



Interdisciplinary Centre for Baltic Sea Region Research (IFZO)

Workshop

Cluster 'Regional Development and Rural Areas'

10/11 October 2019, International Guest House, Bahnhofstraße 2/3, Greifswald

10 October 2019

18:00 Dinner
Fritz Braugasthaus, Markt 13, 17489 Greifswald

11 October 2019

8:00 Alexander Drost
Welcome and Presentation of the IFZO

Christine Tamásy
Introduction to the Research Cluster and Workshop

Rural Areas in Transitions: Strategies and Policies

Chair: Miriam Richter-Tokar

8:15 Sylvia Keim-Klärner, Johann Heinrich von Thünen Institute
"Changing forms of disadvantage and opportunities in transforming rural peripheries in the Czech Republic and Eastern Germany"

8:45 Magnus Nilsson, CIRCLE Lund University
"Growth in peripheral regions: the role of agency and structure"

9:15 Martin Graffenberger, Leibniz Institute for Regional Geography (IfL)
"Changing perspectives: knowledge transfer and innovation practices of firms in rural regions"

9:45 *Coffee break*

Innovations in Health Care Services

Chair: Steffen Fleßa

10:15 Rimantas Stašys, Klaipėdos University
"Intercultural competencies of personnel in a health care organisation"

10:45 Kristupas Žegunis, Klaipėdos University
"Healthcare without borders - future and perspectives: Lithuanian example"

11:15 Mare Ainsaar, University of Tartu
"Lessons learned from E-health system in Estonia"

11:45 *Lunch break*

12:45 **Round Table Discussion**

Chair: Daniel Schiller

14:15 End