

GOVERNANCE IN RESEARCH ORGANISATIONS
Dealing constructively with conflicts and accusations
March, 16th & 17th 2023 - University of Wuppertal (BUW)

Programme Thursday, March 16th

- // WARMUP
- 13.00 Registration
- 13.15 Welcome
Prof. Dr. Birgitta Wolff, Rector, *University of Wuppertal (BUW)*
Prof. Dr. Bernhard Kempen, *President of the German Association of University Professors and Lecturers (DHV) / Professor of international and public law, University of Cologne*
Prof. Dr. Oliver Günther, *Vice President of the German Rectors' Conference (HRK) / President of the University of Potsdam*
- 13:45 Voices and impressions from the audience
- // SESSION 1 - UNDERSTANDING THE CHALLENGES
- 14:00 Introduction: Prof. Dr. Carola Jungwirth, *former president of the University of Passau University, Professor of Management with focus on governance*, and Prof. Dr. Isabell Welp, *Bavarian State Institute for Higher Education Research and Planning (IHF), Munich*
- 14:20 Prof. Dr. Nicole Boivin, *Max-Planck-Institute of Geanthropolgy, Jena, Max Planck Society (MPG)*
- 15:10 Michael Balter, *independent journalist (USA), former Paris correspondent for Science*
- 15.25 Prof. Dr. Ulrike Beisiegel, *former President of the University of Göttingen / Senate member of Max Planck Society (MPG)*
- 15:40 Discussion
- 15:55 Coffee Break
- // SESSION 2 - PERSPECTIVES ON THE CHALLENGES
- Impulse lectures
- 16.25 Dr. Heide Ahrens, *General Secretary of Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG)*
- 16:40 Prof. Dr. Thomas Krieg, *Vice President of the German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina / Professor for Dermatology, University of Cologne*
- 16.55 Prof. Dr. Sascha Herms, *University of Technology and Management Berlin (HTW) / Attorney for employment law*
- 17:10 Discussion
- 17.25 Panel discussion (Moderation: Prof. Dr. Isabell Welp, *Bavarian State Institute for Higher Education Research and Planning (IHF), Munich*
Inge Bell, *Inge Bell Consulting, Munich*
Elizaveta Bobkova, *Spokesperson of N² - Network of Doctoral Researcher Networks / Max Planck Institute for Terrestrial Microbiology, Marburg, Max Planck Society (MPG)*
Prof. Dr. Dr. h. c. Ursula Keller, *Institute for Quantum Electronics, Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich (ETH) (Switzerland)*
Prof. Dr. Eric Steinhauer, *Speaker of „German Research Ombudsman“ / Professor for copyright and library law, Humboldt University, Berlin*
- 18:15 Wrap-Up by the moderator
- 18:20 Discussion
- 18:35 Break
- 19.15 Joint Dinner

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// SESSION 3 - EMPIRICAL DATA

- 09.00 Hang Liu, *Spokesperson of the Max Planck Society (MPG) PhDNet / Max-Planck-Institute for Heart and Lung Research, Bad Nauheim,*
09:20 Dr. Nicholas Russell, *General Secretary of the Max Planck Society (MPG) PostdocNet / Max Planck Institute for Plant Breeding Research, Cologne*
09:40 Prof. Dr. Isabell Welpé & Dr. Maïke Reimer, *Bavarian State Institute for Higher Education Research and Planning (IHF), Munich*
10:00 Discussion

// SESSION 4 - PERSPECTIVES OF BUSINESS, SCIENCE POLITICS AND SCIENCE JOURNALISM

- 10.15 Hauke Paasch, *CEO of Vorwerk (Business)*
10.35 Dr. h. c. Thomas Sattelberger, *former Parliamentary State Secretary (Science Politics)*
10.55 Kristin Haug, *DER SPIEGEL (Science Journalism)*
11:15 Discussion

11:30 Coffee Break

// SESSION 5 - APPROACHES TO SOLUTIONS

Impulse lectures

- 12.00 Kerstin Dübner-Gee, *Head of Human Resources Development & Opportunities MPG, Max Planck Society (MPG)*
12:15 Dr. Norbert Sack, *Leadership Advisors for Academia, Berlin*
12:30 Katharina Kleinlein, *H&Z Group / former Max Planck Institute of Quantum Optics, Garching, Max Planck Society (MPG)*
12.45 Inge Bell, *Inge Bell Consulting, Munich*
13:00 Discussion

13:15 Exchange and discussion on a joint declaration, based on a draft (Moderation: Prof. Dr. Carola Jungwirth, *former President of the University of Passau, Professor of Management with Focus on Governance*, and Prof. Dr. Birgitta Wolff, Rector, *University of Wuppertal (BUW)*)

14.15 Summary and conclusion: Prof. Dr. Birgitta Wolff, Rector, *University of Wuppertal (BUW)*

14:30 End of conference