days until 1 p.m., i.e. presumably until 12.06.2025, at 1 p.m. after the announcement of the final election result. The objection must be submitted in writing to the Electoral Audit Commission and must be substantiated.**

Election workers wanted!

Election workers are needed to staff the polling stations and count the votes. They should come from all member groups of the university. They are allowed to stand for the election of the student council, but not for the university elections (Gremienwahlen). Non-candidates have priority over SR candidates in the application process.

Please note that a **German level of at least B1** is required to apply as election worker. Student election workers receive € **14.28** per hour.

Registration is possible until **14.05.2025**, 1 p.m. at the SR Election Commission (srwahl@uni-bre-men.de).

Date for the instruction of the election workers:

22.05.2025 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m., VWG, Room 1590 or 23.05.2025 09:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m., VWG, Room 1590.

Bremen, the 15.04.2025

The Election Commission



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