S3 Platform – Peer Review Workshop

Peer Discussion as a Step towards Research and Innovation Strategies for Smart Specialisation (RIS3)

Date: **5-6 November 2013**
Venue: **Steigenberger Hotel Sanssouci, Allee nach Sanssouci 1, Potsdam, Germany**

Day 1 || 5 November 2013	
11:00-11:45	Registration
11:45-12:30	**Welcome by the S3 Platform, Berlin and Brandenburg** Representatives from hosting regions John Edwards, S3 Platform
12:30-14:00	**Panel session: Linking innovation potentials of metropolis and their peripheries** Moderation: Alexander Kleibrink, S3 Platform Strategies for territorial cohesion between metropolis & periphery in selected European countries **(Prof. Jörg Knieling, HafenCity University Hamburg)** Using ICT to link metropolis & peripheries **(Anne-Mari Leppinen, Economic Development Agency of Suupohja Region)** Promoting diffusion processes from metropolis to regional surroundings **(Maciej Smętkowski, Warsaw University)** Smart internationalisation for city-regions **(Prof. John Shutt, Harris Research Partnership)**
14:00-15:00	**Lunch**
15:00-15:15	**Introduction to mutual learning** Ruslan Rakhmatullin, S3 Platform
Take your coffee or tea for peer review session	

15:20-17:50	**Parallel peer review sessions 1**	
	1) Peer review of Mazovia (PL) *Moderated by Alexander Kleibrink* Presentation by the region and peer discussion. Conclusions.	**2) Peer review of Greater Manchester (UK)** *Moderated by Katerina Stancova* Presentation by the region and peer discussion. Conclusions.

19:00	**Dinner at the Steigenberger Hotel Sanssouci**

Day 2 || 6 November 2013		
9:40-09:55	**Check-in for 2nd day and information on upcoming activities** Presentation by the S3 Platform	
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10:00– 12:30	**Parallel peer review sessions 2**	
	(3) Peer review of Berlin-Brandenburg (DE) *Moderated by John Edwards* Presentation by the regions and peer discussion. Conclusions.	**(4) Peer review of Prague (CZ)** *Moderated by Ruslan Rakhmatullin* Presentation by the region and peer discussion. Conclusions.
12:30-13:30	**Lunch**	
13:30-14:45	**Conclusions and lessons learnt** Moderation: S3 Platform Feedback from the 5 peer reviewed regions Expert feedback Feedback from critical friends Closing remarks	
14:45	**End of the peer review workshop**	
15:30-17:00	**Study tour to the Hasso-Plattner-Institute (optional)** The School of Design Thinking at the Hasso-Plattner-Institute was founded in 2007 with the support of ERDF. Modelled on the famous d.school at Stanford University in California (US), the programme enables students to develop particularly user-friendly products and services in multidisciplinary teams.	