

***Conference and Workshop: Transatlantic Co-operation in Graduate Education
New York, German Center for Research and Innovation***

October 25-26, 2012

Thursday, October 25

Registered guests only:

- 2:00pm Opening Remarks
Dr. Sebastian Fohrbeck, Director DAAD New York
- 2:10pm Introducing the German Center for Research and Innovation, DWIH
Dr. Joann Halpern, Director German Center for Research and Innovation
- 2:30pm Presentation “Graduate Education in Germany – Recent Developments and
Innovative Approaches”
*Prof. Dr. Erika Kothe, Vice Rector for Young Researchers and Diversity Management &
Director of Jena Graduate Academy, Friedrich-Schiller-Universitaet Jena*
- 3:00pm Presentation “Graduate Education in North America – A comparative perspective”
*Dr. Diane Carlin, Associate Vice President for Graduate Education and Interim
Director, Center for Sustainability, Saint Louis University*
- 3:30pm Coffee Break
- 3:45pm Presentations “Components of Transatlantic Exchange in Graduate Programs –
Students’ Reports”
PhD candidates from German and North American universities
- 4:30pm “Speed Networking” – Canadians meet Germans meet U.S. Americans
- 5:30pm Informal Dinner

Evening, open to the public:

- 7:00pm Moderator: *Dr. Rosemary Wakeman, Professor of History, Director, Urban
Studies Program, Fordham University*
- Lecture “Animal Globalism: Zoos, Slaughterhouses, and the City in the 19th Century”
*Prof. Dr. Dorothee Brantz, Director Center for Metropolitan Studies, Director
International Graduate Research Program 2012-2015*
- 8:30pm Reception

Friday, October 26

Registered guests only:

8:30 to 10:30am	Presentations by German universities and their partner institutions on co-operation schemes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Prof. Dr. Carmelita Görg, Associate President for International Relations USA/Canada, Universitaet Bremen and Mr. Torben Gerkenmeyer: "International Research Training Group on Semantic Integration of Geospatial Information"</i>• <i>Prof. Dr. Ute Habel and PhD Candidate(s), Rheinisch-Westfälische Technische Hochschule: "Young Researchers Transatlantic Academy, RWTH Aachen and U of Pennsylvania"</i>• <i>Dr. Axel Klie, Humboldt Universitaet Berlin, Graduate Program Coordinator: "Ancient Philosophy and Science Network (APSN)"</i>
10:30 to 11:00am	Coffee Break
11:00 to 1:00pm	Panel on funding lines (approx. 10 minutes/presentation; time for Q&A) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Jean Saint-Vil, Director, Policy and International Relations, Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC)</i>• <i>Dr. Brent Herbert-Copley, Vice-President Research Capacity, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)</i>• <i>John Tsapogas, Program Coordinator, National Science Foundation, Office of International Science and Engineering, Global Initiatives Program, National Science Foundation (NSF)</i>• <i>Dr. Max Vögler, Director DFG Office Washington, D.C., German Research Foundation (DFG)</i>• <i>Miriam Hippchen, Head of Section North America, Programs for North Americans, Project Grants, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)</i>
1:00 to 2:15pm	Lunch
2:15 to 4:30pm	Workshop Modules
4:30 to 5:00pm	Coffee Break
5:00 to 6:00pm	Presentation of Workshop Outcomes
6:00pm	Wrap Up and Formal Dinner

(Approximately 9:00pm *End of Official Program*)

Saturday, October 27

DAAD Germany Today Alumni only:

9.00am Germany Today Alumni Meeting
12.30pm Luncheon
2.00pm End of Program

Germany Today Alumni Participants:

Ms. Diana Carlin, PhD, Associate Vice President for Graduate Education, Saint Louis University, USA

MS. Elizabeth Covington, PhD, Associate Director, CGES University of Wisconsin- Madison, USA

Ms. Sheila Embleton, PhD, Distinguished Research Professor of Linguistics, York University, Canada

Ms. Beverly Hartline, PhD, Vice Chancellor for Research and Graduate Studies, Montana Tech, USA

Mr. William Lacy, PhD, Vice Provost - University Outreach & International Programs, University of California, Davis, USA

Ms. Elizabeth Lewis Pardoe, PhD, Associate Director, Office of Fellowships, Northwestern University, USA

Ms. Anne MacLachlan, PhD, Senior Researcher, Center for Studies in Higher Education, University of California, Berkeley, USA

Ms. Catherine Meschievitz, PhD, Director, Office of International Programs, Florida Atlantic University, USA

Mr. Michael Proctor, PhD, Vice President, Regional development, Outreach and Global Initiatives, University of Arizona, USA

Mr. Leonel Roldan Flores, Associate Director International, University of British Columbia, Canada

Ms. Debra Stoudt, PhD, Associate Dean for Academic Policies and Procedures, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, USA

Mr. Sydney Van Morgan, PhD, Associate Director, Cornell Institute for European Studies, Cornell University, USA

Mr. William Wiener, PhD, Dean, Graduate School, University of North Carolina, USA

Ms. Pia Wood, PhD, Associate Provost, University of Tennessee, USA