

## IWH Workshop on Entrepreneurship and the Labour Market

on April 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> 2016, in Halle (Saale)

### Friday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2016

**09:30–09:50**

**Registration**

**09:50–10:00**

**Opening Remarks**

Steffen Müller, IWH and Otto von Guericke University  
Magdeburg  
Michael Fritsch, Friedrich Schiller University Jena

**10:00–10:50**

**The Choice to Become Self-employment:  
Acknowledging Frictions**

Ana Millan, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

**10:50–11:10**

**Coffee break**

**11:10–12:00**

**Individual Effects of the New Start-up Subsidy:  
What Can We Learn from Policy Reforms?**

Stefan Tübbicke, University of Potsdam (co-authors:  
Marco Caliendo, Lutz Bellmann)

**12:00–12:50**

**Financial Literacy and Self-employment:  
First Evidence from Germany**

Aida Čumurović, IWH (co-author: Walter Hyll)

**12:50–14:00**

**Lunch break at IWH**

**14:00–14:50**

**Solo Self-employed: The New Precariat?  
Determinants of a Precarious Financial  
Position of Solo Self-employed**

Nardo de Vries, Maastricht University (co-author:  
Fabian Dekker)

**14:50–15:40**

**A Fresh Look at Opportunity and Necessity  
Entrepreneurs**

Claudia Stier, University of Potsdam (co-authors:  
Marco Caliendo, Alexander Kritikos)

**15:40–16:10**

**Coffee break**

**16:10–17:00**

**The Role of Occupational Environments for  
Entrepreneurial Entry**

Alina Sorgner, Friedrich Schiller University Jena  
(co-author: Michael Fritsch)

**17:00–17:50**

**Smart People Come, Smart People Go: What  
Spin-off Entrepreneurs Already Know and  
What They Take from their Previous Employers**

Dominik Peter Heinisch, University of Kassel  
(co-author: Guido Buenstorf)

**19:00**

**Dinner at Wenzel Prager Bierstuben** (self-pay)  
Große Nicolaistraße 9-11, 06108 Halle (Saale)



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Saturday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2016

### 09:00–09:50

#### Firm Entry and Exit in Local Markets: Market Pull and Unemployment Push

Markus Dejardin, University of Namur and Université catholique de Louvain (co-author: Martin Carree)

### 09:50–10:40

#### Firm Creation and Post-entry Dynamics of *de novo* Entrants

Karen Geurts, University of Leuven (co-author: Johannes Van Biesebroeck)

### 10:40–11:10

#### Coffee break

### 11:10–12:00

#### Employment Protection and Entrepreneurship. Unpacking the Effects of Employment Protection Legislation on the Allocation of Entrepreneurial Activity in Society

Werner J. Liebrechts, MSc, Utrecht University School of Economics

### 12:00–12:50

#### The Institutional Diversity of Labor Market Institutions and Entrepreneurship in Europe: Past and Present

Selin van Leeuwen, Utrecht University

### 12:50

#### End of the Workshop

Farewell Snack (Brown Bag)

#### Conference venue:

Halle Institute for Economic Research  
(IWH) – Member of the Leibniz Association  
Kleine Maerkerstrasse 8, D-06108 Halle (Saale), Germany

**Conference room:** ground floor

**Conference language:** Englisch

**Organising Committee:** Michael Fritsch, Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Steffen Müller, IWH

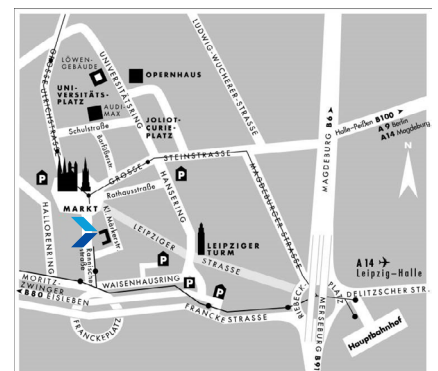
**Registration:** You can register via e-mail: [katrin.renneberg@iwh-halle.de](mailto:katrin.renneberg@iwh-halle.de) There will be no registration fee. However, participants are expected to pay their expenses for travel and accommodation.

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#### Arrival by plane or train:

From Leipzig Halle Airport (LEJ), there is a regular train to Halle (Saale), Central Station, taking about 15 minutes.

From Halle (Saale) Central Station, you may reach the IWH using tram lines 4/7 (Kröllwitz) or 9 (Göttinger Bogen) and get off at stop Marktplatz or by foot along Leipziger Straße, taking about ten minutes.



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