

# Organizational Structure of the GIUB

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## Executive Board

**Research Groups**  
Giving advice

**QV-commission/EPG**  
Passing resolutions

**Study Commission**  
Passing resolutions

**Steering Committee**  
Passing resolutions

**Managing Director**  
Prof. Dr. Zbyněk Malenovský

**Deputy Managing Director**  
Prof. Dr. Britta Klagge

**General Manager**  
Dr. Sonja Hock

## Partnerships

**ABC/J**  
Geoscientific Research Alliance

**BBSR**  
Federal Institute for Research on Building, Urban Affairs and Spatial Development

**GeoHealth Centre**  
UKB

**ILS**  
Research Institute for Regional and Urban Development

**LVR**  
Regional Council Rhineland

**UNU**  
United Nations University

**ZEF**  
Center for Development Research

**ZFL**  
Center of Remote Sensing of Land Surfaces

## Teaching

**Bachelor of Science**  
Geography

**Bachelor of Education**  
Geography

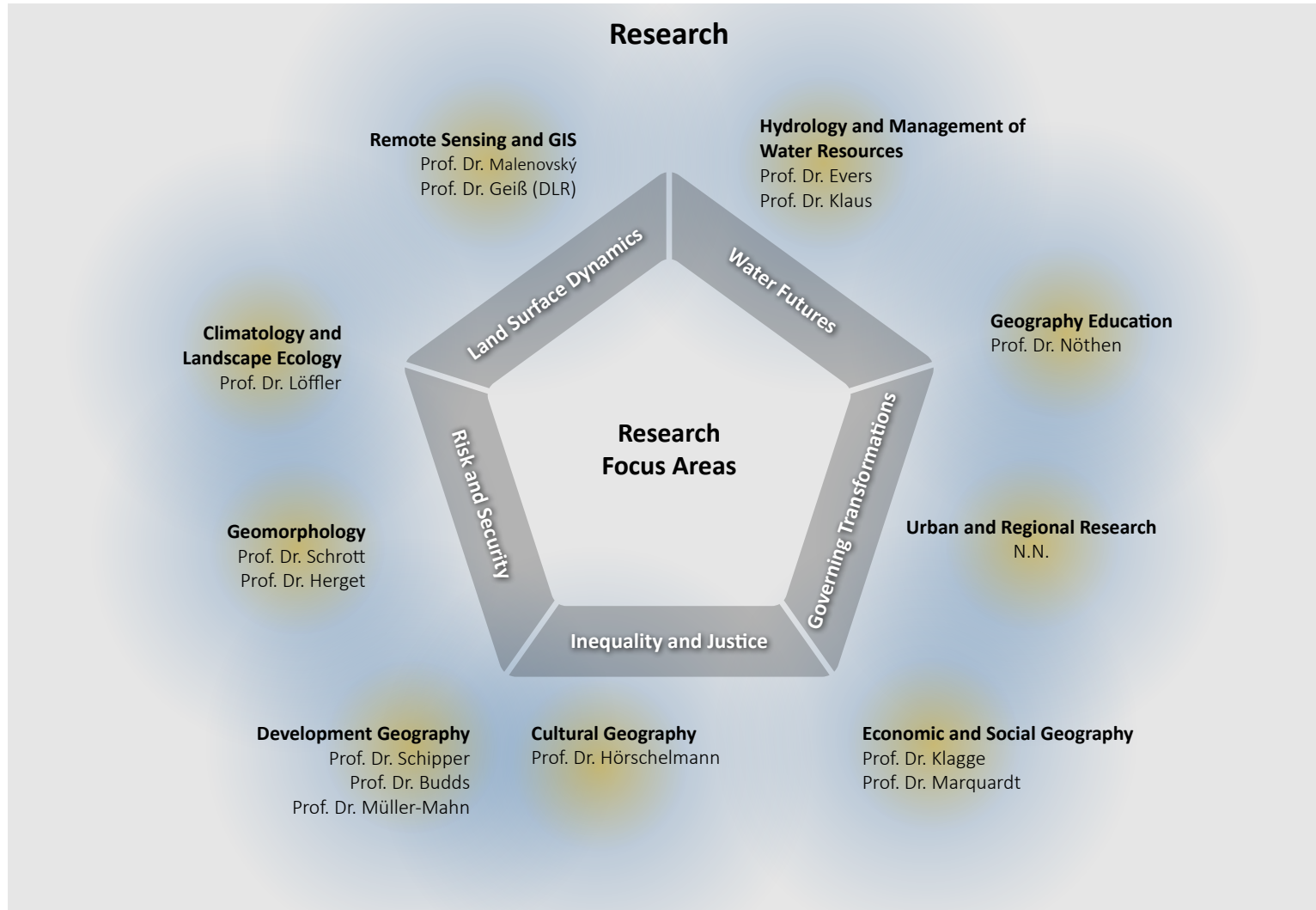
**Master of Science**  
Geography

**Master of Education**  
Geography

**Master of Science**  
Geography of Environmental Risks and Human Security (with the UNU)

**Master of Science**  
Nature Conservation and Landscape Ecology (with the AEI Faculty)

**Master KaVoMa**  
Disaster Management and Risk Governance (continual professional development)



## Administration

**Teaching and Studying**  
Dr. Hock

**Internationalization**  
Dr. Giertz

**Finance and Human Resources**  
Dr. Hock

**Public Relations**  
Dr. Schoch-Baumann

**Department Administration and IT**  
Apl. Prof. Dr. Butsch

**Library and Media**  
Apl. Prof. Dr. Butsch

**Laboratories and Equipment Pool**  
Dr. Giertz

**Cartography and Media Design**  
Apl. Prof. Dr. Butsch