

# Magnus Hirschfeld

1868 – 1935

## Physician and sexologist



Advocate for sexual minorities. Founder of the Scientific-Humanitarian Committee - the first advocacy for homosexual rights. Founder of Institute for Sexual Science (1919 in Berlin, Germany). Member of feminist organization - League for the Protection of Mothers. Founder of World League for Sexual Reform, calling for reform of sex legislations, equality of the sexes, the right to contraception and sex education.

## Gay

Author of “Homosexuality in Men and Women”, based on his statistical surveys on homosexuality. Targeted by Nazis for being Jewish and gay. Died in exile, in France.



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