

TOPICS

62nd Young Königswinter Conference, 20 - 24 July 2022 in Berlin:

Germany and the UK: "Mehr Fortschritt wagen"

Topic 1: Autocracy vs democracy: how do we best defend our values?

- Russia and China – partners or systemic rivals? Should we do business with them?
- What are 'Western values' in the 2020s? Are they universal? Can they prevail?
- What can we learn from other value systems?
- What is a feminist foreign policy? (see Coalition Agreement)

Topic 2: Climate: what are the practical next steps?

- Growth and sustainability
- Green tech, green finance, cryptocurrencies
- Nuclear energy, taxonomy
- What is a climate foreign policy?

Topic 3: Brexit: where do we go from here?

- Need for education/youth exchange programmes
- Research and science cooperation
- Cultural cooperation
- Future collaboration between German Länder and UK nations and regions