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7th ZEW Conference on the

Economics of Information and Communication Technologies

Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW), Mannheim, July 3 - 4, 2009

The conference objective is to discuss recent scientific contributions to the economics of information and communication technologies (ICT) and the economics of ICT industries. Theoretical, empirical, experimental and policy oriented contributions are welcome.

Keynote Lecture

- Neil Gandal (Tel Aviv University, Israel)
- Michael D. Smith (Carnegie Mellon University, USA)

Topics of Interest

Software and Internet industries \cdot Competition policy and regulation of ICT \cdot ICT and innovation \cdot Telecommunication and new media \cdot Internet services \cdot Electronic commerce \cdot Digital markets and intellectual property rights \cdot Standards \cdot ICT outsourcing \cdot ICT, productivity and growth \cdot ICT and the labor market \cdot Web 2.0 \cdot Digital divide

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Registration

The deadline for submission of full papers is March 15, 2009. Please submit papers in PDF or MS Word format to: ict-conference@zew.de.

The decision on acceptance will be reached no later than April 15, 2009.

The conference fee is \in 200. For participants who present a paper, travel expenses (APEX fare), accommodation and conference fee will be covered by the ZEW. Presenters will be asked to discuss another paper. All participants are requested to register no later than May 5, 2009.

Papers and other information on the conference will be made available on the conference web page: www.zew.de/ICT-Conference.



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