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**In seiner Sitzung am 18.02.2014 hat der StuRa der Universität Heidelberg folgende
Solidaritätserklärung mit den venezolanischen Studierenden beschlossen:**

**Der StuRa erklärt sich solidarisch mit den protestierenden Studierenden in Venezuela. /
The StuRa declares its solidarity with the protesting students in Venezuela**

Begründung/ Reasoning: On february 12th, the youth day in Venezuela, students, from most cities in the country, were in the streets peacefully protesting against the repressive government of Nicolas Maduro. The government sent policemen and Military to stop the protest with violence, the result: lots of deaths, (there are 3 confirmed, and many others still without confirmation) 40 students hospitalized and over 100 students imprisoned and even worse: there are rumors of them being tortured by the government.

In Venezuela the government is the owner of all the social media, TV and Radio and a few days ago they shut down twitter in order to avoid the upload of pictures on the internet so our only way to express ourselves are some internet websites and the international media.

There will be a student's protest on the 22nd of February 2 pm Bismarckplatz (organized by SOS Venezuela).