

# 10th ZEW Conference on the Economics of Innovation and Patenting

Mannheim, 26-27 September 2024

Conference venue: ZEW, L 7, 1, 68161 Mannheim

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## PROGRAMME

Thursday, September 26, 2024

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09:30 – 10:15 **Registration and Arrival Coffee**

Room Brussels

10:15 – 10:30 **Welcome Address**

*Hanna Hottenrott, ZEW*

10:30 – 12:00 **Parallel Sessions I (see below for details)**

12:00 – 13:15 **Lunch**

Room Brussels

13:15 – 14:15 **Keynote: From Failure to Fortune: IP Strategy in Uncertain Times**

**CARLOS J. SERRANO, HEC Paris**

Chair: Bettina Peters, ZEW

14:15 – 14:45 **Coffee Break**

14:45 – 16:15 **Parallel Sessions II (see below for details)**

16:15 – 16:45 **Coffee Break**

16:45 – 18:15 **Parallel Sessions III (see below for details)**

18:45 **Bus Trip to Conference Dinner**

19:30 **Conference Dinner**

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09:00 – 10:30 **Parallel Sessions IV (see below for details)**

10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00 – 12:00  
Room Brussels  
**Keynote: The Ms. Allocation of Talent**  
**PETRA MOSER, NYU Stern, NBER and CEPR**  
Chair: Mark Roberts, Pennsylvania State University

12:00 – 12:30  
Room Brussels  
**Heinz König Award & Champagne Reception**  
**Laudator: Dr. Ralph Rheinboldt, Chairman of the ZEW Sponsors' Association for Science and Practice and Member of the Executive Board of Fuchs SE**  
Chair: Hanna Hottenrott, ZEW

12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch**

13:30 – 15:00 **Parallel Sessions V (see below for details)**

15:00 **Farewell Drinks and Pretzels**

16:00 **Optional: Trip to Schwetzingen**

10:30 – 12:00 Parallel Session I

Room Brussels <b>I.A: Innovation Made in China</b> Chair: Bettina Peters (ZEW)	Room 1 <b>I.B: Diversity and Innovation</b> Chair: Andreas Bühler (University of Zurich)	Room 2 <b>I.C: Inventor Mobility</b> Chair: Cornelia Lawson (University of Manchester)	Media Room <b>I.D: Licensing and Patent Incentives</b> Chair: Andreas Panagopoulos (University of Crete)
<p><b>Corporate Open Science and CEOs' Pre-career Exposure to Confucian Values</b></p> <p><i>Lorenzo Palladini (University of Luxembourg, Stockholm School of Economics)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Philipp Böing (Goethe University Frankfurt &amp; ZEW)</p>	<p><b>How and When Is Gender Diversity in R&amp;D Teams Related to Firm-Level Innovation?</b></p> <p><i>Christophe Boone (Antwerp University), Boris Lokshin (Maastricht University), Corinne Post (Villanova University)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Eline Schoonjans (ZEW)</p>	<p><b>Intellectual Mobility Frictions</b></p> <p><i>Jordan Bisset (KU Leuven), Dennis Verhoeven (KU Leuven)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Cornelia Lawson (University of Manchester)</p>	<p><b>Patents and R&amp;D Incentives when Licensing is Restricted</b></p> <p><i>Andreas Panagopoulos (University of Crete), In-Uck Park (University of Bristol)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Ziming Wang (University of Tokyo &amp; China Europe International Business School)</p>
<p><b>Investigating Strategic Change: A Case Study on German Firms' Response to Chinese Competition</b></p> <p><i>Madeleine Möller (University of Hohenheim), Bernd Ebersberger (University of Hohenheim)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Lorenzo Palladini (University of Luxembourg, Stockholm School of Economics)</p>	<p><b>Gender Norms, Occupational Choices, and the Innovation Gender Gap</b></p> <p><i>Andreas Bühler (University of Zurich), Patrick Lehnert (University of Zurich), Uschi Backes-Gellner (University of Zurich)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Boris Lokshin (Maastricht University)</p>	<p><b>The Substitutive Nature of Trade Secret Legislation and Internal Linkage Strategies to Appropriate Value from R&amp;D</b></p> <p><i>Hamzeh Obeid (KU Leuven), Rene Belderbos (KU Leuven), Bart Leten (KU Leuven and Hasselt University)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Roger Svensson (The Research Institute of Industrial Economics)</p>	<p><b>The Strategy of Royalty-Free Licensing and its Impact on Firm Innovation: The Case of Tesla</b></p> <p><i>Ziming Wang (University of Tokyo &amp; China Europe International Business School), Daiju Narita (University of Tokyo), Usharani Hareesh Govindarajan (University of Shanghai for Science &amp; Technology), Howei Wu (China Europe International Business School), Jia Lin (Shanghai International College of Intellectual Property, Tongji University)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Marek Giebel (Copenhagen Business School)</p>
<p><b>The Anatomy of Chinese Innovation: Insights on Patent Quality and Ownership</b></p> <p><i>Philipp Böing (Goethe University Frankfurt &amp; ZEW), Loren Brandt (University of Toronto), Ruo Chen Dai (Central University of Finance and Economics), Kevin Lim (University of Toronto), Bettina Peters (ZEW)</i></p> <p>Discussant: -</p>		<p><b>Matching or Clashing: Exploring Scientists' Exit from Academia through Intentions and Job Offers</b></p> <p><i>Lukas Dreier (Friedrich Schiller University Jena), Maximilian Goethner (University of Twente), Cornelia Lawson (University of Manchester)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Maikel Pellens (KU Leuven)</p>	<p><b>The Patent Deal: Striking a Balance Between Protection and Disclosure</b></p> <p><i>Marek Giebel (Copenhagen Business School), Alexandra K. Zaby (Seeburg Castle University)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Andreas Panagopoulos (University of Crete)</p>

14:45 – 16:15 Parallel Session II

Room Brussels <b>II.A: Impact of R&amp;D Policies</b> Chair: Bastian Krieger (ZEW)	Room 1 <b>II.B: Green Innovation I</b> Chair: Leon Steines (ZEW)	Room 2 <b>II.C: Science and Innovation I</b> Chair: Alexander Kann (ZEW)	Media Room <b>II.D: History of Innovation</b> Chair: Alexander Donges (University of Mannheim)
<p><b>Subsidies vs. Advice: Unraveling Their Unique Impacts on Firm Innovation</b></p> <p><i>Lowie Cnockaert (Hasselt University), Jolien M. A. Van den Rul (Hasselt University), Mark Vancauteran (Hasselt University), Bart Leten (Hasselt University)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Alexander Ehrlich (ZEW)</p>	<p><b>The Effects of Natural Disasters on Green Innovation</b></p> <p><i>Lisa Keding (RWTH Aachen University), Marten Ritterrath (University of Cologne)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Yuan Hu (Imperial College London)</p>	<p><b>Standing on the Shoulders of Others: The Role of Universities and Individual Inventors in Firms' Exploration of General-Purpose Technologies</b></p> <p><i>Valentina Bucaioni (University of Siena), Kelchtermans Stijn (KU Leuven), Murgia Gianluca (University of Siena)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Alexander Kann (University of Mannheim and ZEW Mannheim)</p>	<p><b>Are Patents Conducive to Innovation? Evidence from German Reunification</b></p> <p><i>Fabian Gaessler (Pompeu Fabra University &amp; Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition), Christian Helmers (Santa Clara University), Gabriele Pellegrino (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Alexander Donges (University of Mannheim)</p>
<p><b>The Bang for the Buck: Aggregate Impact of Firm-Level R&amp;D Incentives</b></p> <p><i>Marek Ignaszak (Goethe University Frankfurt &amp; ZEW), Petr Sedlacek (University of New South Wales)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Malte Prüfer (KU Leuven &amp; ECOOM)</p>	<p><b>Knowledge Diversity and Innovation Resilience: Green Technological Change After Natural Disasters</b></p> <p><i>Yuan Hu (Imperial College London)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Leon Steines (ZEW)</p>	<p><b>Looking for Innovation Beyond the Patent System: Evidence from Research Disclosures</b></p> <p><i>Bernhard Ganglmair (ZEW), Alexander Kann (University of Mannheim and ZEW Mannheim)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Valentina Bucaioni (University of Siena)</p>	<p><b>Patent Litigation in the German Empire</b></p> <p><i>Alexander Donges (University of Mannheim), Felix Selgert (University of Bonn), Jochen Streb (University of Mannheim)</i></p> <p>Discussant: -</p>
<p><b>Public Procurement Can Hinder Innovation</b></p> <p><i>Bastian Krieger (ZEW), Malte Prüfer (KU Leuven &amp; ECOOM), Linus Strecke (ZEW)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Lowie Cnockaert (Hasselt University)</p>	<p><b>When Eco-Innovation Changes Hands: Ownership's Environmental Impact</b></p> <p><i>Eline Schoonjans (ZEW)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Julia Korosteleva (University College London)</p>		

16:45 – 18:15 Parallel Session III

Room Brussels <b>III.A: Innovation Incentives</b> Chair: Thomas Triebs (Loughborough University)	Room 1 <b>III.B: Machine-Learning Approaches in Innovation Studies</b> Chair: Alexander Ehrlich (ZEW)	Room 2 <b>III.C: Science and Innovation II</b> Chair: Christoph Grimpe (Copenhagen Business School)	Media Room <b>III.D: Innovation in Life Sciences</b> Chair: Thomas Schaper (ZEW)
<p><b>Old but Gold: Population Ageing and Innovation Incentives</b></p> <p><i>Maria Luisa Mancusi (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Thomas P. Triebs (Loughborough University)</p>	<p><b>Nowcasting R&amp;D Expenditures: A Machine Learning Approach</b></p> <p><i>Atin Aboutorabi (EFPL), Gaétan de Rassenfosse (EFPL)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Anup Agrawal (University of Alabama)</p>	<p><b>Race and Science</b></p> <p><i>Gaia Dossi (LSE)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Maud Thys (KU Leuven)</p>	<p><b>The Role of Patent Law and Licensing Schemes in the Governance of Emerging Biotechnologies: A Transactional Approach</b></p> <p><i>Franziska Bächler (University of Basel)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Thomas Schaper (ZEW)</p>
<p><b>Opt-In to Innovation? The Effects of Apple's App Tracking Transparency Policy on Complementor Innovation</b></p> <p><i>Robin Nowak (University of Passau), Rebecca Janssen (ZEW Mannheim), Patrick Figge (University of Passau)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Maria Luisa Mancusi (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)</p>	<p><b>Mixing R&amp;D Tax Credits and R&amp;D Subsidies: a Multi-Treatment Machine Learning and 3-Dimensional Matching Approach</b></p> <p><i>Chris Dimos (University of Bath), Felicia Fai (University of Bath), Phil Tomlinson (University of Bath)</i></p> <p>Discussant: <i>Atin Aboutorabi (EFPL)</i></p>	<p><b>The Academic Startup Advantage: Research or Human Capital</b></p> <p><i>Maud Thys (KU Leuven), Maikel Pellens (KU Leuven), Hanna Hottenrott (ZEW Mannheim) and Marius Berger (ZEW)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Christoph Grimpe (Copenhagen Business School)</p>	<p><b>Product Safety Standards and Technological Innovation: Evidence from the 1968 Radiation Control</b></p> <p><i>Yiyu Xing (UCLA)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Jingyuan Zeng (London School of Economics)</p>
<p><b>Market Expectations, Uncertainty, and Innovation</b></p> <p><i>Thomas P. Triebs (Loughborough University), Justin Tumlinson (University of Exeter)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Jordan Bisset (KU Leuven)</p>	<p><b>Disruptive Innovation and IPO Outcomes: Evidence from Machine Learning</b></p> <p><i>Hoang Nguyen (University of Alabama), Anup Agrawal (University of Alabama)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Chris Dimos (University of Bath)</p>	<p><b>Do Innovations Need Advocacy? Stakeholder Involvement in Innovation Projects</b></p> <p><i>Paolo Carioli (KU Leuven), Christoph Grimpe (Copenhagen Business School), Karin Hoisl (University of Mannheim), Wolfgang Sofka (Copenhagen Business School)</i></p> <p>Discussant: Bart Leten (KU Leuven)</p>	

09:00 – 10:30 Parallel Session IV

<p>Room Brussels <b>IV.A: SMEs and Innovation</b> Chair: Dietmar Harhoff (Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition)</p>	<p>Room 1 <b>IV.B: Digital Technologies and Innovation</b> Chair: Dolores Añon Higon (University of Valencia)</p>	<p>Room 2 <b>IV.C: Innovation Networks</b> Chair: Jingyuan Zeng (London School of Economics)</p>	<p>Media Room <b>IV.D: Intellectual Property Rights Beyond Patents</b> Chair: Julien Penin</p>
<p><b>The Paradox of Progress: Technological Advancements in Banking and the Dual Impact on SME Bank Borrowing</b> <i>Aneta Hryckiewicz (Kozminski University), <u>Julia Korosteleva</u> (University College London), Lukasz Kozlowski (Kozminski University), Malwina Rzepka (Economic Institute for Empirical Analysis), Ruomeng Wang (University College London)</i> Discussant: Andreas Bühler (University of Zurich)</p>	<p><b>Beyond the Robot: The Economic Effect of Diverse Technologies</b> <i><u>Guillermo Arenas Díaz</u> (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore), Fabio Montobbio (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore), Mariacristina Piva (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)</i> Discussant: Bettina Peters (ZEW)</p>	<p><b>R&amp;D Networks, Peer Effects and Innovation Performance</b> <i>Fulvio Castellacci (Center for Technology, Innovation and Culture), <u>Arvid Raknerud</u> (Statistics Norway), Massimo Riccaboni (IMT School for Advanced Studies), Marina Rybalka (Statistics Norway)</i> Discussant: Andreas Stephan (Linnaeus University)</p>	<p><b>Composite Value Index of Design Patent Indicators</b> <i><u>Grid Thoma</u> (University of Camerino)</i> Discussant: Julien Pénin (Université de Strasbourg)</p>
<p><b>The Impact of Government Venture Capital on Firm Growth</b> <i><u>Roger Svensson</u> (The Research Institute of Industrial Economics)</i> Discussant: Georg Licht (ZEW)</p>	<p><b>AI, Robots, and Innovation Performance in European SMEs</b> <i>Agustí Segarra-Blasco (Universitat Rovira i Virgili), <u>Josep Tomàs-Porres</u> (Universitat Rovira i Virgili), Mercedes Teruel (Universitat Rovira i Virgili)</i> Discussant: Dolores Añon Higon (University of Valencia)</p>	<p><b>Technological Relatedness and Innovation Performance of Digital Research Networks</b> <i><u>Daniel Nepelski</u> (Joint Research Centre)</i> Discussant: <u>Arvid Raknerud</u> (Statistics Norway)</p>	<p><b>Appropriability Regimes and Appropriation Strategies in Design: The Awareness and Use of Intellectual Property Rights and Experiences with Infringement Disputes</b> <i><u>Bruce Tether</u> (Alliance Manchester Business School)</i> Discussant: Grid Thoma (University of Camerino)</p>
<p><b>Government R&amp;D Support for Young Innovative Companies: Evidence from France</b> <i>Laurie Ciaramella (Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition &amp; Télécom ParisTech), <u>Dietmar Harhoff</u> (Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition), Cristina Rujan (ifo Institute)</i> Discussant: Marius Berger (ZEW)</p>	<p><b>Digital Transformation and Innovation Activities: Evidence from Spanish Firms</b> <i><u>Dolores Añon Higon</u> (University of Valencia), Juan A. Máñez (University of Valencia), Amparo Sanchis (University of Valencia), Juan A. Sanchis (University of Valencia)</i> Discussant: <u>Guillermo Arenas Díaz</u> (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)</p>	<p><b>The Making of High-tech Clusters: Evidence from Early-mover Corporate Labs in the American Microchip Breakthrough</b> <i><u>Jingyuan Zeng</u> (London School of Economics)</i> Discussant: Daniel Nepelski (Joint Research Centre)</p>	<p><b>Personality, Creativity and Adherence to Intellectual Property: A Lab Experiment on Copyright</b> <i>R. Guichardaz, M. Lefebvre, H. Igersheim, <u>Julien Pénin</u> (Université de Strasbourg)</i> Discussant: Bruce Tether (Alliance Manchester Business School)</p>

13:30 – 15:00 Parallel Session V

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<p>Room Brussels <b>V.A: Role of Cross-Border Activities on Innovation</b> Chair: Maria Garcia-Vega (University of Nottingham)</p>	<p>Room 1 <b>V.B: Green Innovation II</b> Chair: An Yu Chen (Manchester Institute of Innovation Research)</p>	<p>Room 2 <b>V.C: Workers, Labour Markets and Innovation</b> Chair: Jonathan Deist (IWH Halle)</p>	<p>Media Room <b>V.D: Patent System</b> Chair: Dietmar Harhoff (Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition)</p>
<p><b>Why Shutting the Doors to Immigration is Bad for Innovation: Lessons from the Age of Mass Migration in the US</b> <i>Benjamin Cornejo Costas (Utrecht University)</i> Discussant: Krishna Sharma (Clemson University)</p>	<p><b>What Drives Green Innovation? Uncovering European Regional Factors and Policy Implications</b> <i>Friedrich Lucke (European Commission - Joint Research Centre), Fulvia Marotta (University of Oxford)</i> Discussant: Marten Ritterrath (University of Cologne)</p>	<p><b>Worker Management Through AI: A Patent-Based Analysis of Artificial Intelligence Worker Management Technologies</b> <i>Jacopo Staccioli (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore Milan), Maria Enrica Virgillito (Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna)</i> Discussant: Jonathan Deist (IWH Halle)</p>	<p><b>Forum Shopping and Forum Selling in German Patent Litigation: A Quantitative Analysis</b> <i>Sibylle Lehmann-Hasemeyer (University of Hohenheim), Alexander Morell (Goethe University Frankfurt &amp; Leibniz Institute for Financial Research SAFE)</i> Discussant: Dietmar Harhoff (Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition)</p>
<p><b>I'm Coming Home: Brain Gain Through Brain Circulation in India</b> <i>Krishna Sharma (Clemson University)</i> Discussant: Maria Garcia-Vega (University of Nottingham)</p>	<p><b>Global Flow of Renewable Energy Technologies</b> <i>Christopher F Baum (Boston College), Hans Lööf (Royal Institute of Technology), Fredrik Sjöholm (Research Institute of Industrial Economics Stockholm), Andreas Stephan (Linnaeus University)</i> Discussant: An Yu Chen (Manchester Institute of Innovation Research)</p>	<p><b>Productivity Spillovers among Knowledge Workers in Agglomerations: Evidence from GitHub</b> <i>Lena Abou El-Komboz (ifo Institute and University of Munich), Thomas A. Fackler (Surrey Business School), Moritz Goldbeck (ifo Institute)</i> Discussant: Jacopo Staccioli (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore Milan)</p>	<p><b>Do Commonly Held Firms Coordinate Their R&amp;D: Evidence from Patents</b> <i>Bernhard Ganglmair (ZEW), Alexander Kann (University of Mannheim and ZEW Mannheim)</i> Discussant: -</p>
<p><b>Is Acquisition-FDI During an Economic Crisis Detrimental for Domestic Innovation?</b> <i>Maria Garcia-Vega (University of Nottingham), Apoorva Gupta (DICE)</i> Discussant: Benjamin Cornejo Costas (Utrecht University)</p>	<p><b>Understanding the Connection: How Scientific Foundations Drive Innovation in Green Technologies?</b> <i>An Yu Chen (Manchester Institute of Innovation Research)</i> Discussant: Friedrich Lucke (European Commission - Joint Research Centre)</p>	<p><b>Labor Market Power and Innovation</b> <i>Richard Bräuer (IWH Halle), Jonathan Deist (IWH Halle), Matthias Mertens (MIT)</i> Discussant: Lena Abou El-Komboz (ifo Institute and University of Munich)</p>	