

„Cooperation Between Firms and Municipalities as Drivers of Urban Economic Growth? Theoretical Approaches and Empirical Evidence“ – Revised Program (17. Nov. 2010)

3rd Halle Forum on Urban Economic Growth, December 02-03, 2010

Thursday, December 02

Opening and Introduction

13.00 Welcoming Address

Ulrich Blum,
President of the Halle Institute for Economic Research

13.15 Keynote: „What are the benefits of inter-firm networks for urban and regional development?“

Charlie Karlsson,
Jönköping International Business School, Sweden

13.45 Discussion

Session I: Intra- and interregional cooperation – determinants and effects

Chair: *Peter Franz,*
Halle Institute for Economic Research

14.00 Keynote: „Networks in the maritime economy in the metropolitan region Hamburg“

Arno Brandt,
NORD/LB Norddeutsche Landesbank Girozentrale,
Hannover, Germany

14.30 Discussion

14.45 Coffee Break

15.00 „Identification of metropolitan areas by analysis of commuting inter-relations“

Albrecht Kauffmann,
Halle Institute for Economic Research

15.25 Discussion

15.35 „Interfirm networks in the metropolitan region Central Germany – Indicators for strengths and weaknesses“

Gerhard Heimpold,
Halle Institute for Economic Research

16.00 Discussion

16.10 Coffee Break

16.30 „Network interactions and innovativeness in the Silesian Region“

Piotr Pachura,
Częstochowa University of Technology, Poland

16.55 Discussion

17.05 „The structure of regional networks in the German biotechnology“

Falk Strotebeck,
Ruhr-Universität Bochum, Germany

17.30 Discussion

17.40 „Effects of inter-organizational linkages on the performance of firms in the German solar industry“

Christoph Hornych,
Halle Institute for Economic Research

18.05 Discussion

18.15 Coffee Break

End of the session

Session II: Metropolitan regions as a new paradigm of urban growth

Chair: *Martin T. W. Rosenfeld,*
Halle Institute for Economic Research

Session II.A: Metropolitan regions as gateways

18.25 „Regional Growth Effects of Airports and Air Transport in Germany“

Florian Allroggen und Robert Malina,
University of Münster, Germany

18.50 Discussion

19.00 Evening reception by the „Industrial Initiative For Central Germany“ with an introductory lecture

Friday, December 03

Session II.B: Inter-municipal cooperation and governance in metropolitan regions

09.00 Keynote: „The concept of metropolitan governance“

Dietrich Fürst,
Leibniz-Universität Hannover, Germany

09.30 Discussion

09.35 „Success factors for inter-municipal cooperation“

Beate Hollbach-Grömig,
German Institute of Urban Affairs (Difu), Berlin, Germany

10.00 Discussion

10.10 Coffee Break

10.30 „A comparison of institutionalization and governance in German metropolitan regions“

Peter Franz,
Halle Institute for Economic Research

10.55 Discussion

11.05 „Munich and Saxony triangle S, M, L, XL. How do firm linkages in the knowledge economy restructure space?“

Alain Thierstein,
Technische Universität München (TUM), Germany

11.30 Discussion

11.40 „Networks in the Randstad Holland: the key to synergies between its cities“

Evert Meijers,
Delft University of Technology, Netherlands

12.05 Discussion

12.15 Concluding remarks

Martin T. W. Rosenfeld,
Halle Institute for Economic Research

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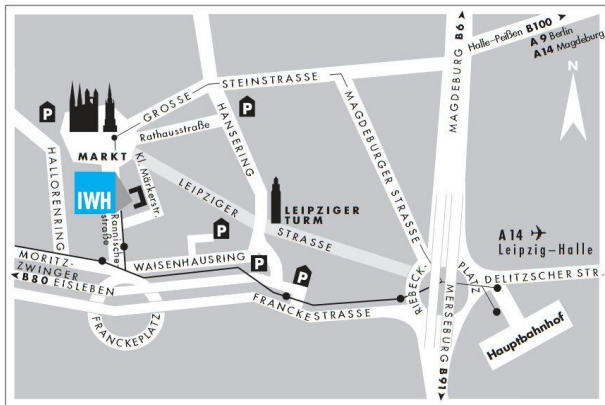
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