

Interdisziplinäres Forschungszentrum Ostseeraum – IFZO Interdisciplinary Centre for Baltic Sea Region Research





IFZO Annual Conference, 9 – 10 October 2024

Fragmented Transformations in the Baltic Sea Region:

The Role of Innovations and Pioneers of Change

Venue: Conference Room, University Main Building, Domstraße 11

9 October 2024

- 08:30 17:00 REGISTRATION
- 09:00 09:30 WELCOME ADDRESS

Katharina Riedel, University Rector

Clemens Räthel, IFZO Spokesperson

09:30 – 11.00 KEYNOTE: Geographies of Innovation and Regional Transformations

Introduction: Daniel Schiller, University of Greifswald

Speaker: Markus Grillitsch, Lund University

11:00 – 11:30 COFFEE BREAK

11:30 – 13:00 PANEL 1: Tackling Fragmented Transition through Policy and Legal Innovation

Chair: Michael Rodi, University of Greifswald

Resilience of critical energy infrastructure

Timothy Edmunds, University of Bristol

Discussant: Marie Becker, University of Greifswald

Negative emission technologies

Felix Schenuit, SWP Berlin

Catherine Banet, University of Oslo

Discussant: Till Reinholz, University of Greifswald

13:00 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK

14:00 – 15:30 PANEL 2: Knowledge, Power and Learning in Sustainability Transformations

Chair: Wibke Müller, University of Greifswald

The multiple challenges of sustainability transitions

Susanne Stoll-Kleemann, University of Greifswald

Peatlands and drainage exnovation: A transition governance perspective

Pia Sommer, University of Rostock

Knowledge Non-Utilization and the Politics of EC Expert Groups

Ihor Moshenets, Central European University Budapest/Vienna

What goes on in Gigafactories? Unintended environmental consequences of battery production

Viktor Pal, Ostrava/ Tampere University

15:30 – 16:00 COFFEE BREAK

16:00 – 17:30 ROUNDTABLE: ACADEMIA AND POLICY IN DIALOGUE

Horizons of experience of innovation

Moderator: Tom Schimmeck (Journalist)

Anette Forsberg (Jämtland County)

Markus Grillitsch (Lund University)

Jiri Tintera (City of Tartu)

Igne Stalmokaite (University of Oslo)

17:30 – 19:00 RECEPTION

10 October 2024

- 08:00 12.00 REGISTRATION
- 08:45 09:00 **WELCOME**

Steffen Fleßa, University of Greifswald

^{09:00 - 10:30} PANEL 3: Spatial Planning and Accommodation of Innovation

Chair: Vassilis Kitsos, University of Greifswald

Retrofits on energy consumption in Soviet-era apartment buildings in Lithuania

Andrius Kažukauskas, Vilnius/Södertörn University

Wind onshore development and nuclear plants in Poland

Bartosz Sobik, Warsaw School of Economics

New marine spatial planning tools & small port cities in Poland

Justina Bres, Gdańsk University of Technology

Development of innovative berry bioproducts

Jolita Greblikaite, Kaunas University

10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00 – 12:30 PANEL 4: Social Innovation and Regional Space

Chair: Christine Tamásy, University of Greifswald

Area-based factors affecting the spread of social enterprises

Harri Kostilainen, Diaconia University of Applied Sciences, Helsinki

The emergence of value in rural social innovation

Jonathan Hussels, Leibniz IRS Erkner

Digital pioneers in peripheral areas: an agency perspective on social innovation in

rural Germany

Julia Binder, Technical University Cottbus

Discussant: Alica Repenning, University of Greifswald

12:30 – 13:30 LUNCH BREAK

PANEL 5: Reversing Innovations 13:30 - 15:00 Chair: Marta Grzechnik, University of Gdańsk Museums as a space of Un-Learning Rilando June Lamadjido, MARKK Hamburg Reconsidering Finno-Ugric collecting tradition at the Estonian National Museum Piret Koosa, Estonian National Museum The cultural heritages of peatland use Gerald Jurasinski, University of Greifswald Discussant: Stefan Ewert, University of Greifswald 15:00 - 15:30 COFFEE BREAK 15:30 - 17:00 PANEL 6: Debates in Political Sciences and Baltic Securitization Chair: Andris Banka NATO at 75: Looking into the future Wojciech Michnik, Jagiellonian University Krakow Sweden and the Transformation of Baltic Sea Security Adrian Hyde-Price, University of Gothenburg Manoeuvre Warfare in the Baltic: Political Imperatives and Tactical Conditions

Lukas Milevski, Leiden University

17:00 FAREWELL

18:30 **CONFERENCE DINNER**

Brasserie Hermann, Gützkower Str. 1