



7th Annual Research Meeting on Economic Geography and International Trade (EGIT)

Frankfurt am Main, 19-20 February 2016

Call for Papers

Purpose:

Researchers who are specialized in regional/urban economics and international trade come together in order to share their ideas and comment on each other's research papers. The meeting encourages interaction and discussion between the researchers, so that new ideas and joint projects can be initiated. Any theoretical or empirical paper discussing the topics of economic geography or international trade is welcomed. This includes topics in urban economics, regional economics, new economic geography, international trade, foreign direct investment, and the economics of multinational firms.

Keynote Speaker:

Marius Brülhart, University of Lausanne

Participants:

This meeting is aimed at young researchers and Ph.D. students in the field of economic geography and international trade. Senior scholars are invited to participate and actively take part in the discussions and give guidance to younger scholars.

Organizers:

Gabriel Felbermayr, Ifo Institute, University of Munich Volker Nitsch, Darmstadt University of Technology and GSEFM Jens Südekum, Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics (DICE)

Organization and schedule:

Start: Friday, February 19, 2016, early afternoon End: Saturday, February 20, 2016, after lunch

No conference fee. Participants have to cover their own travel and accommodation costs.

Deadline for submission of papers:

Please send your paper before **December 31, 2015** to egit@vwl.tu-darmstadt.de. Extended abstracts are also welcome, but experience shows that full papers have a higher chance of acceptance.

For further questions regarding the conference, please contact: Volker Nitsch, nitsch@vwl.tu-darmstadt.de