

Young Researchers: CALL FOR PAPERS

2nd International Wuppertal Colloquium on **“Sustainable Growth, Resource Productivity and Sustainable Industrial Policy – Recent Findings, new Approaches for Strategies and Policies”**

Held September 10 – 12, 2009 at Wuppertal, Germany

The international colloquium shall bring together top experts on sustainable growth and sustainable resource management. It aims to analyse the contribution of increasing resource productivity to sustainability. Having a focus on economics, the international colloquium shall also cover the technological, the environmental and the international dimensions. The number of participants and presentations is strictly limited in order to facilitate high-level academic discussion.

It is organised by the Wuppertal Institute for Climate, Energy and Environment in conjunction with the Schumpeter School of Business and Economics at the University of Wuppertal. It is chaired by Professor Dr. Raimund Bleischwitz, in cooperation with Professor Dr. Paul J. J. Welfens.

Among international experts which already have confirmed their participation for the present are:

- Professor Paul Ekins, Ph.D., Kings College London, UK
- Professor Dr. Lucas Bretschger, ETH Zürich, CH
- Professor Phillip Crowson, Ph.D., The University of Dundee, UK
- Professor René Kemp, Ph.D., MERIT, University Maastricht, NL

The international colloquium shall take place in 2009 and 2010; a first colloquium has taken place in 2008. The three colloquia accompany a large research project on “Material Efficiency & Conservation of Resources” which is coordinated by the Wuppertal Institute with some 30 partners on behalf of the German Federal Ministry for Environment. While the first international colloquium intended to assemble the state of the art, this year’s colloquium shall discuss issues such as

- System innovations and visions,
- Leapfrogging strategies,
- Rebound effects,
- International market development.

Please send your email to piet.hausberg@wupperinst.org. Only papers in English are considered. Eligible are young researchers preferably from economics in their Ph.D. or shortly thereafter. A publication is planned. An internship in September can be arranged on demand. Travel and accommodation expenditures can be reimbursed.

Deadline for submission of abstract:	April 24, 2009
Deadline for submission of full paper:	June 10, 2009
Notification on the acceptance:	till mid July 2009