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EFFIZIENZCLUSTER LOGISTIKRUHR

The EffizienzCluster Logistik Ruhr was a winner in the Leading-Edge Cluster competition run by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research. It links logistics not only to economic issues, but, for the first time, also to current ecological and societal issues.

The EffizienzCluster combines more than 160 companies with outstanding research and training facilities such as the Fraunhofer Institute for Material Flow and Logistics (Dortmund), the Technical University of Dortmund and the University of Duisburg-Essen. Together, they are working in more than 30 projects in seven key areas. Those key players are tackling related logistics management responsibilities head-on – with a clear strategy and a commitment to generating innovations that benefit competition and growth.

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INTERNATIONAL LOGISTICS SCIENCE CONFERENCE

3rd – 4th September 2013,
Dortmund

CALL FOR PAPERS

**EXTENDED
DEADLINE**
February 15th



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CONFERENCE TARGETS AND VISIONS

The conference addresses main challenges for logistics research and logistics itself. Logistics research can help to make structures and processes more efficient.

This includes research on innovative components as well as integrated systems incl. operations management and IT systems in all areas from intralogistics to intermodal freight transport, from logistic facilities to vehicle navigation, from production to distribution, qualification aspects and logistics in a closed-loop economy.

Improvements especially regarding efficiency, sustainability or resilience including advanced IT-systems and/or business models are particularly welcome.

To enable logistics to “produce efficiency” is seen as major contribution of our discipline for societal challenge.

CALL FOR PAPERS

Authors are invited to submit an abstract (2500 – 3500 characters) regarding the outlined topics and also beyond these suggestions first. Based on this abstract and a double-blind review process the program committee will decide on acceptance.

Full papers will then include a ppt-presentation and a full text (9,000 – 18,000 characters). The papers will be published in conference proceedings to be distributed to all participants and speakers.

Presentation should not take longer than 20 minutes excluding discussion, the conference language is English.

**Please submit your abstract (max. 3.500 characters) until February 15th 2013 to the mail address:
ilsc@effizienzcluster.de**

Abstracts should include:

- » author(s), their organisations
- » contact e-mail address
- » title, keywords
- » description of research questions, methods and results

After positive feedback from the program committee (due to April 15th) we expect your full paper until June 15th.

CONFERENCE TOPICS

- » Urban Distribution
- » Transport Management
- » Logistics and Environment
- » Innovative Material Flow Systems
- » Logistics and IT-Services
- » Internet of Things
- » Logistics Clusters and Networks
- » Logistics Knowledge Transfer

TARGET GROUP

Scientists from all areas of logistics research, industry, trade and service providers, innovation, qualification and cluster research.

FUTURE LOGISTICS CONGRESS

The International Logistics Science Conference takes place alongside the Future Logistics Congress which is targeted at managers who work in the fields of logistics and IT. Participants of the ILSC will have the opportunity to join the first day of the Future Congress which starts on September 3rd. English translation will be available.

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