

Programme Friday 28th July, 2017 (Room: 109, 111, 112, 115; Technical University in Poznan, Faculty for Management Engineering, Strzelecka Street 11, 60-965 Poznań)

08.00 Registration for Doctoral Workshop and Early Career Researcher Programme (Room 111)

Time	Session	Convenor
08.30 – 09.00	Welcome/Introduction*	Dr Rob Dekkers (Chair Early Career Researchers and Doctoral Training Programme, University of Glasgow, U.K.)
	Welcome on behalf of the International Foundation of Production Research*	Prof Veli-Matti Virolainen (President International Foundation for Production Research, Lappeeranta University of Technology, Finland)
	Welcome on behalf of the 24 th International Conference on Production Research*	Prof. Marek Fertsch (Poznań University of Technology, Poland)
09.00 – 10.00	Developing Good Research Questions	Dr Rob Dekkers (University of Glasgow, U.K.)/
10.00 – 10.30	Coffee Break	Room 111
10.30 – 12.00	[Systematic] Literature Reviews	Dr Rob Dekkers (University of Glasgow, U.K.)
12.00 – 13.30	Lunch Break	
13.30 – 15.00	[Systematic] Literature Reviews [continued]	Dr Rob Dekkers (University of Glasgow, U.K.)
15.00 – 15.30	Tea Break	Room 111
15.30 – 17.00	Design and Evaluation of Research Methods	Prof Daniela Popescu (Technical University of Cluj-Napoca, Romania)
17.00 – 17.30	Refreshments	Room 111
17.30 – 18.30	Interpreting Results of Research Projects	Prof Huang Chin-Yin (Tunghai University, Taiwan)
18.30 – 20.00	Discussion in groups about Papers and Research Projects (participants)	Parallel sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parallel sessions convened by board members IFPR. • Detailed schedule will be made available close to workshop. • 45' for each participant. • Instructions (see notes below).

* Joint session with

Programme Saturday 29th July, 2017 (Room: 109, 111, 112, 115.; Technical University in Poznan, Faculty for Management Engineering, Strzelecka Street 11, 60-965 Poznań)

Time	Session	Convenor
08.30 – 10.30	Crafting Text and Writing Skills	Dr Rob Dekkers (University of Glasgow, U.K.)
10.00 – 10.30	Coffee Break	Room 111
10.30 – 12.00	Writing the Thesis	Prof Anthony Chiu (De La Salle University, the Philippines)
12.00 – 13.00	Lunch Break	
13.00 – 14.30	Publishing in Refereed Journals*	Prof Huang Chin-Yin (Tunghai University, Taiwan)
14.30 – 15.00	Tea Break	Room 111
15.00 – 16.15	Debating Techniques	Dr Rob Dekkers (University of Glasgow, U.K.), supported by:

16.15 – 17.00	Discussion of Papers and Research Projects (participants) – each paper will have other doctoral students as discussant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof Bopaya Bidanda (University of Pittsburgh, U.S.A.) • Dr Erkan Kabak (Izmir University of Economics, Turkey)
17.00 – 17.30	Refreshments	Parallel sessions
17.30 – 18.30	Bi-Annual Inspiring Research Lecture (Title: t.b.c.)*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parallel sessions convened by board members IFPR. • Detailed schedule will be made available close to workshop. • 45' for each participant. • Instructions (see notes below).
Room 111		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Erkan Kabak (Izmir University of Economics, Turkey) 		

Programme Sunday 30th July, 2017 (Room: 109, 111, 112, 115 ; Technical University in Poznan, Faculty for Management Engineering, Strzelecka Street 11, 60-965 Poznań, Hotel IBB Andersia, plac Andersa 3, 61-894 Poznań)

Time	Session	Convenor
08.30 – 09.15	Academic Job Search	Prof Bopaya Bidanda (University of Pittsburgh, U.S.A.)
09.15 – 10.00	Presentation Skills	Dr Rob Dekkers (University of Glasgow, U.K.)
10.00 – 10.30	Coffee Break	
10.30 – 12.00	Preparing for the Viva Voce	Dr Rob Dekkers (University of Glasgow, U.K.)
12.00 – 13.30	Lunch Break	
13.30 – 15.00	Getting Most Out of Supervision	Dr Rob Dekkers (University of Glasgow, U.K.)
15.00 – 15.30	'Meet the Board' Event	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NOTE: Tea/Coffee Break (location: Hotel IBB Andersia, plac Andersa 3, 61-894 Poznań). • NOTE: Please put up poster during lunch break.
15.30 – 17.00	Discussion of Papers and Research Projects (participants) – each paper will have other doctoral students as discussant	Parallel sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parallel sessions convened by board members IFPR. • Detailed schedule will be made available close to workshop. • 45' for each participant. • Instructions (see notes below).

SCHEDULE FOR DISCUSSION OF RESEARCH PROJECTS

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28th July 2017 Convenor:	Parallel Session 1 Dr Rob Dekkers	Parallel Session 2 Prof Daniela Popescu	Parallel Session 3 Prof Anthony Chiu	Parallel Session 4 Prof Chin-Yin Huang
18.30 – 19.15	<i>Name</i> Discussant: ?			
19.15 – 20.00	<i>Name</i> Discussant: ?			

29th July 2017 Convenor:	Parallel Session 1 Dr Erkan Kabak	Parallel Session 2 Prof Daniela Popescu
16.15 – 17.00	<i>Name</i> Discussant: ?	

30th July 2017 Convenor:	Parallel Session 1 Dr Erkan Kabak	Parallel Session 2 Prof Bopaya Bidanda	Parallel Session 3 Prof Daniela Popescu	Parallel Session 4 Prof Anthony Chiu	Parallel Session 5 Prof Chin-Yin Huang
15.30 – 16.15	<i>Name</i> Discussant: ?				
16.15 – 17.00	<i>Name</i> Discussant: ?				

NOTES

- For registration you will need to follow the instructions as outlined at the web-site of the International Foundation for Production Research. Alternatively, you can contact the Chair of the Committee Doctoral Training and Early Career Researchers Programme: Dr. ir. Rob Dekkers (rob.dekkers@glasgow.ac.uk).
- Note that the organisers of the 24th International Conference on Production Research will charge a compulsory subsistence fee for attending the doctoral workshop. For more information see the web-site of the conference: <http://www.24icpr2017.put.poznan.pl> (Section Doctoral Training).
- The deadline for applying to the doctoral workshop is 1st June, 2017 (GMT); however if at the deadline there are still spaces open you can apply until 13th July 2017. The maximum number of participants is limited to 30. Might be more than eligible 30 candidates apply, then the Committee Doctoral Training and Early Career Researchers Programme will prioritise attendance and notify the applicants as soon as possible. Might less than 30 eligible candidates apply, then applications will be treated on a ‘first come, first serve’ basis after 25th May, 2017.
- For the session ‘Discussion of Papers and Research Projects’ (Friday 28th July - Sunday 30th July, 2017, final session of the workshop each day) you have to prepare a report about your research project. Alternatively you can use the paper that you are presenting to the conference. This report should end with three challenges you face for the completion of your doctoral study. The main body of text should be no longer than 5000 words (excl. abstract/summary, references, tables and figures). You should send this report to the Chair of the Committee Doctoral Training and Early Career Researchers Programme: Dr Rob Dekkers (rob.dekkers@glasgow.ac.uk). Deadline: 13th July 2017.
- For the session ‘Discussion of Papers and Research Projects’ (Friday 28th July - Sunday 30th July, 2016, final session of the workshop each day) you have to prepare a Powerpoint presentation of 10’. This presentation should cover your research project for the doctoral study but not necessarily the contents of the paper you are presenting during the conference. Each presentation will be discussed by one discussant, followed by a discussion led by a board member of the International Foundation of Production Research. The discussants will receive the papers in advance so that they can prepare their commentary.
- To each report a discussant will be assigned. In the role of discussant you need to prepare a Powerpoint presentation of max. 15’ with constructive comments about the report and the challenges mentioned in the report. Each participant will discuss only once the research project of another participant.
- For the session ‘Meet the Board Event’ (Sunday 30th July, 2017) you have to prepare a poster about your doctoral study. This presentation should cover your research project for the doctoral study but not necessarily the contents of the paper you are presenting during the conference. The size of the poster is max. A0.
- To receive a certificate, you are expected to attend all sessions. The organisers of the 24th International Conference on Production Research have ensured that the conference will not coincide with attendance to the doctoral workshop.