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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

9:00 – 11:00

VIEWS ON STANDARDIZATION AND POLICY: THE NEW EUROPEAN ICT STANDARDIZATION POLICY

A 151 | TU Berlin

- The Standardization Package | Liliana Brykman (Director Regulatory Policy, DG Enterprise and Industry, European Commission)
- The View of the European Standardization Organizations | Friedrich Smaxwil (President elect, CEN)
- The View a National Standardization Organization (DIN) Torsten Bahke (Director, DIN)
- The View of the IT Industry | Axel Garbers (Member of Executive Board, Head of Technologies and Services, BITKOM)

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11:00 – 11:15

COFFEE BREAK | Foyer | TU Berlin

11:15 – 13:00

PANEL DISCUSSION: DEVELOPMENTS IN EUROPEAN ICT STANDARDIZATION POLICY

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CHAIR: Knut Blind

13:00 – 14:00

LUNCH | Cafe Campus | TU Berlin

14:00 – 15:30

PAPER SESSION: STANDARDIZATION SYSTEM AND POLICY

A 151 | TU Berlin

- ICT Standardization Policy in Europe – Recent Past, Presence, and Future | Kai Jakobs, Knut Blind
- Interoperability Standards for ICT: A Green Strategy in a Grey Sector | Tineke Egyedi, Sachiko Muto
- A Reference Model of an Instrument for the Quality Measurement of Semantic Standards | Erwin Fömer, Paul Oude Luttighuis, Jos van Hillegersberg

CHAIR: (tba)

15:30 – 16:00

COFFEE BREAK | Foyer | TU Berlin

15:45 – 16:15

INVITED TALK | A 151 | TU Berlin

On Standards as Change Agents – From a Pragmatic Business Perspective | Carl Cargill (Standards Principal, Adobe)

16:15 – 17:45

PAPER SESSION: REGIONAL STANDARDIZATION ASPECTS AND INTEROPERABILITY

A 151 | TU Berlin

- Connecting Geography, Chronology, and Biographies – Framing New Lithuanian Standards | Rimvydas Lauzikas, Vyktantis Vaitkevicius
- Developing IT Standard in China – What Lessons can we Learn from This? | Xiaobai Shen
- Feature Driven Profiling of Open Standards for Office Applications | Jörgen Kirchhoff

CHAIR: (tba)

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

9:00 – 11:00

PAPER SESSION: PARTICIPATION AND OUTCOME

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- Payments and Participation: The Incentives to Join Cooperative Standard Setting Efforts | Anne Layne-Farrar, Gerard Llobet, Jorge Padilla
- The Influence of Marketing Communications on the Dominance of Standards | Nagim Argam, Henk de Vries, Ben Boedoe
- R&D Competition for Standardization: The Role of Consortia | Justus Baron, Yann Ménère, Tim Pohlmann
- Technology Standards Battles and Business Networks during the Technology Life Cycle: Toward Propositions | Erik den Hartigh, Roland Oett, Geert van de Kaaij, Claire Stolwijk

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PAPER SESSION: CASE STUDIES ON STANDARDS

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- Structural Distinctions between Human-Oriented and Machine-Oriented Information Standards: Implications for Enterprise-Scale System Interoperability | David Mann, John Brooks
- Configuration Management of a System of Interdependent Standards | Serenä Coetzee
- Pre-Standardization Phase of Technology Development: Examination of Cognitive Radio Systems using Co-Evolutionary Perspective | Vladislav Fomin, Artur Minin

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INVITED TALK | A 151 | TU Berlin

- Realities of Patent Pools in Telecommunications Sector | Claudia Tapia (Senior Legal Advisor Patent & Standards Strategy, Research in Motion)

14:30 – 16:00

PAPER SESSION: STANDARDS AND PATENTS

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- Firms’ Cooperative Activities as Driving Factors of Patent Declaration on Technological Standards: Evidence from Firm Level Analysis on Cooperative Arrangements and Business Models | Tim Pohlmann, Knut Blind
- Essential Patents and Standard Dynamics | Justus Baron, Knut Blind, Tim Pohlmann
- Intellectual Property Rights and their Interface with Competition Policy: In Balance or in Conflict? | Singh Sumanjeet

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SHOWCASE: A DATABASE FOR STANDARDS AND PATENTS

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- Announcement of the Open Essential IPR Disclosure Database | Rudi Bekkers, Christian Catalini, Arianna Martinelli, Tim Simcoe

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