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Out of 137 members of the state parliament of Niedersachsen, 47 are part of the Christian Democratic Union (CDU) fraction. From 2003 until 2013, the CDU governed Niedersachsen in a coalition with the Liberal Democratic Party. In 2013, the CDU went into opposition until 2017. From 2017 to October 2022 the CDU governed Niedersachsen in a coalition with the SPD. Since October 2022 the CDU went anew into opposition.

Being the broadest-based center-right party in Germany, the CDU's policies derive from a Christian understanding of humanity and the principles of freedom, solidarity and justice.

Carina Hermann has been a member of the Lower Saxony state parliament since 2022 and has been parliamentary director of the CDU parliamentary group since her election. Due to her work as such, Ms Hermann is a member of the parliamentary group's executive committee.



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Bündnis 90/Die Grünen are part of the governing coalition in Lower Saxony (since November 2022) and have been part of the last German federal government (since 2021). The party's guiding principles are ecological and economic sustainability, social justice, as well as protecting democracy, freedom and security.

The Green faction consists of 24 members and is the 3rd largest group in the state parliament. Mrs Kura is one of two parliamentary group leaders of Bündnis 90/Die Grünen and speaker for nature conservation, federal & european affairs as well as one world politics.

The Greens hold the following state ministries: Deputy prime ministry & ministry of education (Julia Willie Hamburg); ministry of environment, energy and climate protection (Christian Meyer); ministry of finance (Gerald Heere); ministry of food, agriculture and consumer protection (Miriam Staudte).



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Sebastian Zinke has been a member of the State Parliament of Lower Saxony since 2017. He was directly re-elected for another 5 years in 2022 by the citizens of his constituency in the Northern part of Germany. Beside his function as deputy chairman of the parliamentary group SPD he is member of the following committees: Council of Elders, Internal Affairs and Sports, Protection of the Constitution, Control of Special Police Data Collection. Furthermore, he holds various local positions at political level in his home region: member of town council, member of district assembly, administrative board member of the local bank and supervisory board member of the local hospital.

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cdVet Naturprodukte GmbH develops solutions for "natural animal health" and offers over 800 products for all types of animals, including dogs, cats, horses, and livestock such as cattle and pigs. The products consist of purely natural feed supplements, parasite repellents, care products, and special applications. cdVet is a leader in the field of natural animal health. Managing Director Clemens Dingmann recognized that many animal diseases are caused by unbalanced nutrition and "civilized" animal husbandry. cdVet's natural products promote animal health through targeted feeding and care, reducing the need for medication by up to 80%. The goal of the trip to Brazil and Argentina is to find market partners and import partners for herbal raw materials.



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As a commercial bank, we offer our corporate and institutional customers as well as public-sector customers a targeted range of financial services. We are also active in the private customer business via Braunschweigische Landessparkasse (BLSK). Globally, we are represented at all major trading locations such as London, New York and Singapore through offices and agencies.

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We offer modern services in agriculture, forestry, horticulture and fisheries. We help our clients to ensure quality produce and deliver sustainable value creation, as well as offer support in education and in the development of labour organisation strategies. With about 2.500 employees we act as a self-regulatory body providing consultation, training and development, testing, research and analysis services and work together with a multitude of reputable partners and service providers from the fields of academia and business. We also work in close collaboration with the state of Lower Saxony, providing our professional opinion on a range of issues. Alongside a whole host of duties that range from research and education to consultancy, the Lower Saxony Chamber of Agriculture also performs several government functions, for example in areas such as agricultural aid and crop protection.



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As such, we are the voice of Lower Saxony's business community to the public, the state parliament and government, political parties, trade unions, and other relevant sectors of society. In order to secure productivity and job security, the UVN aims for strong and competitive economies on national and international levels.

The UVN is the state organization of the Confederation of German Employers' Associations (BDA), the state representative of the Federation of German Industries (BDI) and state representative of the German Electro and Digital Industry Association (ZVEI).



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