

Information leaflet “Living in Karlsruhe”

If you are about to embark on your quest to find an apartment or a room in a shared house in the beautiful city of Karlsruhe, it might help to take a look at our information leaflet, which contains some handy tips to help you find the right place in time for the start of your degree.

Newspaper small ads

Karlsruher Wochenblatt (WoBla)

The free weekly newspaper “Karlsruher Wochenblatt” is delivered to households in Karlsruhe every Tuesday. Advertisements can be inserted by sending them to the following address:

Amtstraße 5-11, 67059 Ludwigshafen
Phone: +49 621 5902 495
Fax: +49 621 5902 504

Karlsruher Anzeiger

The “Karlsruher Anzeiger” is a newspaper very popular for its free small ads. It can be bought every Wednesday and Friday at newspaper stands. Adverts can be inserted by sending them to the following address:

Stephanienstraße 25, 76133 Karlsruhe
Phone: +49 721 1800 0
Fax: +49 721 1800 30

SperrMüll

The “SperrMüll” is another newspaper available from newspaper stands which has free small ads. Adverts can be inserted by sending them to the following address: Kriegsstraße 5, 76137 Karlsruhe or online at www.quoka.de.

Studentenwerk Karlsruhe

Apply for a place in student halls of residence as early as possible. It is best to apply up to six months before you want to move in! The application form for all halls operated by the Karlsruhe Studentenwerk can be found at:

www.studentenwerk-karlsruhe.de/en/wohnen

Studentenwerk Karlsruhe
Housing Department
Adenauerring 7 (Studentenhaus)
76131 Karlsruhe

Accommodation services, general enquiries:

Phone: +49 721 6909 192
Fax: +49 721 6909 290

Halls of residence administration:

Phone: +49 721 6909 200
Fax: +49 721 6909 290

Mail: wohnen@studentenwerk-karlsruhe.de
www.studentenwerk-karlsruhe.de

Private accommodation brokering service

Studentenwerk Karlsruhe offers a free service matching students to private landlords offering accommodation in the Karlsruhe area. This is free of charge for both landlords and tenants. More information is available at

<http://www.studentenwerk-karlsruhe.de/en/wohnen>

Accommodation partnerships

The accommodation partnerships is a joint project from Paritätische Sozialdienste Karlsruhe and Studentenwerk Karlsruhe, with the aim of making sensible and cross-generational use of empty residential space in and around Karlsruhe. The principle is simple: 1 hour of support to be provided per month per 1 sq.m. of living space. This partnership model is designed to benefit both sides. The person offering living space receives practical support instead of monetary rent, and the students receive low-cost accommodation. This is therefore an alternative option to a shared house with other students or living in halls, offering new experiences and the chance to make social contacts with Karlsruhe residents.

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Facebook.com

If you would like to share accommodation with other Karlsruhochschule students or to learn from their experiences at our university, the Karlsruhochschule Facebook group (<http://www.facebook.com/karlsruhochschule>) is a great place to gain a first impression. Here you can get to know other students, find out about the current accommodation situation, and perhaps even receive an interesting offer of living space. Some students post their accommodation offers directly in the forum within the Facebook group. And occasionally a group come together here and set up a new shared student flat or house. So clicking on this link might well pay dividends!

Further interesting websites

<http://die-wg-boerse.de>
<http://immonet.de/wg.html>
<http://studenten-wg.de>
<http://mannheim.homecompany.de>
<http://easywg.de>
<http://familienheim-karlsruhe.de>
<http://wg-welt.de>
<http://immowelt.de>