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Dear colleagues,
Dear friends and readers,

You hold the second edition of our newsletter in hand, produced in our new offices. The aged operation theatres at Bachstrasse have been in a high-quality manner reconstructed and renovated for our institute. You are cordially invited to visit us in our new vicinity.

Because of the manifold upcoming tasks we have expanded our team by another two physicians and a postdoctoral research fellow.

Furthermore our homepage has been newly designed. The link www.allgemeinmedizin.uni-jena.de gives you a good overview on actual ideas and projects of our institute.

With kind regards,

Yours

Prof. Dr. Jochen Gensichen

Prioritisation in medicine

The project 'Prioritisation in medicine: A theoretical und empirical analysis with special reference to the compulsory health insurance fund' of the research group FOR655 of the German Research Community (DFG) comprises of 11 sub-projects and 12 participating universities. In sub-project B5 the prioritisation criteria 'evidence-based medicine' and 'health-related quality of life' are studied by using the example of the peripheral vascular disease by means of stakeholder interviews and conjoint analyses.

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Practical en-bloc training

In 2009 our institute was for the first time responsible for the whole organisation of the two-week practical en-bloc training for all 8th semester medical students. Thusly 263 students had to be placed in appropriate GP's surgeries in the entire Free State of Thuringia.



It is novel that the practical days at the surgeries are embedded in two days of theoretical training in the institute in order to guarantee

a thorough and adequate preparation and post-processing of the practical en-bloc training.

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Rotation programme 'Vocational training on general practice and family medicine' at UKJ

A completely new concept for 'structured vocational training on general practice and family medicine at the university hospital Jena – Rotation programme for physicians in vocational training' has been launched at this hospital. The programme is intended to comprehend a coordinated vocational training with the interdisciplinary focus on the topics of the discipline under the functional and disciplinary guidance of our institute. Furthermore an interdisciplinary cooperation between the academic departments, e. g. in sciences and patient care shall be offered. For this the Thuringian Ministry of Social Affairs, Family and Health has granted money for further five employees.

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