



“AFin - Action-based Financial Literacy – Conceptualization, Assessment and Validation”

Inaugural event for the DFG research network
on **October, 14th 2021**
in Munich & virtually (Zoom)

Central Idea: from financial knowledge to responsible financial action

Financial literacy proves itself in situation-appropriate financially competent action. The DFG-funded network project AFin builds a bridge from financial knowledge and the associated attitudes and motivational aspects to responsible financial action. Against this background, a holistic framework model is first being designed. Subsequently, the DFG network will look for new ways to measure financial action and the associated dispositions to promote them in the future.

We are delighted that we can provide two exciting keynotes during the public part of the initial event. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested parties to attend the lectures and to participate in the discussion.

Thu, October 14th 2021

Room 06.605 (Lecture Hall, 6th floor); Marsstraße 20-22, 80335 Munich

15:30 Welcoming address

15:45 Keynote 1: Financial Competence from the Perspective of Debt and
Insolvency Counseling (*Note: Talk will be in German*)
[Verena Zepter, Debt counselling - Caritas Erlangen](#)

16:30 Discussion

16:50 Coffee break

17:10 Keynote 2: „Financial Literacy: Construct, Measurement, and Action“
[William B. Walstad, Ph.D, University of Nebraska - Lincoln](#)

17:55 Discussion

Important notice:

The keynotes can be attended on-site or via ZOOM. Registration for virtual participation is required. For registration, please send an e-mail to Andreas Kraitzek (andreas.kraitzek@tum.de). You will receive the login data a few days prior to the event. We are looking forward to your participation.

For additional information about the research network, about the members and the common goals, please visit our homepage (shortlink: <https://0cn.de/afin>).