

Call for Papers

3rd Halle Workshop on Efficiency and Productivity Analysis – HAWEPA:

Selected new developments: Dynamics and risk, virtue of directional distance functions

The 3rd Halle Workshop on Efficiency and Productivity Analysis will take place at the Leibniz-Institute of Agricultural Development in Central and Eastern Europe (IAMO) on **June 28-29, 2010**. The workshop is organized by IAMO and the Halle Institute for Economic Research (IWH).

Purpose

The objective of the workshop is to address new developments in theoretical and empirical research in productivity and efficiency measurement. Papers on the theory of productivity and efficiency measurement as well as on all fields of empirical application, including agriculture, regulation, health economics, production, environmental economics, government and industry are welcome.

Keynote Speakers

Rolf Färe (Depart. of Economics and Depart. of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Oregon State University):

The directional distance function and its applicability in applied research

Pierre Ouellette (Départ. des Sciences Économiques, Université du Québec à Montréal):

Dynamics, uncertainty and the analysis of production structures

Costs

The registration fee for the workshop is 40 €. This covers refreshments provided during the workshop as well as a workshop reception. Participants are expected to pay their own travel and accommodation expenses. Information on hotels (at preferential rates) and registration material will be available on the web site in April 2010.

Submissions of abstracts

Please submit an elaborate abstract of up to 800 words, including

- name and affiliation of author(s);
- title of the presentation;
- objectives;
- methods;
- expected results
- keywords and JEL-classification

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The deadline for submission is **April 10, 2010**. Authors will be informed about the decision of the scientific committee by **April 30, 2010**.

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