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Deutsches Hygiene-Museum /Scharfe, IÖR

**Introduction**

The **DLGS Summer School** has been organized as a central activity of the doctoral programme of the Graduate School since 2006. It provides an ideal platform to present and discuss about theory, methodology, research design and results in the social sciences, while also sharpening communication and presentation skills. Since DLGS doctoral candidates come from a variety of disciplines, the summer school calls for stressing the value of an interdisciplinary approach that brings together knowledge from diverse perspectives in order to understand current economic, demographic, and climate changes.

**Motivation**

In order to ensure consistency across the dissertation process, second year doctoral candidates are invited to discuss key areas of survey methodology, from data collection to sampling to the analysis of subsequent data and results. Doctoral candidates – researching in a wide range of fields and following different methodological approaches – will have the opportunity to discuss details of their research strategies and to present their preliminary research findings.

**Attendees**

- Doctoral candidates and their supervisors
- Invited senior researchers and experts

**Location**

Deutsches Hygiene-Museum,  
Lingnerplatz 1, 01069 Dresden

**Aims**

The goals of the **DLGS Summer School** include:

- providing doctoral candidates with the opportunity to present papers on research design, methods and preliminary results,
- discussing different research designs and the chosen methods with supervisors and external experts,
- analysing and discussing methods of doctoral proposals,
- including external experts on selected topics (e.g., combining quantitative and qualitative methods within one research project),
- fostering collaboration in the context of DLGS.

In addition, the 2011 **DLGS Summer School** is designed to give doctoral candidates an opportunity to benefit from knowledge transfer through an international dialogue, so as to share different methodological approaches for an understanding of current challenges in times of economic, demographic, and climate change.

**Format**

The 2011 **DLGS Summer School** comprises a variety of activities including:

- oral presentations of candidates on research approaches, methods and initial results,
- papers by invited presenters on doctoral research papers and presentations,
- keynotes by invited guests,
- exercises covering a broad range of possible elements for fostering active participation by all attendees, and for discussing research projects.

**Dresden Leibniz Graduate School**

**Regional Strategies in Times of Demographic, Economic, and Climate Change**

**Summer School No. 6**

**Methods in Social Sciences for the Analysis of Change**



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12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> September 2011  
Deutsches Hygiene-Museum Dresden

## Monday, September 12, 2011

- 10.00 – 10.15 **Welcome and Introduction**  
**Bernhard Müller**
- 10.15 – 11.30 **Ethics in Science**  
 Panel discussion  
 Special guest: **Ernst Rietschel**,  
 Past- President of the Leibniz Association  
 Moderation: **Bernhard Müller**
- 11.30 – 12.30 **Lunch break**  
 Lingner Café
- 12.30 – 14.30 **Methods and Initial Results**  
 Doctoral research presentations by  
**Susann Kühn**  
**Oskar Krohmer**  
 Moderation: **Andreas Klee**
- 14.30 – 15.00 **Break**
- 15.00 – 18.00 **Experimental Economics**  
 Workshop for the doctoral  
 candidates of DLGS 2 with  
**Stefan Traub**
- 18.00 – 18.30 **Change of location:**  
 IÖR, Weberplatz 1
- 18.30 – open end **Barbecue**  
 on the terrace of the IÖR

## Tuesday, September 13, 2011

- 09.00 – 12.30 **Methods and Initial Results**  
*small breaks*  
*in between*  
 Doctoral research presentations by  
**José Mercado**  
**Kristin Stechemesser**  
**Jessica Hemingway**  
 Moderation: **Paulina Schiappacasse**
- 12.30 – 13.30 **Lunch break**  
 Room 1
- 13.30 – 15.30 **Methods and Initial Results**  
 Doctoral research presentations by  
**Sudipti Biswas**  
**Jennifer Washco**  
 Moderation: **Marcel Thum**
- 15.30 – 16.00 **Break**
- 16.00 – 18.00 **Writing Successful Abstracts**  
 Workshop for the doctoral  
 candidates of DLGS 2 with  
**Andreas Klee**  
**Bernhard Müller**  
**Paulina Schiappacasse**  
**Marcel Thum**
- 18.00 – open end **Get together**  
 Summer School participants spend the  
 evening with a dinner at Lingner Café.  
*The beverages consumed have to be  
 paid individually at the location.*

## Wednesday, September 14, 2011

- 09.00 – 10.00 **Economic Valuation of Environmental  
 Changes**  
 Keynote lecture and discussion with  
**Michael Ahlheim**
- 10.00 – 10.30 **Break**
- 10.30 – 13.30 **Methods and Initial Results**  
 Doctoral research presentations by  
**Mei-Ing Ruprecht**  
**Anne Pfeil**  
**Thomas Topf**  
 Moderation: **Andreas Klee**
- 13.30 – 14.15 **Wrap-up lunch**
- 14.15 – 14.30 **Change of location:**  
 IÖR, Weberplatz 1
- 14.30 – 16.30 **Meeting of the  
 Advisory Board of DLGS**  
**Michael Ahlheim**  
**Mark Fleischhauer**  
**Dietrich Fürst**  
**Simon Joss**  
**Thomas Knigge**  
 with participation of doctoral  
 candidates of DLGS  
 Moderation: **Marcel Thum**