



## Joint International Workshop

### “Which regions benefit from emerging new industries? Evidence from photovoltaic and other high-tech industries”

Organised by

Halle Institute for Economic Research (IWH), Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena

Preliminary Program

#### Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup> 2010

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| 12:00-14:00 | Registration at the Halle Institute for Economic Research   |
| 14:00-14:15 | Welcome – <b>Jutta Günther</b> (IWH)  |
| 14:15-15:00 | Keynote Lecture: <b>Uwe Cantner</b> (University Jena)   |
| 15:00-15:10 | Coffee Break  |
| 15:10-16:40 | Session 1 – Head of the Session: Holger Graf (University Jena)<br>Guido Bünstorf (University Kassel); <b>Michael Fritsch</b> (University Jena); Luis F. Medrano (University Jena)<br><i>Regional Knowledge and the Emergence of an Industry: Laser Systems Production in West Germany 1975-2005</i><br>Muhamed Kudic (IWH); <b>Peter Boenisch</b> (University Halle); Iciar Dominguez-Lacasa (IWH)<br><i>Network embeddedness, geographical collocation or both? The impact of distinct and combined proximity effects on firm-level innovation output in the German Laser Industry</i><br><b>Michael Wyrwich</b> (University Jena)<br><i>The regional dimension of the emergence of the KIBS sector: An investigation for East Germany</i> |
| 16:40-16:50 | Coffee Break  |
| 16:50-19:20 | Session 2 – Head of the Session: Michael Fritsch (University Jena)<br><b>Janaina Pamplona da Costa</b> (SPRU Sussex); Nick von Tunzelmann (SPRU Sussex)<br><i>In what ways does network governance at the regional level influence the effectiveness of technology policies directed at innovation by firms?</i><br>Muhamed Kudic (IWH); <b>Tobias Buchmann</b> (University Hohenheim), Matthias Müller (University Hohenheim)<br><i>Network sub-group overshooting in evolving networks – an agent based simulation approach for sectoral and regional industry networks</i><br><b>Christoph Hornyh</b> (IWH)<br><i>Regional Networks in the German PV-Industry</i>  |
| 19:30       | Dinner (IWH Halle)  |

## Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup> 2010

- 9:30-10:15 Keynote Lecture **Ron Boschma** (University Utrecht)  
The importance of technological relatedness for the emergence of new industries: a long-term study of Swedish regions
- 10:15-11:45 Session 3 – Head of the Session: Ron Boschma  
**Dirk Fornahl** (BAW Bremen); Ivo Mossig (University Bremen)  
*Heureka or phoenix from the ashes: The Trajectory of the Offshore Wind Energy in Northwest German*  
**Matthias Brachert** (IWH Halle)  
*The evolution of spatial structures in new high-tech industries: The case of the German photovoltaic industry*  
**Antje Klitkou** (NIFU STEP)  
*The emergence of the Norwegian solar photovoltaic industry*
- 11:45-13:15 Session 4 – Head of the Session: Jutta Günther (IWH Halle)  
**Rüdiger Haum** (SPRU Sussex)  
*The evolution of the Indian Photovoltaic Industry and contemporary sources of competitiveness*  
**Mark Knell** (NIFU STEP Oslo)  
*Nanotechnology and the Sixth technological revolution*  
Dirk Engel (RWI Essen); **Timo Mitze** (RWI Essen); Janina Reinkowski (RWI Essen)  
*Does the support of innovative clusters sustainably foster R&D activity? Diff-in-Diff Evidence from the German BioRegio competition*
- 13:15-14:00 Lunch at the Halle Institute for Economic Research
- 14:15-15:15 Session 5 – Head of the Session: Uwe Cantner (University Jena)  
Katharina Becker (HTW Chur); **Franz Kronthaler** (HTW Chur); Kerstin Wagner (HTW Chur)  
*Composition of regional conditions for start-up activity - evidence based on Swiss Mobile Spatiale regions*  
**Harald Wolf** (Bio Mitteldeutschland); Claus Michelsen (IWH Halle)  
*The locational needs of potential entrepreneurs in the German Biotech Industry*
- 15:15-15:45 Conclusions and Perspectives: **Jutta Günther** (IWH Halle) and **Uwe Cantner** (Uni Jena)

## Deadlines

Submissions of abstracts: Mai 31, 2010

Notification of acceptance: June 15, 2010

Submission of full papers: September 15, 2010

## Location & Venue

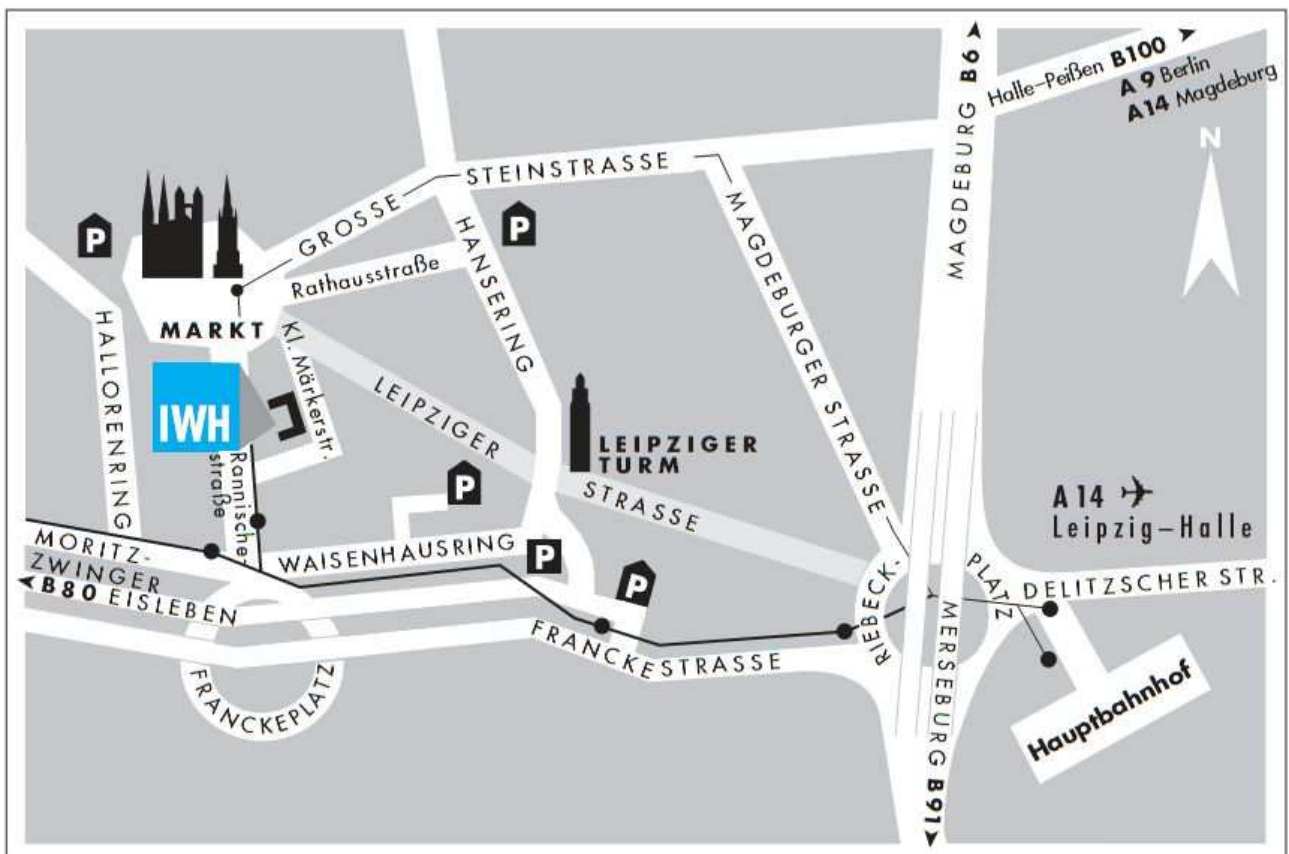
Conference Venue:

IWH – Halle Institute for Economic Research

Kleine Maerkerstrasse 8

06120 Halle (Saale), Germany

Survey map of Halle:



## Travelling to Halle

### Airport Leipzig/Halle (LEJ)

The Airport Leipzig/Halle is situated 20 km east of Halle. From Airport Leipzig the following options are available to reach Halle:

There is a train station beside the airport - the train takes 20 min to Halle central station. If you send your flight details to the local organising committee ([matthias.brachert@iwh-halle.de](mailto:matthias.brachert@iwh-halle.de)), we will have a look for detailed train connections.

### Berlin-Schönefeld (SFX)

The Airport Berlin-Schönefeld is situated 180 km north-east of Halle. From Airport the following options are available to reach Halle:

There is a train station next to the airport Berlin-Schönefeld - the train brings you directly to Berlin central station - from Berlin central station to Halle it takes around 1h 15min. If you send your flight details to the local organising committee ([matthias.brachert@iwh-halle.de](mailto:matthias.brachert@iwh-halle.de)), we will have a look for detailed train connections.

## Accommodation

Hotels in Halle you can find under

[www.halle.de](http://www.halle.de) or [www.booking.com](http://www.booking.com)

We would suggest the following hotel:

Ankerhof Hotel, Ankerstr. 2a (Single room - 64,50€)

Tel.: 0049 - 345 / 232 32 00

[www.ankerhof.de](http://www.ankerhof.de)

(We have blocked a number of rooms in this hotel, please refer to the account „IWH“ when booking)

Other hotels in Halle:

Hotel Maritim, Riebeckplatz (Single room - 64€)

Tel.: 0049 - 345 / 510 10

[www.maritim.de](http://www.maritim.de)

Kempinski Hotel Rotes Ross, Leipziger Straße 76

Tel.: 0049- 0345 / 292 20

[www.kempinski-halle.de](http://www.kempinski-halle.de)