

on November
29th-30th, 2012
in Halle (Saale),
Germany

Location:

Halle Institute for Economic
Research (IWH)
Kleine Maerkerstrasse 8
06108 Halle (Saale), Germany
Conference hall, ground floor

Deadlines:

1st July, 2012:

submission of the complete
paper (draft version is
accepted) and a short
summary (at max. 400 words)

7th September, 2012:

acceptance of submitted
papers

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Call for Papers:

**4th Halle Forum on Urban Economic
Growth:**

**“The Development of Cities in
Central and Eastern Europe”**

The Halle Forum on Urban Economic Growth – established in 2006 – has a focus on factors of economic growth and development in urban environments. The 4th Halle Forum is devoted to the development of cities located in Central and Eastern Europe that have been undergone the process of transition from the planned to the market economy.

The two-day conference will cover four main topics (whereat the restriction to cities in post-socialist countries is not compulsory):

A: The Role of Institutions and Governance Issues

B: Urban Heritages, Land Use Regulations and Spatial Planning

C: Creative Quarters: Smart Cities and the Knowledge Economy

D: Infrastructure and the Local Economy

The conference language will be English. All prospective participants are encouraged to submit papers in this language. Our intention is to publish the conference papers in a special issue of a peer-reviewed journal.

Keynote Speakers:

Professor Charlie Karlsson,
Jönköping International Business School

Professor Michael Storper,
University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA); LSE, London;
Sciences Po, Paris