

Accessibility statement

Scope of this statement

GERMAN.SITE endeavors to make its web pages accessible without barriers in accordance with national legislation implementing Directive (EU) 2016/2102 of the European Parliament and the Council. The following accessibility statement applies to the website <https://www.germansite.com>.

Creation of this accessibility statement

This statement was written on 17 February 2021.

Status of compatibility with the requirements for barrier-free information technology

The website <https://www.germansite.com> currently not completely compatible with the technical requirements stipulated by the Barrier-Free Information Technology Regulation of North Rhine-Westphalia.

In February 2021 the website was tested using the tool <https://accessibilityinsights.io/>. Digital accessibility was 83 %. The barriers identified have different causes in the area of programming and design.

Non-accessible content is to be improved as part of a relaunch of the website planned for the end of 2021.

Non-accessible content

Regrettably, there are currently still accessibility issues in the following areas:

- There are elements with insufficient contrast.
- The heading structure of some pages is not accessible.
- Links, forms, icons and iFrames are not correctly marked up in all cases.
- Images are sometimes not correctly marked up or alt texts are missing.
- Landmarks are partially incomplete.
- The language of the page is not specified in the code.

Test results

- [Test result GERMAN.SITE](#)

Feedback and contact details

Should you notice any shortcomings in the barrier-free design of our website, please let us know. Send an e-mail to nrw@nrwglobalbusiness.com.



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Arbitration

Monitoring office for barrier-free information technology of the state of North Rhine-Westphalia

The monitoring office for barrier-free information technology of the state of North Rhine-Westphalia regularly checks whether and to what extent web pages and mobile applications of public sector bodies in the state meet accessibility requirements.

The aim of the monitoring office's work is to ensure that the requirements for barrier-free information technology are met and to ensure that the legal regulations are implemented across the board.

Send an e-mail to the monitoring office ueberwachungsstelle-nrw@it.nrw.de

Further information about the monitoring office can be found here
<https://www.mags.nrw/ueberwachungsstelle-barrierefreie-informationstechnik>

Office of the ombudsman for barrier-free information technology of the state of North Rhine-Westphalia

If you have not received satisfactory answers from the online editorial team to messages or inquiries regarding barrier-free information technology on the website <https://www.germansite.com>, you can contact the office of the ombudsman for barrier-free information technology. With the involvement of all those involved, the office of the ombudsman attempts to determine the circumstances of the lack of accessibility so that the responsible body can remedy the situation.

The office is assigned to the representative for the interests of people with disabilities in accordance with § 11 of the North Rhine-Westphalia Disability Equality Act and can be reached via the following contact:



Send e-mail to the Office of the Ombudsman for Barrier-Free Information Technology
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The office of the ombudsman for barrier-free information technology NRW can be reached by telephone
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Further information on the office of the ombudsman for barrier-free information technology NRW can be
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