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History

In 1873, the Protestant Emigration Counselling Service in Hamburg was founded by Chief Pastor Kreusler and merchants as the Evangelical Lutheran Emigration Mission in Hamburg.

The old traditional Hamburg club is still supported by Hamburg residents and a circle of friends.

The organisation is affiliated to the Diakonisches Werk Hamburg and works together with the social welfare authorities.

The Catholic Raphaelswerk is a co-operation partner.

History

The emigrant mission led to numerous church plantings in South America - e.g. in Brazil, Canada, Australia and the USA.

The work of the association was banned during the Second World War.

The then director, Pastor Dr Martin Hennig, succeeded in reviving the previous contacts immediately after the end of the war and helping thousands of emigrants to find a life overseas.

The association celebrates its 150th anniversary in 2023.

The team of full-time employees (all part-time):



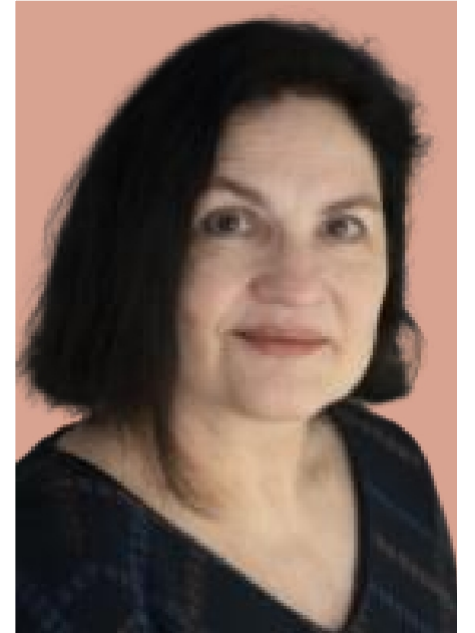
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Managing
Director



Julia Siebrecht
Managing
Director



Marianna Nestoris
Pastor



Susan Weichenthal
Nestcare project management

Work areas



Advice on
emigration from
Germany (Europe,
United Kingdom and
USA)

Counselling on
returning to Germany



Counselling for binational
couples



Counselling for African
mothers

- Application for
Birth certificates for children
- Integration into
health
insurance
funds
- Mediation of medical
Mother & child care

Emigration counselling

Who advises what?

Emigration
(temporary or permanent)

Julia Siebrecht: Austria, UK, USA

Uta Witte: Europe

Customers

We are the only counselling centre in the network to provide advice nationwide.

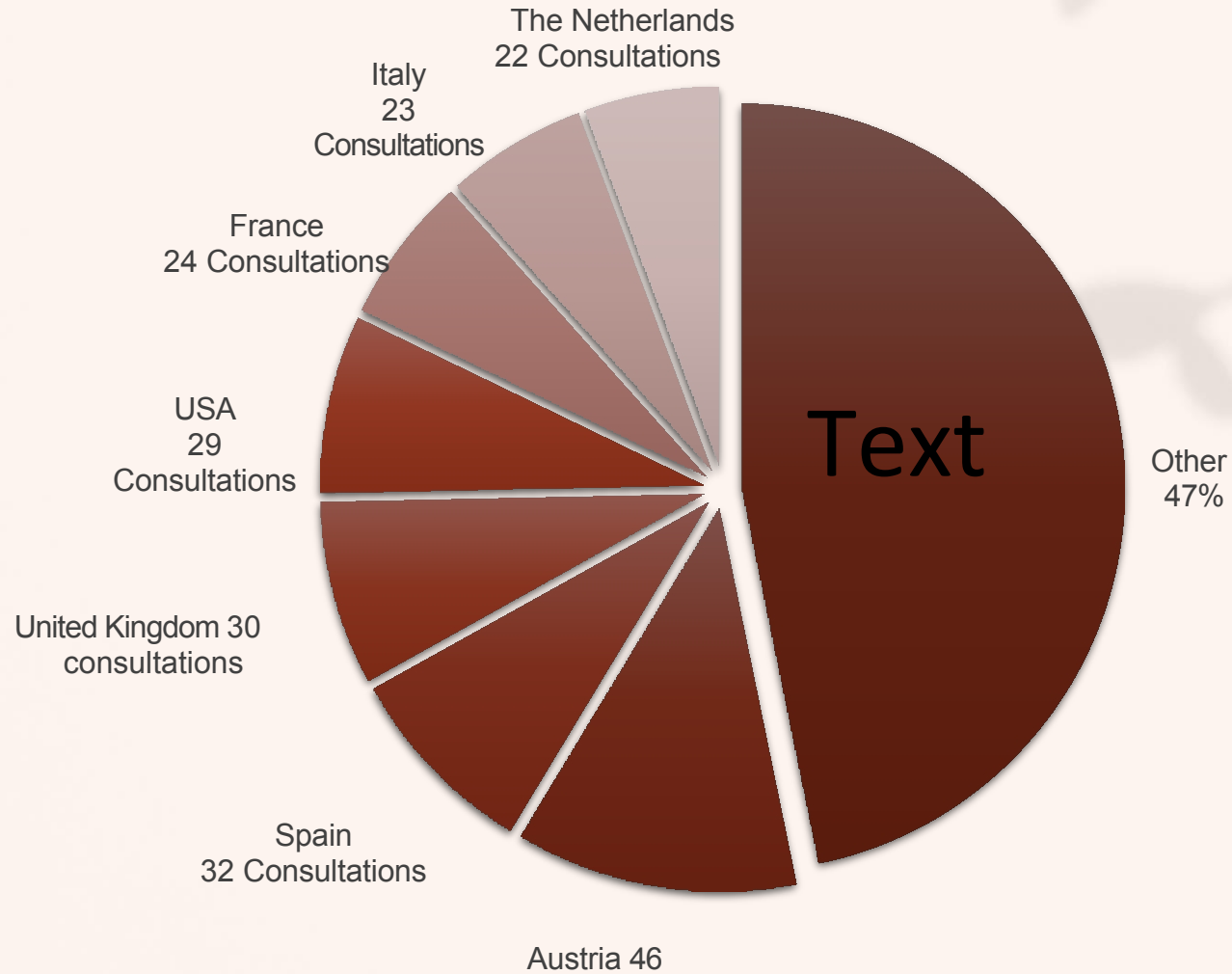
Cost contribution

One-off € 85 for customers with Income. Discounts possible.

Focal points of consulting

- Social security
- Healthcare
- Visa & Residence
- Work & job search
- Taxes
- Housing & living conditions
- Education system

Emigration - main destination countries 2021



Return counselling

Who advises what?

Julia Siebrecht: Returnees from Austria, UK, USA

Uta Witte: Returnees from the Rest of the world

Customers

We advise (as allocated by the Raphaelswerk) the federal states of Berlin, Brandenburg, Bremen, Hamburg, Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania, Lower Saxony, Saxony-Anhalt and Schleswig-Holstein.

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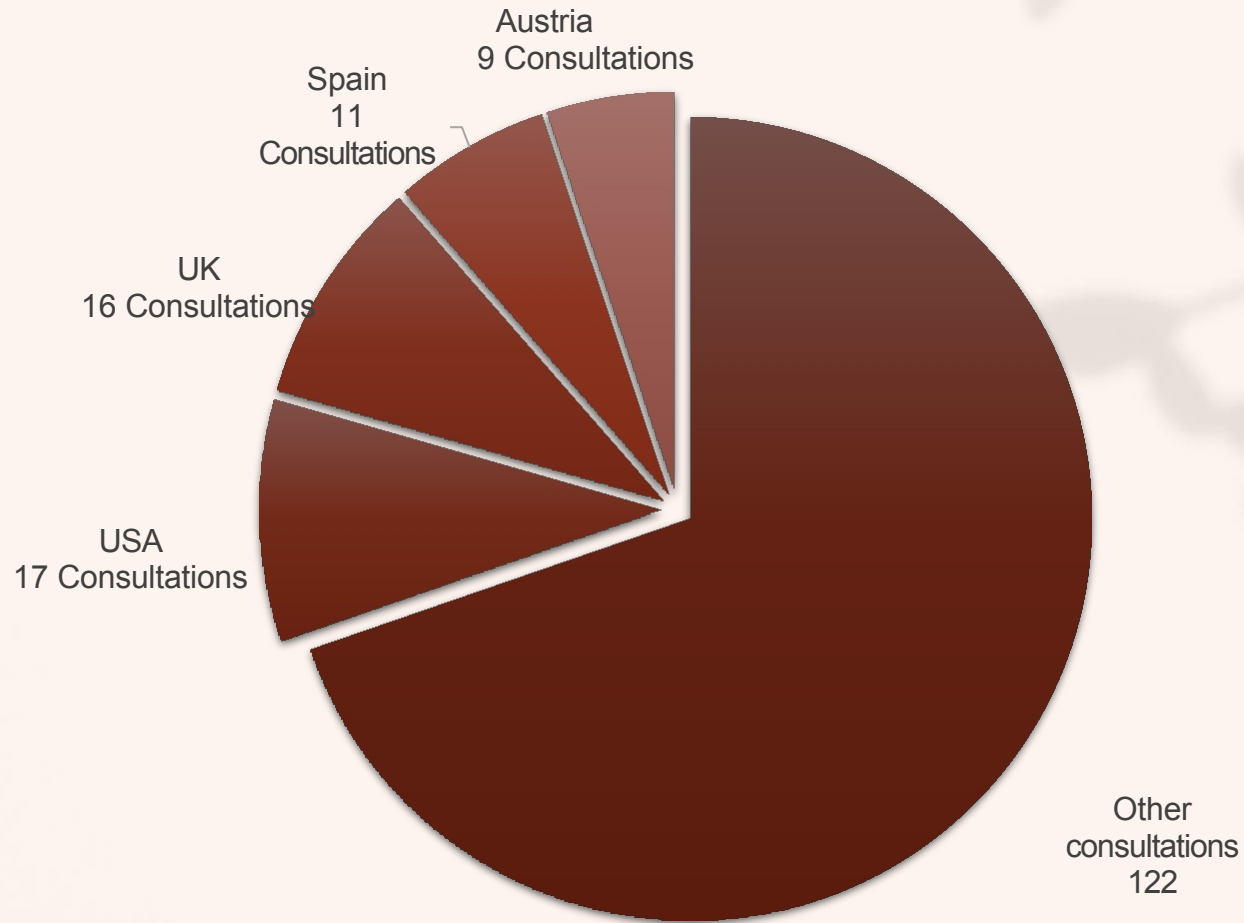
One-off €50 for returnees with Income. Discounts possible.

Initial written information free of charge.

Focal points of consulting

- Social security
- Healthcare
- Work & job search
- Help with finding accommodation
- Referral to general social counselling
- Visa & stay for partner

Return - Countries 2021



Counselling for binational couples

Who?

Pastor Marianna Nestoris

Customers

Pastor Nestoris counsels heterosexual couples and couples from the LGBTQIA community nationwide and worldwide, regardless of religious affiliation.

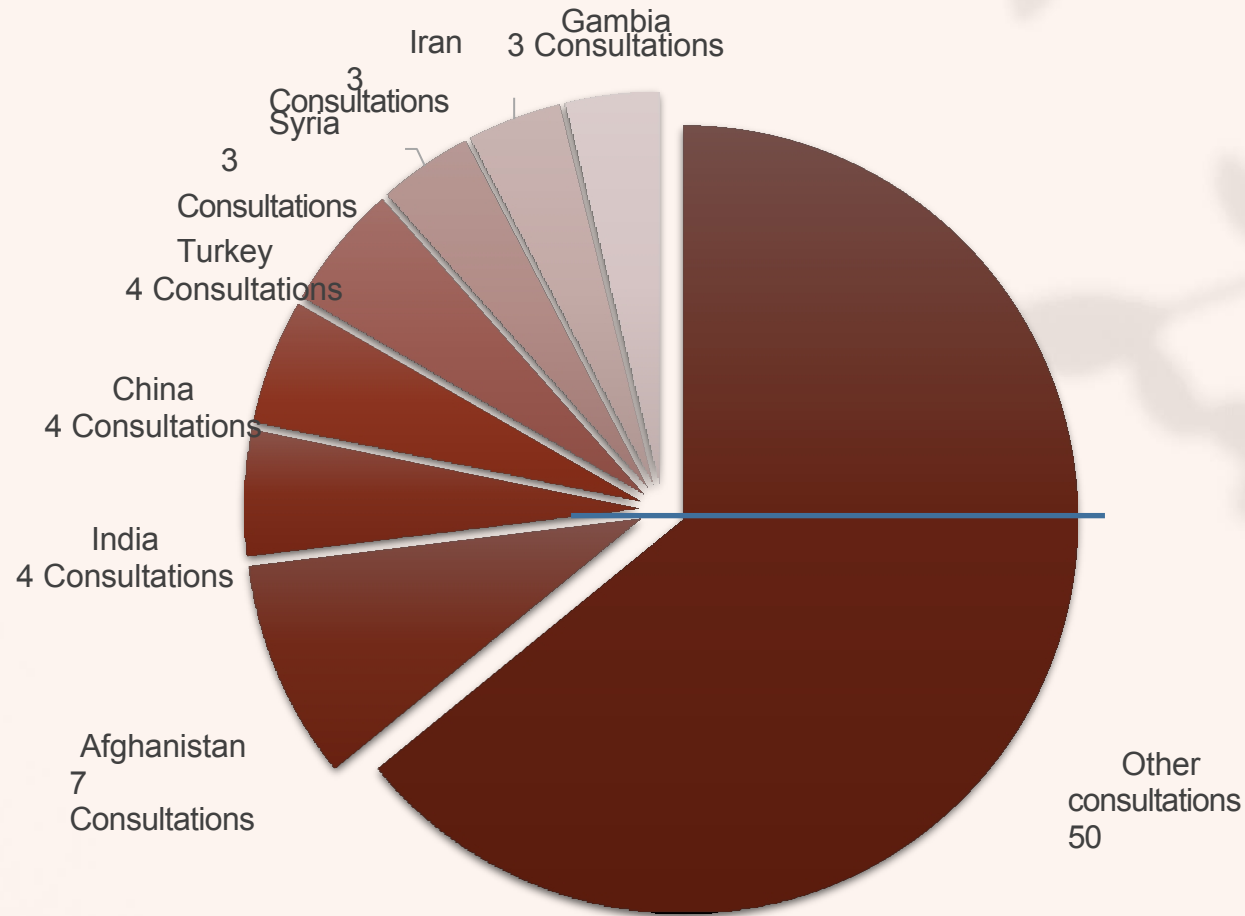
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Focal points of consulting

- Marriage
- Interreligious & intercultural Pastoral care
- Islamic marriage contracts
- Family reunification
- Visas and residence permits

Counselling for binational couples 2021



Important topics

Short term

Anniversary
Start of the project
nestcare

Long term

Financing of
emigration
counselling
New projects
nestcare adaptations





Thank you very much

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