International Conference on Occupations, Skills, and the Labor Market
Mannheim, March 18-19, 2016

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We invite empirical and theoretical contributions on this topic from all areas of economics, personnel economics, and sociology.

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