Call for Papers

International Conference on "The German Labor Market in a Globalized World: Trade, Technology and Demographics"

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The conference focuses on technology, trade and demographic changes and the ways they interact with employment, wages, and participation in the labor market, with a particular emphasis on the role of institutions. Understanding these relationships is key for an assessment of the macroeconomic performance of the labor market and for the design of effective labor market policies.

We invite empirical and theoretical contributions on these topics from all areas of economics and sociology with a focus on labor, education, health, or human resource management. Submitted papers should be related to the theme of the conference but they do not have to analyze labor markets in Germany and Europe.

Keynote Speakers:

* Christian Dustmann (University College London)
* Henry Farber (Princeton University)
* Markus Gangl (Goethe University Frankfurt)
* Stephen Machin (University College London and Centre for Economic Performance)

Scientific Committee:

Gerard van den Berg (University of Mannheim), Christian Dustmann (University College London), Bernd Fitzenberger (University of Freiburg), Markus Gangl (Goethe University Frankfurt), Stephen Machin (University College London and CEP), and Alexandra Spitz-Oener (Humboldt University of Berlin).

Local Organizer:

Research Data Centre (FDZ) of the German Federal Employment Agency (BA) at the Institute for Employment Research

Participants:

Please submit electronic versions of full papers (preliminary versions are welcome) in PDF format to dfg1764@zew.de.

Please include in the submission up to four JEL-Codes (if available). Travel and accommodation for speakers of accepted papers (one speaker per paper) will be reimbursed.

Submission

- Deadline for submission: 14 December 2014
- Notification of acceptance: 26 January 2015

The conference language will be English.

The program and further information will be available on the website of the Research Data Centre: [http://fdz.iab.de/en/FDZ_Events.aspx](http://fdz.iab.de/en/FDZ_Events.aspx)

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