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**18 January 2026 · Audimax · Paderborn University**

New Year's Reception

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## Invitation

The Executive Board of Paderborn University cordially invites you to the New Year's Reception on Sunday, **18 January 2026 at 11 am (c.t.)** in the Audimax at Paderborn University.

The programme (presented by Ulrich Letterman) features:

- Welcome address, University President Prof. Dr. Matthias Bauer
- Awards Ceremony
- Keynote speech "Research and its Impact – Why a Strong Region Needs Strong Universities" (in German), Prof. Dr. Angelika Epple, Rector of Bielefeld University
- Musical accompaniment by the University Orchestra conducted by Steffen Schiel
- Informal exchange over drinks and hors d'oeuvres

We are looking forward to welcoming you!



Prof. Dr. Matthias Bauer

Please register for the event by 15 January 2026 via <https://www.uni-paderborn.de/en/new-years-reception>. In case of any questions, please do not hesitate contact the event management team: Stephanie Tegethoff | Tel.: +49 5251/60-2807 or [tegethoff@zv.upb.de](mailto:tegethoff@zv.upb.de)



Please register by  
15 January 2026

