



## **Fernunterrichtsvertrag gemäß FernUSG**

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### **Subject of the Contract:**

The distance learning contract covers participation in the self-study distance learning course “*The Hidden Rules of German Culture*”, provided via the ICA online learning platform.

### **Course Format:**

Self-study course with digital content, interactive quiz modules, and optional commentary by ICA trainers in moderated discussion rooms (response time max. 48 hours). Learning progress is assessed chapter by chapter. The certificate of participation is issued upon successful completion of all chapters.

### **Type and Validity of Certificate:**

The course concludes with an internal certificate of participation issued by the Inside Culture Academy. It is not a state-recognized qualification.

### **Entry Requirements:**

A good knowledge of English (B1/B2 level) is a prerequisite for participation.

An internet-enabled device and a stable internet connection are required.

### **Course Duration:**

Approx. 10–12 hours of learning time, recommended completion time 2–4 weeks.

Access is valid for 12 months.

### **Contract Term:**

The maximum contract term is 12 months from the conclusion of the contract.

**Delivery of Learning Materials:**

All learning materials are made fully available on the ICA online learning platform after the contract has been concluded. No physical materials will be delivered.

**Price:**

€ 99. No sales tax is charged (Section 19 UStG / tax-exempt according to Section 4 No. 21 UStG). There are no additional delivery or shipping costs.

**Payment Terms:**

Single payment via the shop system. Payment is due immediately.

**Certificate of Participation:**

After completing all chapters and passing all chapter quizzes (minimum 80%), an ICA certificate of participation will be issued.

**Right of Withdrawal:**

Participants have the right to withdraw from this contract within 14 days without giving any reason.

The withdrawal period begins on the day the participant takes possession of the first distance learning material.

The full withdrawal policy, including the model withdrawal form, is attached to this contract as Annex 1.

**Compensation for Early Commencement of Services:**

If the course begins before the withdrawal period has expired, participants expressly agree to the early start and to pay proportional compensation for services rendered if the contract is withdrawn.

**Right of Termination:**

Participants may terminate the contract without giving any reason at the end of the first half-year after the conclusion of the contract with six weeks' notice.

After the first half-year, the contract may be terminated at any time with three months' notice.

The right to terminate for good cause remains unaffected.

Termination must be made in text form (e.g., by e-mail).

The provider maintains a permanently accessible cancellation button on its website [www.inside-culture-academy.com](http://www.inside-culture-academy.com) with the label "Cancel contracts here". This button allows the contract to be cancelled electronically, and the participant will receive immediate electronic confirmation of the cancellation.

**Data Protection:**

The data protection regulations of Inside Culture Academy apply (<https://inside-culture-academy.com/datenschutzerklaerung/>).

**Statutory Warranty Rights:**

No statutory warranty rights apply to purely digital learning materials unless otherwise agreed.

**Place of Jurisdiction:**

For lawsuits brought by the consumer against the provider, the court at the consumer's place of residence shall have jurisdiction.

**Validity of the Offer:**

This contract offer is valid for 3 months from the date of issue.

**Date:** May 2025

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**Annex 1: Withdrawal Policy****Right of Withdrawal**

You have the right to withdraw from this contract within fourteen days without giving any reason. The withdrawal period is fourteen days from the day you, or a third party designated by you who is not the carrier, took possession of the first distance learning material.

To exercise your right of withdrawal, you must inform us

(Inside Culture Academy, Sebastian Wittig, Huchtinger Heerstraße 121, 28259 Bremen, e-mail: [info@inside-culture-academy.de](mailto:info@inside-culture-academy.de)) of your decision to withdraw from this contract by means of a clear statement (e.g., by e-mail). You may, but are not required to, use the attached model withdrawal form.

To meet the withdrawal deadline, it is sufficient for you to send your communication concerning your exercise of the right of withdrawal before the withdrawal period has expired.

**Consequences of Withdrawal**

If you withdraw from this contract, we will refund to you all payments received from you, including delivery costs (with the exception of any additional costs resulting from your choice of a delivery method other than the least expensive standard delivery offered by us), without undue delay and in any event not later than fourteen days from the day on which we are informed about your decision to withdraw from this contract.

We will carry out such a refund using the same means of payment as you used for the initial transaction, unless we have expressly agreed otherwise; in no event will you be charged any fees as a result of such refund.

### **Note on Early Commencement of Services and Compensation**

If you requested that the course start during the withdrawal period, you shall pay us an amount proportionate to the services provided up to the point at which you notified us of your withdrawal from this contract, compared to the full scope of the contract.

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### **Model Withdrawal Form**

*(If you wish to withdraw from the contract, please complete this form and return it to us.)*

To: Inside Culture Academy e.K., Owner Sebastian Wittig,  
Huchtinger Heerstraße 121, 28259 Bremen, Germany  
E-mail: [info@inside-culture-academy.de](mailto:info@inside-culture-academy.de)

I hereby withdraw from the contract concluded by me for participation in the distance learning course *“The Hidden Rules of German Culture”*.

Ordered on: [Date]

Received on: [Date]

Name: [Your Name]

Address: [Your Address]

E-mail address: [Your E-mail Address]

Date: [Today's Date]

Signature: [only if submitted on paper]

**Date:** Oktober 2025