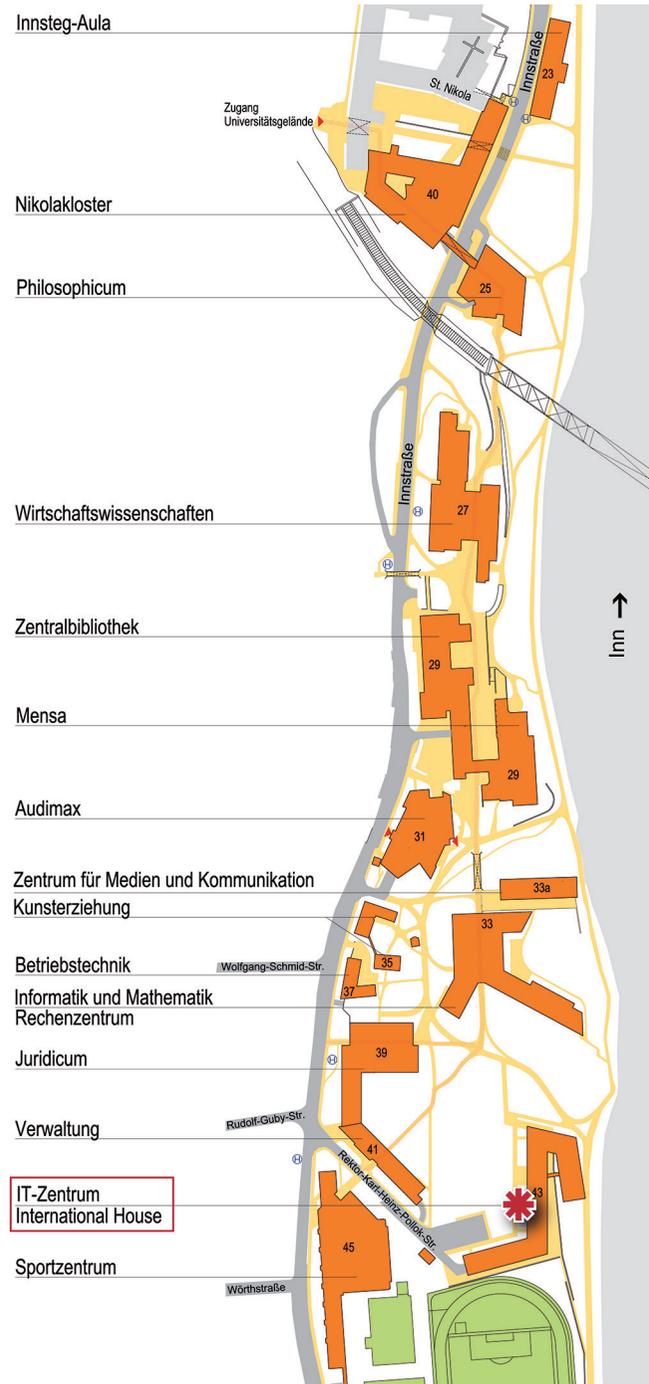




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Symposium Institutions and Sustainable Development through an Interdisciplinary Lens



Symposium to mark the start of the new
Master's programme in Development Studies

30 October 2015

9:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m., IT Centre (ITZ), Innstraße 43

Symposium programme

9:00 a.m.	<p>Welcome and opening remarks by a representative from the University Directorate (tbc), Martina Padmanabhan/Michael Grimm</p>	4:00 p.m.	<p>Coffee break</p>
9:30 a.m.	<p>Keynote by Jean-Philippe Platteau Université de Namur and University of Oxford <i>'Is Islam a special problem? Exploring the link between religion, politics and development'</i> Moderator: Michael Grimm</p>	4:15 p.m.	<p>Keynote by Wendy Harcourt, Erasmus University Rotterdam <i>'Global networking for gender equality and sustainable livelihoods'</i> Moderator: Martina Padmanabhan</p>
10:30 a.m.	<p>Coffee break</p>	5:00 p.m.	<p>Public debate: <i>The private sector is the engine of development!</i></p> <p>Speakers: Christoph Kannengießer, CEO, German African Business Association</p> <p>Thorsten Göbel, Head of Policy, Dialogue and Theology, Brot für die Welt</p> <p>Moderator: Hans Dembowski, Editor-in-Chief, E+Z – Entwicklung und Zusammenarbeit</p>
11:00 a.m.	<p>Contributed Papers, Session A Moderator: Michael Grimm</p> <p>Alexander Danzer, University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt <i>'The impact of a nuclear catastrophe on economic and political preferences – the case of Chernobyl'</i></p> <p>Edward Asiedu, University of Passau <i>'Placing the rich and poor in the same box: field experiments on heterogeneous benefits and irrigation outcomes in Sissala, Ghana'</i></p> <p>Kristina Czura, LMU Munich <i>'Do flexible repayment schedules improve the impact of microcredits? Evidence from a randomized evaluation in rural India'</i></p> <p>Esther Gehrke, University of Passau <i>'Consumption risk, labor supply and human capital accumulation in India'</i></p>	6:30 p.m.	<p>Closing remarks Rüdiger Korff</p> <p>Reception</p>
1:00 p.m.	<p>Lunch</p>	<p>Organisers The University of Passau The Faculty of Business Administration and Economics The Faculty of Arts and Humanities</p>	
2:00 p.m.	<p>Contributed Papers, Session B Moderator: Martina Padmanabhan</p> <p>Elena Gross, University of Bayreuth <i>'What does development aid do to productivity in recipient countries? The role of quantiles and thresholds'</i></p> <p>Katharina Werner, University of Passau <i>'Can trust survive a violent conflict? – Evidence from Trust Games in Maluku, Indonesia'</i></p> <p>Dieter Neubert, University of Bayreuth <i>'Institution building and good governance. Half-truth and simple lessons to learn'</i></p> <p>Rüdiger Korff, University of Passau <i>'Modernity, Development and Global Urban Society'</i></p>	<p>Venue The University of Passau, IT Centre (ITZ), Innstrasse 43, room 017 94032 Passau</p> <p>Registrations To register, please send the completed overleaf registration slip to DevEcon@uni-passau.de or fax it to +49 851 509 3312 by no later than 16 October 2015.</p> <p>Sponsored by AG 'Werkstattgespräch Nachhaltigkeit' The University of Passau</p>	

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