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Corvinus University of Budapest, University of Vienna EMNet 2005 - Budapest

International Conference on Economics and Management of Networks

Special Topics: Franchising Networks, Cooperative Networks, Joint Ventures, and Strategic Alliances

General information

The second international conference on Economics and Management of Networks (EMNet) will take place in Budapest, Hungary, from September 15 to September 17, 2005. The increasing economic significance of networks has fueled rapid growth in research at the intersection of management and economic disciplines. EMNet conferences serve to promote communication and awareness among researchers in economics and management and provide a forum to present current research and to discuss issues of common interest, such as relevant developments in organizational economics and management. The content of EMNet conferences include all forms of networks, such as franchising, joint ventures, virtual organizations, strategic alliances, cooperative networks, clusters, venture capital relations and other forms of hybrids.

The purpose of this second conference is to provide an international discussion forum for research in economics and management of networks (franchising, cooperatives, joint ventures, strategic alliances, virtual networks). Theoretical, conceptual and empirical papers from all areas in economics and management of networks are invited.

Call for papers

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Theories of Networks	Ownership and Control Issues	Organization and Decision Making	Economics & Law and Regulation
Knowledge Management	Strategic Management	Contract Design	Organizational Behavior Issues
Industry Studies	International Management	IT and Network Structure	Comparative Institutional Analysis
Marketing and Distribution	International Market Entry	Entrepreneurship and Innovation	Competition between Network Forms

Procedures for submitting papers

Authors who want to present a paper should submit an abstract (1 page) and return the response form as soon as possible, but not later than April 15, 2005. Please e-mail the response form to:

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Conference Fees: 170 EUR (including two lunch, one dinner and coffee breaks)

Researchers from non-EU Eastern European countries, less developed countries and PhD students are only requested to pay 50 % of the conference fees. Financial support can be provided in individual cases.

Conference information can be found at: www.univie.ac.at/EMNET

An edited book (Economics and Management of Networks) will be published.

Deadlines:

April 15, 2005	Abstract and response form
May 15, 2005	Confirmation of acceptance of the proposal
June 15, 2005	Conference registration
July 1, 2005	Payment of the conference fee: 170 EUR
July 1, 2005	One copy of the paper through e-mail to Eva Kocsis and Josef Windsperger
August 31, 2005	Final program available (www.univie.ac.at/EMNET)

Call for Papers

„Integration und Ausgrenzung im Osten Europas“

**13. Tagung Junger Osteuropaexperten, 18.-20.11.2005,
Berlin**

Mit der vorläufig abgeschlossenen Erweiterung der EU und anderer europäischer internationaler Organisationen nach Osten sind alte Grenzen eingerissen worden. Gleichzeitig zeichnen sich jedoch sowohl auf internationaler und transnationaler als auch auf politischer, gesellschaftlicher und wirtschaftlicher Ebene neue Trennlinien zwischen den Staaten, Gesellschaften und Volkswirtschaften in Osteuropa ab. Sie manifestieren sich in sich weiter verändernden staatlichen und gesellschaftlichen Identitäten sowie in differierenden politischen, gesellschaftlichen und sozioökonomischen Entwicklungen. Genauer Verlauf und Festigkeit dieser Trennlinien sind heute auch angesichts der Ungewissheit über Geschwindigkeit und Tiefe künftiger Erweiterungs- und Integrationsprozesse in der Region noch nicht klar auszumachen. Im Rahmen der 13. Nachwuchstagung Junger Osteuropa-Experten möchten wir dieses Spannungsverhältnis zwischen unterschiedlichen Dimensionen der Integration und neuen Grenzen im Osten Europas analysieren und diskutieren.

Die Veranstaltung wird von der Forschungsstelle Osteuropa an der Universität Bremen (FSO), dem Osteuropa-Institut der Freien Universität Berlin und der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Osteuropakunde (DGO) mit Unterstützung der Otto Wolf von Amerongen-Stiftung organisiert und findet an der Europäischen Akademie Berlin statt. Die Veranstalter tragen Unterbringung und Tagungsgebühren, Reisekosten können leider nicht übernommen werden.

Wir laden junge WissenschaftlerInnen (d.h. Studierende, die kurz vor dem Abschluss stehen, DoktorandInnen und jüngere Promovierte) ein, sich an der Konferenz zu beteiligen und einen Vorschlag für ein Kurzreferat (10 Min.) einzureichen. Der Themenvorschlag sollte in einem kurzen Text (ca. 10 Zeilen bzw. 150 Worte) erläutert werden. Interessierte wenden sich bitte bis zum 30. April 2005 per e-mail an Sabine Fischer (fischers@zedat.fu-berlin.de)

Um die Arbeit der Tagung effizient zu gestalten, werden alle Kurzreferate rechtzeitig vor der Tagung als Arbeitspapier der Forschungsstelle Osteuropa publiziert. Auch denjenigen TeilnehmerInnen, die nicht mit einem Referat an der Veranstaltung beteiligt sind, bieten wir die Gelegenheit, ihr Arbeitsvorhaben in diesem Rahmen vorzustellen. Denn die Veröffentlichung dient auch dem Ziel, eine breitere Öffentlichkeit über die aktuelle Osteuropaforschung zu informieren. Heike Dörrenbächer (/DGO/), Sabine Fischer (/OEI/) sowie Heiko Pleines und Henning Schröder (/FSO/)

Informationen über die bisherigen Tagungen einschließlich der Reader der letzten Veranstaltungen finden Sie im Internet unter: <http://www.forschungsstelle.uni-bremen.de/Nachwuchs/joe.html>

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<p>Call for Papers</p> <p>VII Chemnitz East Forum</p> <p>Research on Transition – Research in Transition.</p> <p>Current topics and future trends in research on transforming societies.</p> <p>15 - 17 September 2005</p>

After about 15 years of transformation, a huge amount of research has been done. Currently some topics have become less relevant, especially those dealing with the situation shortly after socialism. However others, like actual or potential EU accession or East European firms entering West markets, emerge. Additionally, research on transition is influenced by current topics of organizational and societal research, like globalisation or corporate governance. In consequence research on transition itself is changing.

The VII Chemnitz East Forum will address those current as well as future trends of research on transforming societies. The various aspects of this heterogeneous

research field, focused on social science based research, will be highlighted. Especially empirical studies with sound theoretical background are welcome. Furthermore, contributions addressing theoretical aspects of transformational processes should be submitted. As a tradition of the forum, a broad area of possible topics such as the following will be covered:

- Human Resource Management,
- Leadership,
- Privatisation and Restructuring,
- Expatriates and Intercultural Cooperation,
- Management Transfer and Learning,
- Corporate Governance,
- Cultural Change,
- New Organizational Forms.

We would like to give outstanding PhD-students the opportunity to present the results of their scientific work at the conference. If you would like to give a paper presentation, please send a full paper (about 8000 words) to the organisation committee via e-mail as file (doc, rtf).

Papers should contain the author(s) name(s), title/position, institution, address, telephone, fax number and e-mail address as well as the topic the paper is referring to. Additionally please provide a PhD-confirmation from your institution. **Submissions should be received on or before March 15 2005.** All authors will be notified of the acceptance/rejection of their abstracts by 30 April 2005. In case of acceptance of paper presentation you should be prepared to submit a full paper before the conference.

We are currently investigating possible funding for travel grants and accommodation for applicants. Detailed information on these will be sent together with the invitation.

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