



# **UG-BNU International Conference on**

## Human Resource Management in China and East Asia

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### May 26-27th 2017

As evidenced in the burgeoning literature on human resource management and organizational behavior in China and other East Asian countries, e.g. South Korea, Vietnam (e.g. Bond & Muethel, 2012; Cooke, 2013; Froese, 2013), the successful management of people in these countries has drawn increased attention in research within recent years. The rapid changes and socioeconomic developments call for researchers' further attention. The conference aims to enhance our understanding of these developments and to infer implications for HRM in China/East Asia.

Contributions to the conference might cover, **but are not limited to**, the following topics:

- Evolving institutional conditions affecting HRM in China/East Asia
- Recruitment, retention, and development of talent in China/East Asia
- Leadership challenges and requirements in China/East Asia
- Pay systems and developments in performance management in China/East Asia
- Diversity management and work-life balance in China/East Asia
- Labor relations and employee representation in China/East Asia
- Expatriation management of companies from and in China/East Asia
- Divergence and crossvergence of HRM practices in China/East Asia

Contributors are invited to submit abstracts (max. **250 words**) or full papers (max. **35 pages**), accompanied by a separate title page which lists author(s) contact details. The **deadline for submissions is March 25<sup>th</sup> 2017**. Please submit your abstract/paper and any further inquiries to: <u>sebastian.stoermer@wiwi.uni-goettingen.de</u>.

We are looking forward to receiving your submission and welcoming you to Goettingen.

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#### **Tentative Schedule**

#### Day 1, Friday, May 26<sup>th</sup> 2017

Time	Activity	
09:00 - 09:30	Welcome	
09:30 - 10:30	Opening panel	
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break	
11:00 - 12:30	I. Paper session	
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch	
14:00 - 15:30	II. Paper session	
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee break	
16:00 - 17:30	Meet the editors panel	
End		
19:00 - 21:00	Dinner in downtown Goettingen	

#### Day 2, Saturday, May 27th 2017

Time	Activity	
09:00 - 10:00	III. Paper session	
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee break	
10:30 - 12:00	IV. Paper session	
12:00 - 12:15	Concluding words and official end	
Voluntary activities		
12:15 - 13:30	Lunch	
14:00 - 15:30	Sightseeing tour Goettingen	
End		

**Conference venue**: Historical library building, Papendiek 14, 37073 Goettingen, Germany **Conference hotel**: Gebhards Hotel, Goethealle 22-23, 37073 Goettingen, Germany