

ERSA PhD Workshop 2019

Call for papers

Proximity in a Changing World: a Relational Perspective on Spatial Development

Objective

- The PhD workshop offers PhD students a unique possibility to present and discuss their research, receive feedback and exchange comments on their work in an inspiring environment of experienced researchers and fellow PhDs from the fields of regional science, economic geography, network analysis, spatial development and spatial planning.
- The PhD workshop will be held on **Wednesday 11 September (afternoon) and Thursday 12 September (morning) 2019**, before the ERSA Summer Conference “Proximity in a Changing World: a Relational Perspective on Spatial Development” at TU Munich, Germany.
- The workshop is equivalent to a workload of **1 ECTS**.

Target group

- The PhD workshop is aimed at students from the fields of regional science, economic geography, network analysis, spatial development, and spatial planning. It welcomes PhD students from any university.
- Participants can be at any stage of their PhD, either presenting and discussing their research design or focusing on (preliminary) results and contributions to theory and practice.

Work mode: presentation and discussion

- On Wednesday afternoon, the workshop starts with an input by **Zachary Neal** on methodological approaches to measure relationships in global urban networks.
- The focus of the workshop is presenting your work, receiving detailed feedback and having enough time to discuss with the audience. Each PhD student has a **slot of one hour: 30 minutes for presentation followed by 30 minutes discussion**. The discussing audience consists of fellow PhDs and experienced researchers (**Zachary Neal** and **Anna Growe**). In order to ensure a deepened discussion, all participants will read the presenter’s paper beforehand.

Date and Place

- ERSA PhD Workshop: September 11-12 / TU München, Germany
- ERSA Summer Conference: September 12-13 / TU München, Germany

Paper submission

- Extended abstracts of **max. 750 words** should be submitted **by 15th of July 2019** at <http://gfr.ersa.org/2019/02/13/sommerkonferenz-2019-in-muenchen/>
- Abstracts should inform about (1) the methods of research and (2) implications for spatial development.

Registration fee

The registration fee for the PhD Workshop is **EUR 100.-** including the participation at the ERSA Summer Conference. Please pay the conference fee before September 11th, 2019 to the following bank account:

- Bank: Die POST AG
- IBAN: CH21 0900 0000 6078 9770 1
- BIC: POFICHBEXXX
- Account in the name of: Schweizerische Studiengesellschaft für Raumordnungs- und Regionalpolitik, 8909 Zwillikon
- Purpose of payment: ERSA PhD Workshop and Summer Conference 2019

See you in Munich!