

# Call for Papers

## Interdisciplinary Conference

# Flexible Work in the Digital Age

Mannheim, Germany, March 23/24, 2017

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New technologies such as mobile devices and mobile internet are increasingly challenging the concepts of a fixed workplace and regular working hours. The objective of the conference is to discuss recent scientific contributions on the causes and consequences of this development. The conference takes an interdisciplinary approach and aims to bring together researchers from the fields of economics, management, occupational medicine, psychology, and sociology.

### Keynote lectures:

Ellen Kossek (Purdue University, Krannert School of Management, USA)

Sabine Sonnentag (University of Mannheim, Germany)

### Topics of interest

- Incidence, types and drivers of flexible work
- Behavioural, cognitive, economic, health, organisational, and psychological effects of flexible work, location-independent work and mobile work devices
- Psychological detachment, recovery from work, boundary management and work-life balance

### Scientific committee:

**Melanie Arntz** (ZEW Mannheim), **Irene Bertsek** (ZEW Mannheim), **Ulrike Cress** (IWM Tübingen), **Thomas Kleinsorge** (IfADo Dortmund), **Sabine Sonnentag** (University of Mannheim)

### Submissions for presentations or poster sessions:

The deadline for submission of extended abstracts (1-2 pages) or working papers to [ubiwork@zew.de](mailto:ubiwork@zew.de) is **15 January 2017**. Please indicate whether you would like to present a poster. Acceptance decisions will be communicated at the beginning of February 2017.

### Costs:

Accommodation costs will be covered for participants presenting a paper or a poster. Participants who present a paper or a poster will, however, be required to pay a fee of EUR 75 covering workshop materials and catering. All other participants will be required to pay a fee of EUR 100. Presenters may apply for financial support from the organisers to cover travel expenses after notification of acceptance. Participants who are not presenting a paper or a poster are requested to register by e-mail to [ubiwork@zew.de](mailto:ubiwork@zew.de) no later than **28 February 2017**.

**Project website:** <http://kooperationen.zew.de/en/ubiwork/home.html>

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