

GfR Summer Conference 2018

Borders and Regional Development

Organized by the German speaking Section (GfR) in cooperation with the Hungarian, the Polish and the Slovak Section of the European Regional Science Association (ERSA) in Berlin (Berlin-Adlershof), Germany, September 6th and September 7th, 2018.

Conference Program:

Thursday, Sept. 6th

9:00-9:30 **Opening Ceremony**

9:30-10:30 **Keynote Lecture**

International Commuting from Border Regions in The Netherlands, Germany and Belgium. Jouke van Dijk, Lourens Broersma, Arjen Edzes

10:30-11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00-12:30 **Parallel Sessions 1**

Parallel Session A

Measuring Agglomeration. Martijn Smit

Cooperation of Functional Areas in the Local, Regional and International Setup. Example of Poland. Agnieszka Dembicka-Niemiec, Edyta Szafranek

Territorial Monitoring in Cross-Border Areas. Claire Duvernet

Parallel Session B

Wages of Foreign and Native Employees in Germany: New Light on an Old Issue. Stephan Brunow, Oskar Jost

Regional Development in Czechia: Does National Border Matter? Pavlína Netrdová, Vojtěch Nosek

Employment Effects of a Large Refugee Flow on Regional Labour Markets: The Case of Germany. Alfred Garloff

12:30-14:00 **Lunch**

14:00-15:30 **Parallel Sessions 2**

Parallel Session A

Routine Tasks and Recovery from Mass Layoffs. Uwe Blien, Wolfgang Dauth, Duncan Roth

Regional Development and Stimulating Financial Policies Necessary for the Development of Underdeveloped Border Areas – Case of Serbia. Kristijan Ristić and Edit Stojić Karanović

Role of FDI in Growth and in Regional Disparities in the Visegrad Countries. Zoltán Gál

Parallel Session B

Investment Subsidies and Regional Welfare: A Dynamic Framework. Artem Korzhenevych, Johannes Bröcker

Hamlet without the Prince? How Regional Science Abandoned Monetary Thought. David Bieri

Borders of Functional Urban Areas in Poland – Theory vs. Practice. Dagmara Kociuba

15:30-16:00 **Coffee Break**

16:00-17:00 **August Lösch Prize Ceremony**

Evening **Dinner**

Friday, Sept. 7th

9:00-10:30 **Session 3**

Historical Roots of Cultures of Entrepreneurship and Innovation – An Analysis for German Regions. Michael Fritsch, Michael Wyrwich, Martin Obschonka

Do Border Effects Alter Regional Development: Evidence from China. Mark D. Partridge, Benjian Yang, Anping Chen

Spatial Aspects of Competitors' Networks – Two Case Studies. György Jóna

10:30-11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00-12:30 **Session 4**

Migration Restrictions and Long-Term Regional Development: Evidence from Large-Scale Expulsions of Germans after World War II. Michael Wyrwich

German FDI in the Czech Republic – Employment Effects in the Home Country. Johannes Schäffler, Michael Moritz

Long-Term Divisions in Poland. Socio-Economic Disparities on the Background of Relic Borders. Michal Dolata

12:30-14:00 **Lunch**

14:00-15:30 **Session 5**

Regional Determinants of Cross-Border FDI Projects between Germany and the Czech Republic: The Importance of the Common Border Region. Veronika Hecht, Ramona Hübner, Michael Moritz, Johannes Schäffler

Regional Labor Supply. Uwe Blien, Franziska Hirschenauer

15:30-16:00 **Closing Event**