

3rd Workshop
Spatial Dimensions of the Labour Market

Spatial Dimensions of Inequality

Date: 30 – 31 March 2017 · Submission Deadline: 23 January 2017

The 3rd Workshop on “Spatial Dimensions of the Labour Market” focuses on topics concerning regional labour markets. This year, a special focus is placed on inequality across space. The workshop, jointly organised by the Institute for Employment Research (IAB), the Rimini Centre for Economic Analysis (RCEA) and the Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW), aims to bring together frontier researchers from the areas of labour economics, regional economics, geography and other related fields. Theoretical, empirical and policy-oriented contributions are welcome.

Topics of interest

The workshop has a special focus on the spatial dimensions of inequality. A non-exhaustive list of topics is:

- ▶ Spatial disparities and determinants in employment and wages
- ▶ Spatial mismatch, unemployment and spatial job search
- ▶ Mobility of labour and relocation of firms
- ▶ Spatial dimensions of a polarisation of the labour market
- ▶ Effects of globalisation within and across regions
- ▶ Firms’ productivity, productivity growth and innovation across regions
- ▶ Demographic trends and forecasting of regional labour markets
- ▶ Evaluation of regional labour market policies

Keynote speakers

- ▶ Gilles Duranton, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, and RCEA
- ▶ Andrés Rodríguez-Pose, London School of Economics, President of the RSAI
- ▶ Jens Südekum, Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf

Scientific Committee

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- ▶ Mark Trede, University of Münster
- ▶ Federico Trionfetti, Aix-Marseille University

Location: Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW), Mannheim

Submission: You are invited to submit a paper or extended abstract (about 800 words) using the following link: <https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=sdlm2017>. The deadline for submissions is 23 January 2017. Notification of acceptance will be given in mid February 2017. Participation in the workshop is free of charge.

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