

eduroam under Linux with NetworkManager

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1 Four-step quick guide

- You already have configured eduroam on your device? Delete the configuration.
- Download the Python script: [eduroam-linux-HU.py](#)
- Run the Python script from terminal:
`/usr/bin/python3 eduroam-linux-HU.py`
- Connect to *eduroam*.

2 Preface

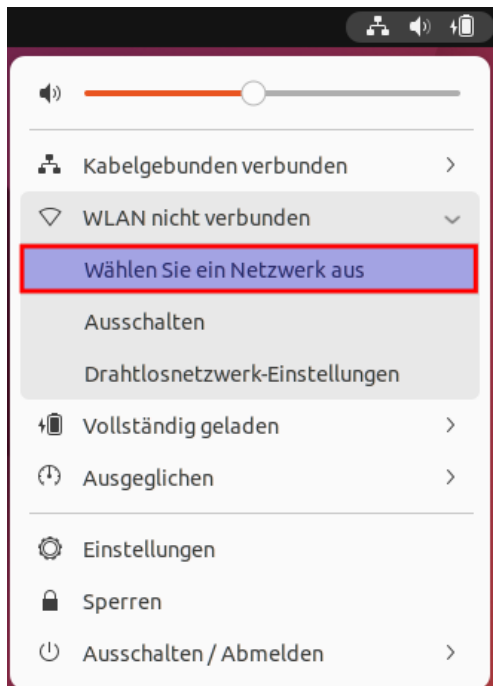
This manual was tested with Ubuntu Jammy Jellyfish (22.04.3 LTS) and the wifi card FRITZ!WLAN Stick N v2 (driver rt2870.bin).

Setting up *eduroam* according to this guide should also work for other Ubuntu versions, work for other Debian-based distributions (e.g. Linux Mint) as well as for distributions (e.g. OpenSuse, Fedora) with other graphical user interfaces.

3 Preparation

For configuration you need the python script “eduroam-linux-HU.py”, which can be found [here](#). If your computer already has an Internet connection, download the script and save it directly in your home directory, i.e. `~/eduroam-linux-HU.py`.

If you have already downloaded the file, jump to [section 4](#).

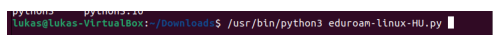


Please choose a free wifi to download the installation file.

Click the NetworkManager icon in the notification box and then click any free wifi.

Hint: Please remove your old eduroam profile first! (As described in section “Set down WLAN”.)

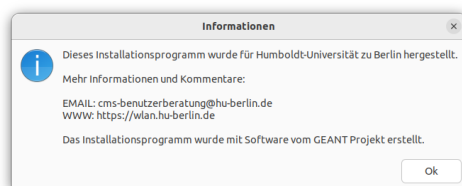
4 Set up WLAN



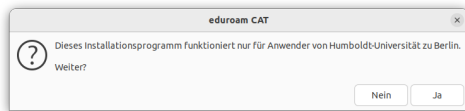
Open a terminal and run the script with Python 3:

`/usr/bin/python3 eduroam-linux-HU.py`

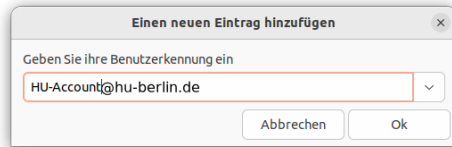
Caution: Don't doubleclick on this file! This action possibly opens an Python environment, which is not compatible to this script.



Click on **OK** to continue the installation.

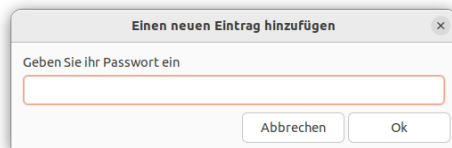


Click **Yes**.

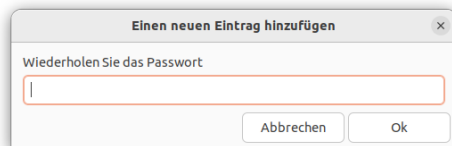


Enter your HU account, followed by @hu-berlin.de and click on **Ok**.

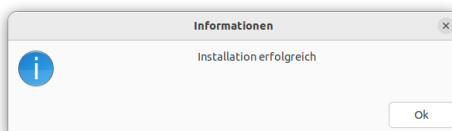
This is NOT your e-mail address.



Enter your password from the HU account and click on **Ok**.



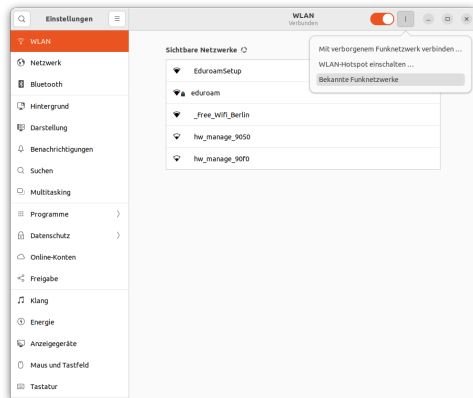
Enter your HU account's password a second time for confirmation and click on **Ok**.



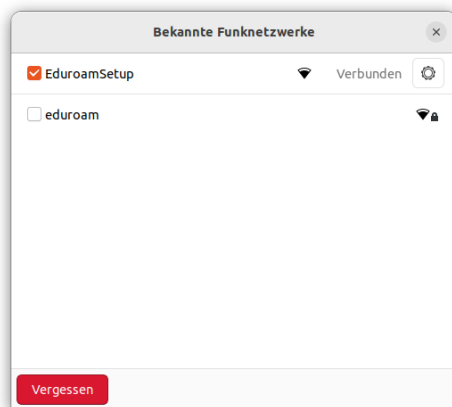
The installation was successful. Finish the installation with **Ok**.

5 Troubleshooting

5.1 Set down WLAN



Click on the three dots on the upper right, then **Known wireless networks**.



Remove unnecessary profiles via **Forget**.

5.2 Error



Don't use root.