

RAPP Lab3 *Embodied Reflection in Artistic Practice*, May 2nd – 6th 2022
Info-Letter #2: Material and preparation for the trip

Cologne, April 5th 2022

Dear RAPP Lab participants,

in the meantime, you all have received the login-data to access our internal website www.rapplab.eu/intern. Thank you for your posts so far and please go on with sharing your thoughts and interests. Also the website is part of our experiment – so let us know if there is something that does not work (yet).

This second Info-Letter shall give you some details of what you can do to prepare for the Lab in advance:

Material on the website:

- The Lab 3 Working Team: You now find more information on our team who designed the Lab and is going to work with you in Cologne: <https://www.rapplab.eu/labs/lab3/team>
- Material/abstracts: You can also find abstracts on the workshops which are expecting you here: <https://www.rapplab.eu/lab3-interactive/material> (you have to be logged-in to open the site)
- Forum: We opened our “Kitchen” now. Maybe you would like to share information about where to stay in Cologne or you already would like to find a partner for a tandem? Feel free to do so there.

Where to stay in Cologne:

- On Monday and Wednesday our Lab takes place near the Station “Cologne-Ehrenfeld” at the **ZAMUS** (Zentrum für Alte Musik/Centre for Early Music) and on Thursday and Friday near the Main Station at the **HfMT** quite in the city of Cologne (see maps attached). On Tuesday we will be on a trip to the secondary location of the Cologne HfMT in **Wuppertal** (departure at 9 am from Cologne Main Station).
- Here are some suggestions where to stay in Cologne during the Lab. You can either stay closer to the ZAMUS or closer to the HfMT Cologne:
 - Hostels near the **ZAMUS** (Heliosstraße 15, 50825 Cologne):
<https://www.koeln-hostel.de/>: around 55 €/night
<https://www.hotel-bb.com/en/hotel/koeln-city>: around 62 €/night

- Hostel near the **HfMT** (Unter Krahnensäumen 87, 50668 Cologne)
<https://www.aohostels.com/en/cologne/koeln-hauptbahnhof/>
around 60-70 €/night for single room with breakfast
- Hotel near the HfMT: <https://www.hotelludwig.de/>
90 €/night single room with breakfast (for guests of the HfMT Cologne)
If you are interested in these kind of accommodation please let us know through
rapplab@hfmt-koeln.de
- check for AirBnBs near “Ebertplatz”, in “Ehrenfeld” or around the HfMT Cologne
- check for available rooms at the Youth Hostel Cologne:
<https://www.jugendherberge.de/en/youth-hostels/koeln-deutz-450/portrait/>
- for Hotel accommodation check:
Hotel Domstern (ca. 75 Euro): <https://www.hotel-domstern.de/de/>;
Hotel Domspitzen (ca. 75 Euro): <https://www.hotel-domspitzen.de/de/>;
Motel One (ca. 80 Euro), a bit farther: <https://www.motel-one.com/de/hotels/koeln/hotel-koeln-mediapark/>

- Please note: The Payment for these rooms go directly to the Hotel. Visitors of Cologne have to pay a tax for promotion and advancement of culture which is 5% of the hotel-price. A stay for a work-related reasons is exempt from that tax. You might need this formular:
https://formular-server.de/Koeln_FS/findform?shortname=21-F32_KFAAbBeschEng&formtecid=3&areashortname=koeln_html

What we ask you to bring with you:

- your instrument (if possible)
- your laptop (if possible)
- your earphones (with cable!)

Internet:

- Our university offers all guests a guest account if they are not connected to the EU-wide network Eduroam. All those who do not have Eduroam access may please inform us until April 25th.

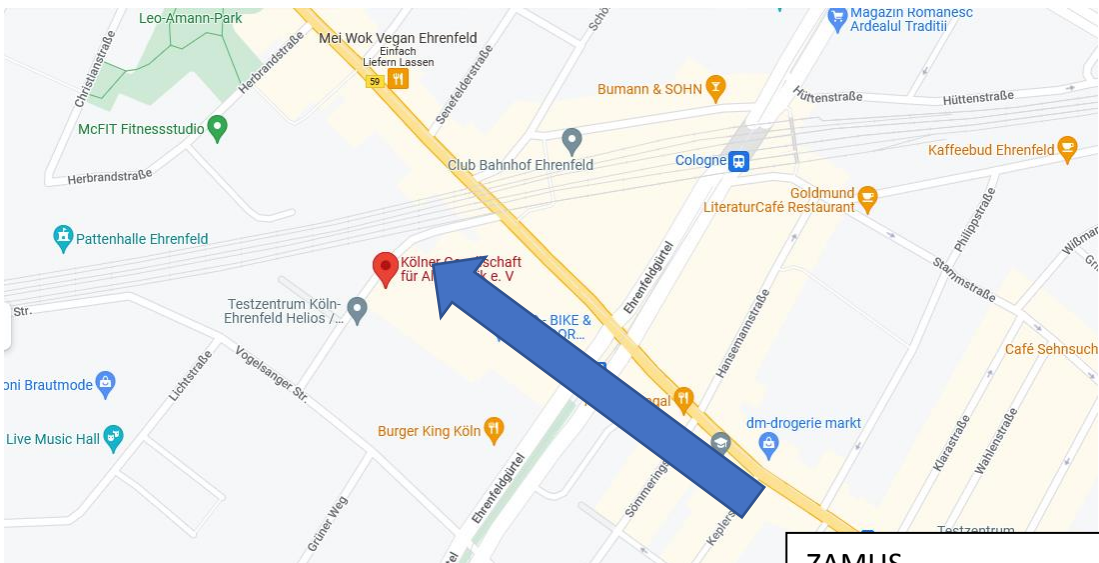
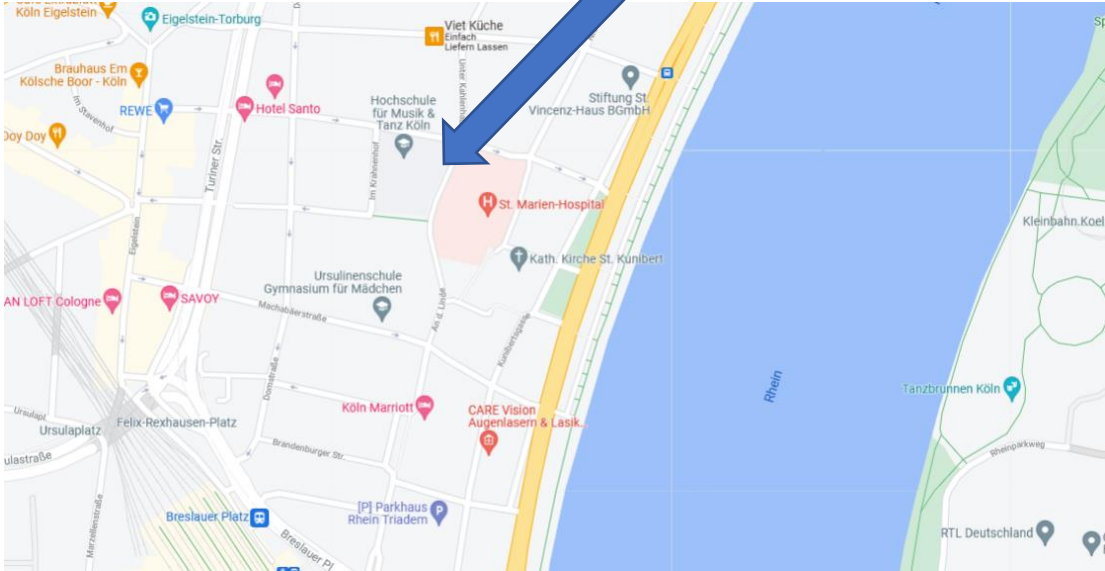
We will send the next letter around the end of April with more information. Please be aware that the RAPP Lab office will remain closed for Easter holiday from April 15–18 and April 21–24 2022.

Warm wishes from the whole RAPP Lab Team of the HfMT Cologne:

Evelyn Buyken with Jan Burkhardt, Laurenz Gemmer, Constanze Schellow and Corinna Vogel (teaching team) and our guest-teachers Nina Eidsheim, USA, and Lars Frers, Norway;

Sybille Fraquelli (coordination and organization) with Stella Göke and Fernanda Rodrigues (MA students and allround-supporters for the Lab)

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