

IAMO Forum 2018 | Call for Submissions

Large-scale agriculture – for profit and society? 27-29 June 2018 | IAMO | Halle (Saale) | Germany



FORUM 2018 JUNE 27-29 LARGE-SCALE AGRICULTURE

In recent decades, new agribusiness models have emerged in a number of transition, emerging and developed economies. Their main characteristics include a very large size of sometimes more than one hundred thousand hectares of farmland, integration of multiple stages of production and processing, and presence of investors who often have no background in primary agriculture.

The IAMO Forum 2018 provides a platform for research that investigates the economic, managerial and social aspects of large-scale agriculture as well as institutional frameworks that enable the persistence of large agricultural enterprises.

The conference's geographical focus is particularly on the transition countries of Eastern Europe, the Former Soviet Union, and East Asia as well as developed and emerging countries in Europe, the Americas and Australia. We welcome contributions providing insights into topics such as:

- Corporate governance;
- Corporate social responsibility;
- Risk management and finance;
- Human resource management;
- Competition on factor and output markets;
- Welfare and distributional justice in rural areas, or
- Environmental implications and challenges.

The conference contributions may stem from a variety of methodological approaches ranging from micro-level analyses of farm management and econometrics to institutional, socioeconomic and geographic investigations of large-scale agribusiness at the regional and cross-national level. Inter- and transdisciplinary contributions are particularly welcome. IAMO Forum is jointly organized with DLG e.V. - (Deutsche Landwirtschafts-Gesellschaft e.V.)





Call for Extended Abstracts

We request the contribution of extended abstracts in English with up to 1,000 words in strict compliance with the provided formatting guidelines. The abstracts need to include a concise summary of the significance, major research questions, data and methods, and findings. The abstracts have to be submitted electronically at www.iamo.de/forum/2018 until Sunday, February 25, 2018. All contributed extended abstracts will go through peer review. Notification of selected abstracts for an oral presentation will be sent by Friday, March 23, 2018. All accepted abstracts will be published on the conference website.

Call for Organized Sessions

We welcome proposals for organized sessions that match the theme of the IAMO Forum 2018. Session proposals should include the title of the proposed session and an abstract of up to 1,000 words (excluding bibliography) that concisely describes the relevance of the session to the conference theme and states a list of speakers and their topics. **Session proposals have to be submitted electronically at <u>www.iamo.de/forum/2018</u> by Sunday, January 28, 2018.** Notification of acceptance of session proposals will be sent by Tuesday, February 27, 2018. Session proposals from agribusiness and civil society are particularly welcome.

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