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Corporate, individual, and junior members support the Institute's work through their annual donations. The contributions build the basic funding of the Aspen Institute Germany. They allow the Institute's staff to serve the Institute's mission independently and in a nonpartisan matter.

One main characteristic of the "Verein der Freunde" is the familiar and exclusive atmosphere in which they regularly convene. They enjoy intimate events and special occasions such as the summer party, the Berlin Transatlantic Forum, and the annual artificial intelligence conference. Besides being intellectually stimulating, these events offer a unique networking opportunity.

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