

Privacy information for events

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This privacy information provides you with an overview on the processing of your personal data collected in connection with your participation in events of Gesellschaft für Anlagen- und Reaktorsicherheit (GRS) gGmbH (hereinafter: event). Your personal data will be processed in compliance with the applicable provisions of data protection law.

PAs defined in Article 4(1) of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), 'personal data' means any information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person.

1. NAME AND CONTACT DATA OF THE CONTROLLER AND THE GRS DATA PROTECTION OFFICER

The controller within the meaning of Article 4(7) GDPR is:

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You can find more information about us in our Legal information.

The GRS data protection officer can be contacted at the above address for the attention of "Datenschutzbeauftragter" or at datenschutzbeauftragter@grs.de.

If you have questions about data protection law or your rights as a data subject, you can contact our data protection officer directly at any time.

2. PROCESSING OF PERSONAL DATA AND PURPOSES OF THE PROCESSING

A) EVENT REGISTRATION

Within the scope of the registration for the event, we collect the following mandatory data, in particular,

title (Mr/Mrs/Ms/other),
last name, first name,
institution,
address, and
e-Mail-address.

The mandatory data are processed in order to identify you as a participant in the event, to check the plausibility of the data given, to reserve your place at the event, and to establish and implement the contract of participation with you.

In addition, we need your data to create name tags and attendance lists for the other participants and to provide you with information about the event before, during and after the event. This is done to enable you to participate in an optimum manner and to enable us to plan and ensure the smooth running of the event.

If payment data (invoice address, order numbers, etc.) are requested, we need these to invoice the participation fee.

Further information can be provided on a voluntary basis. The provision of voluntary data enables us to plan and carry out the event in accordance with your interests.

Data processing is carried out at your request and, according to Article 6(1) sentence 1 (b) GDPR, is necessary for the stated purposes for the performance of the

participant contract and for the implementation of pre-contractual measures.

In order to inform you about similar GRS events in the future, we will use your e-mail address if you have given explicit consent to such use or if we have informed you separately from any other information about this when collecting your e-mail address and have brought your right to object to this use at any time to your attention. Where this use is not based on consent, processing is based on Article 6(1) sentence 1 (f) GDPR, § 7(3) UWG. We have a legitimate interest in informing participants about other similar events organised by us.

In the case of events subject to a fee, the personal data collected by us for the event will generally be stored until the expiry of the regular limitation period of 3 years after the end of the year in which the event took place and then deleted. In the case of free events, we delete the personal data we have collected no later than six months after the event has taken place. Storage beyond the respective period specified only takes place insofar as

- we are obliged to store data for a longer period in accordance with Article 6(1) sentence 1 (c) GDPR due to statutory retention and documentation obligations (in particular § 147 of the German Fiscal Code (AO)). In this case, the data will only be stored to the extent required by the retention obligation,
- you have consented to further storage in accordance with Article 6(1) sentence 1 (a) GDPR,
- we use your e-mail address under the conditions of § 7(3) of the German Act Against Unfair Competition Act (UWG) to inform you about future events by e-mail. In this case, we will store your e-mail address and your first and last name until you object to processing for this purpose.

Online registration

If you register via an online form on our website, please also note the Legal information on our website, which explains which data are already collected and processed when visiting our website.

Foreign trade law/export control

As a research institution, we are also subject to various requirements under foreign trade law (regulation on dual-use items, embargoes/sanctions, etc.). In order to properly comply with these legal requirements, we use your first and last name as well as address for sanctions list screening, among other things. Processing is based on Article 6(1) sentence 1 (c) and (f) GDPR.

B) REGISTRATION FOR THE INVITATION DISTRIBUTION LIST WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF OUR EVENT SERIES SEMINARS FOR AUTHORITY PERSONNEL

Within the framework of our seminars for authority personnel, you have the option of registering to receive the invitation by e-mail (distribution list). You can do this online via our website www.grs.de/de/de/verteiler-behoerdenseminar by filling in the form provided (in German).

You will then receive a registration notification containing the information you provided.

We will only send you the invitations if you have given your explicit consent in accordance with Article 6 (1) sentence 1 (a) GDPR.

You can unsubscribe at any time. Send your unsubscribe request by e-mail to info@grs.de.

Your e-mail address will be deleted immediately after revocation of your consent to receive the newsletter, unless you have given your consent to further storage pursuant Article 6(1) sentence 1 (a) GDPR or this is necessary for the performance of the contract pursuant to Article 6 (1) sentence 1 (b) GDPR.

C) PHOTOS AND VIDEO RECORDINGS

Photos and videos are taken to document some of our events. It cannot be ruled out that you can be directly or indirectly identified on the recordings, so that personal data are involved. The recordings are regularly chosen such that it is a scenery with persons as accessories to it. If photographs of individual persons are taken as the main motif, we ask the persons concerned for their consent to use the photograph for our purposes.

The recordings may be used for news directly related to the event, similar GRS events and/or for internal reporting of GRS. This may also include publication on one or more social media platforms used by GRS (e.g. X, Mastodon, LinkedIn). The use of the recordings serves our legitimate interest in documenting the event and promoting future similar events.

Data processing is based on Article 6(1) sentence 1 (a) and (f) GDPR.

3. TRANSFER OF DATA TO THIRD PARTIES

Your personal data will not be transferred to third parties for purposes other than those listed below.

A) FOR CONTRACT PERFORMANCE

As far as this is legally permissible and required according to Article 6(1) sentence 1 (b) GDPR for the performance of a contract to which you are a party, your personal data will be passed on to third parties. This includes in particular the transfer to event partners for the purpose of planning and implementing the event. The data transferred may only be used by the third party for the aforementioned purposes.

B) FOR OTHER PURPOSES

In addition, we will only share your personal data with third parties if

- you have given your explicit consent pursuant to Article 6(1) sentence 1 (a) GDPR, or
- in the event that a legal obligation exists for the disclosure pursuant Article 6(1) sentence 1 (c) GDPR.

4. RIGHTS OF DATA SUBJECTS

You shall have the right,

- pursuant to Article 7(3) GDPR, to withdraw your consent at any time. This means that we may no longer process the data based on this consent in the future,
- pursuant to Article 15 GDPR, to request information about your personal data processed by us. In particular, you may request information about the processing purposes, the category of personal data, the categories of recipients to whom your data have been or will be disclosed, the envisaged storage period, the existence of

the right to request rectification, erasure, restriction of processing or objection, the existence of the right to complain, the source of your data if not collected by us, and the existence of automated decision-making, including profiling and, if applicable, meaningful information about its details,

- pursuant to Article 16 GDPR, to obtain without undue delay the rectification of inaccurate personal data or completion of your personal data stored by us,
- pursuant to Article 17 GDPR, to request the erasure of your personal data stored by us, unless processing is necessary for exercising the right of freedom of expression and information, for compliance with a legal obligation, on the grounds of public interest, or for the establishment, exercise or defence of legal claims,
- pursuant to Article 18 GDPR, to request the restriction of processing of your personal data where the accuracy of the data is contested by you, for a period enabling us to verify the accuracy of the personal data, the processing is unlawful, but you oppose their erasure and request the restriction of the use of the personal data instead, we no longer need the data, but you need them for the establishment, exercise or defence of legal claims, or you have objected to processing pursuant to Article 21 GDPR, pending the verification whether our legitimate interests override your interests or rights,
- pursuant to Article 20 GDPR, to receive your personal data you have provided to us in a structured, commonly used and machine-readable format or to request the transmission to another controller, and
- pursuant to Article 77 GDPR, to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority. As a rule, you can contact the supervisory authority of your usual place of residence, your place of work or our company headquarters.

Right to object

If your personal data are processed on the basis of legitimate interests pursuant to Article 6(1) sentence 1 (f) GDPR, you shall have the right to object to the processing of your personal data pursuant to Article 21 GDPR, provided that there are grounds for doing so that arise from your particular situation or the objection is directed against direct marketing. In the latter case, you have a general right to object, which will be implemented by us without reference to a particular situation.

If you wish to exercise your right to object, please send an e-mail to datenschutzbeauftragter@grs.de.