

THE EUROPEAN NETWORK FOR THE STUDY OF GLOBALISATION (ENG)

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Workshop June 12- 13, 2009 - Fürstentfeld

In preparation for our first publication a workshop will be held from June 28-29, 2008 at ZIS-FF in Fürstentfeld. Internal Members have committed themselves to participate and we hope that all of them are able to attend. External Members are invited and most welcome to participate.

The European Network for the Study of Globalization (ENG), hosted by the Center for intercultural studies in Fürstentfeld (ZIS-FF), organizes a workshop from June 12-13 in Fürstentfeld.

This workshop will be the platform to launch the collective work of the group on the globalization issue. It will also serve as the yearly meeting of ENG-network and will help to prepare our internet-publication in fall 2009.

Following the principles established at the first meeting, the internal members of the group will participate in person and provide directly their input to the discussion. External members of the network are invited to participate at their own expenses and/or to follow the debate on the Internet platform, where papers and comments can be uploaded easily.

Papers for the workshop

In their papers, the members of the network present the results of their empirical studies in order to foster a theoretical debate within the group. The readiness to engage in theoretical reflections on the basis of sound empirical research is a key feature of this group and will provide new insights into the different aspects of the process of globalization, which is still in want for a comprehensive assessment.

The organizers of the workshop are committed to prepare a publication to be issued in fall 2009, as agreed in the work plan of 2007. The results of the discussions will help to further develop the concepts of the 'second generation' of globalization research.

Organization of the Workshop

A time-slot of 1 hour is available for each presentation. Paper givers are free in using this time. They are advised, however, to leave sufficient time (ca. 20 minutes) for discussions. Those colleagues, who have not yet forwarded their abstracts, are invited to send them at their earliest convenience. We need this input to arrange the sessions in a coherent way.

Reminder

We would like to remind the internal and external members of our network to submit abstracts and further information on their research in German or English to zis-ff@speed.at till **June 1st 2009**. We hope to be able to complete this part of the presentation of the group before the workshop.

Publication September 2009

We would like to remind you that the group has committed itself to write a joint paper on the globalization problem to be published in the first issue of our Internet-Journal. We plan to have the first issue of the journal issued at the same time in print as a book publication. We are confident that the workshop will allow for constructive debates and improve the quality and coherence of the papers to be included in the publication.

Program

The working mode during the event has an open character. Statements from the network members are followed by longer in-depth discussion.

Friday, June 12:

Registration by 15.00

15:30: Welcome by Melitta Becker (ZIS-FF)

16:00 - 19:30: impulse statements and in-depth discussion

20:00: dinner

Saturday, June 13:

9:00 - 12:00: impulse statements and in-depth discussion

12:00-13.15 lunch

13:30-16:00 impulse statements and in-depth discussion

departure

Accommodation:

- Jugendgästehaus Fürstenfeld: www.jfgh.at, el. +43 3382 52152

Train service to Fürstenfeld

Budapest Kel	10:10	Szentgotthárd	14:26 – Shuttle FF
Szentgotthárd	17:03	Budapest Kel.	21:54
Wien Süd	9:23	Fürstenfeld	12:22
Fürstenfeld	17:33	Wien Süd	20:35

Conference Facilities

Registration:

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