



Invitation

Australian Ambassador H.E. Lynette Wood
and
Léontine Meijer-van Mensch,
Director Staatliche Ethnographische Sammlungen Sachsen

invite you to the

Official Handover Ceremony

to mark the return of Australian Indigenous ancestral remains
from the collections of

Staatliche Ethnographische Sammlungen Sachsen, Staatliche Kunstsammlungen Dresden
to Indigenous community representatives from Australia

**on Thursday, 28 November 2019
from 13:00 hrs (doors open at 12:30 hrs)**

at GRASSI Museum, Konzertsaal (Musikinstrumentenmuseum)
Johannisplatz 5-11, 04103 Leipzig

Light refreshments will be served following official proceedings

The Australian Government's Indigenous Repatriation Program supports the return of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander ancestral remains held in overseas collections and with private holders so they can be returned to their traditional custodians.

Please RSVP by Wednesday, 20 November 2019
Email: RSVP-Berlin@dfat.gov.au

Please bring a photo ID and allow some time for security procedures when arriving.

Please note that photographs will be taken during this official function that may be included in publicity material for the Embassy, the Australian Government, and the Staatliche Kunstsammlungen Dresden. Should you not wish to be photographed, please let us know.