

## The changing organization of the welfare state – between efficiency and accountability

Conference by the E.ON Ruhrgas Scholarship Programme in Political Science

10.-12. November 2011 at Potsdam University

### Venue:

The conference will be held at the **University of Potsdam, Complex Griebnitzsee**. This complex has a S-Bahn-station with direct connections both to Berlin and Potsdam central station.

#### University of Potsdam

Complex Griebnitzsee; Building 6

August-Bebel-Str. 189, 14482 Potsdam

S-Bahn-station: "Griebnitzsee" (line S7)

Bus-station: "S-Bhf. Griebnitzsee" (lines 696, 694)

### Conference hotel:

The conference hotel will be **Mercure Hotel Potsdam City**. It is located in the city center next to Potsdam central station. You can reach the hotel by the S-Bahn line S7 (station "Potsdam Hbf.").

#### Mercure Hotel Potsdam City

Lange Brücke

14467 Potsdam

S-Bahn-station: "Potsdam Hbf." (line S7) – 5 minutes walking distance

Bus- and Tram-station: "Potsdam, Alter Markt"

### Map

You can find a map with all relevant locations here:

<http://maps.google.com/maps/ms?ie=UTF&msa=0&msid=212995872465783701566.0004ae888fc98747ba867>

**Public Transport Information**

<http://www.bvg.de/index.php/en/index.html> or <http://www.bahn.de/i/view/GBR/en/index.shtml>

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| Thursday, 10.11.2011    |  |  |
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| <b>14:15-<br/>14:30</b> | <b>Welcome address:</b><br>Werner Jann (University of Potsdam) | <b>Room S12</b><br><br>University,<br>Griebnitzsee,<br><b>Building 6</b>   |
| <b>14:30-<br/>15:15</b> | <b>Keynote 1:</b><br>Stein Ringen (University of Oxford)       |  |
| <b>15:30-<br/>16:30</b> | <b>Keynote 2:</b><br>Per Lægreid (University of Bergen)        |  |
| <b>16:30-<br/>17:30</b> | <b>Reception</b>   | <b>“Lichthof”</b><br><br>University,<br>Griebnitzsee,<br><b>Building 1</b> |
| <b>19:30</b>            | <b>Conference dinner</b>                                       | <b>Mövenpick</b><br><br>Zur Historischen<br>Mühle 2<br>14469 Potsdam       |

| Friday, 11.11.2011 |  |   |
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| <b>09:00-11:00</b> | <p><b>Panel A: <i>The economization of inpatient care – hospital reforms between patients, professionals and politicians</i></b></p> <p>Chair: Gunnar Fermann (Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim)</p>                                    | <p><b>Room S16</b></p> <p>University,<br/>Griebnitzsee,<br/><b>Building 6</b></p>       |
|                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Germany:</i><br/>Ingo Bode (University of Kassel)</li> <li>• <i>Norway:</i><br/>Haldor Byrkjeflot and Simon Neby (University of Bergen)</li> <li>• <i>Others:</i><br/>Paola Mattei (University of Oxford)</li> </ul> |   |
|                    | <p>Discussant: Tanja Klenk (University of Potsdam)</p>   |   |
| 11:00-11:30        | Coffee Break   |   |
| <b>11:30-13:30</b> | <p><b>Panel B: <i>Activation of the unemployed – labor market administration between efficiency and public welfare</i></b></p> <p>Chair: Werner Jann (University of Potsdam)</p>   | <p><b>Room S16</b></p> <p>University,<br/>Griebnitzsee,<br/><b>Building 6</b></p>       |
|                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Germany:</i><br/>Regina Konle-Seidl (IAB)</li> <li>• <i>Norway:</i><br/>Anne-Lise Fimreite (University of Bergen)</li> <li>• <i>Others:</i><br/>Jay Wiggan (Queen's University Belfast)</li> </ul>                   |   |
|                    | <p>Discussant: Stein Kuhnle (Hertie School of Governance, Berlin)</p>  |   |
| <b>13:30-15:00</b> | <b>Lunch</b>   | <p><b>Hotel Aveni</b></p> <p>Rudolf-Breitscheid-<br/>Str. 190-192<br/>14482 Potsdam</p> |

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| <b>15:00-17:00</b> | <b>Panel C: <i>Managing migration - between central steering and decentral accountability</i></b><br>Chair: Elisabeth Bakke (University of Oslo)   | <b>Room S16</b><br><br>University,<br>Griebnitzsee,<br><b>Building 6</b>  |
|                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Germany:</i><br/>                     Johannes Reichersdorfer (University of Potsdam)</li> <li>• <i>Norway:</i><br/>                     Synnøve Bendixen (University of Bergen)</li> <li>• <i>Others:</i><br/>                     Karsten Vrangbaek (Danish Institute of Governmental Research)</li> </ul> |   |
|                    | Discussant: Tom Christensen (University of Oslo)   |   |
| <b>17:00-17:30</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coffee Break</li> </ul>   |   |
| <b>17:30-18:30</b> | <b>Panel Discussion: <i>The re-organization of the welfare state – between efficiency and accountability</i></b><br>Chair: Jan Oskar Engene (University of Bergen)   | <b>Room S16</b><br><br>University,<br>Griebnitzsee,<br><b>Building 6</b>  |
|                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Werner Jann</li> <li>• Anne Lise Fimreite</li> <li>• Wolfgang Schroeder (State secretary at the Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs, Women and Family, Brandenburg)</li> <li>• Petter Lodden (Senior advisor to the County Governor of Vestfold)</li> </ul>  |   |
| <b>18:30-20:00</b> | <b>Diner</b>   | <b>Piazza Toscana</b><br><br>Rudolf-Breitscheid-Str. 177<br>14482 Potsdam |

| <b>Saturday, 12.11.2011</b> |   |   |
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| <b>09:30-<br/>11:30</b>     | <b>Guided tour through Potsdam</b>  | <b>Begin at the hotel</b>                                 |
| <b>11:30-<br/>12:00</b>     | <b>Excursion to Schloss Cecilienhof with guided tour<br/>about the Potsdam Conference</b> | <b>Schloss Cecilienhof</b>                                |
| <b>12:00-<br/>14:00</b>     | <b>Lunch</b>  | <b>Meierei</b><br><br>Im Neuen Garten 10<br>14469 Potsdam |