

Dear Ladies and Gentleman,

the tenth TRANS³Net newsletter will be published at the beginning of the summer holidays. In this edition we report about the successful closing conference in Ústí nad Labem. In addition, we are working hard on the concept for the TRANS³Net network. The project has been extended until September 30, 2019. We want to use this time to set the course for the establishment of a transnational network of and for the actors of knowledge and technology transfer in the three-country region.

This is an ambitious and challenging goal that all project partners work on with great commitment. In the coming weeks, we will contact you personally to introduce you to the offered services and the planned structure of the network and to promote network membership. We have a firm eye on the start of the network in 2020. We are looking forward to your comments and feedback. Incidentally, it always pays to stop by on the TRANS³Net portal or on our Facebook page. If you have any news or events that you would like to see published on our portal, please contact us: office@trans3net.eu.

Closing conference gives outlook to establish a transfer network

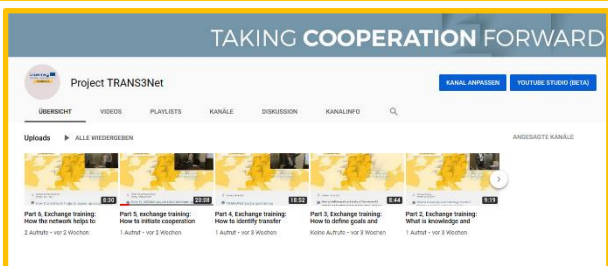


Thomas Horn, Head of Wirtschaftsförderung Sachsen, presented the activities of the institution WFS in the three-country-region. (© Giebel)

More than 70 participants expressed their sympathy with the project and their interest in the project of a transnational transfer network in the tri-border region of Saxony, the Czech Republic and Poland at the closing conference of TRANS³Net on June 18, 2019 in Ústí nad Labem. In addition to a review of what has been achieved in the Interreg Central Europe project, there was also an outlook on the planned creation of a transnational network of transfer promoters. Representatives of the political and economic side of the three countries clarified in their lectures that the potential of the three-country region is great and that this potential could be further promoted with the help

of a transfer network. In a discussion round, different transfer agents “pitched” their view and attitude towards the planned network. The need to improve the conditions for a well-functioning innovation system in the region and to use the contacts and cooperation offered by the TRANS³Net project has been raised several times. Therefore, all participants were excited about the presentation of the network model and the ideas of how to transform the project into a network with transfer agents from three countries. The CIMTT as lead partner of the project presented the planned offers and the organizational structure of the TRANS³Net network. The next months will be used in the project to attract members so that TRANS³Net can start officially as a network 2020..

Learn from TRANS³Net with video tutorials from exchange training



Recently on our [youtube channel](#) seven video tutorials are available in which we convey our collected knowledge from the TRANS³Net project and make it available. The lectures of the exchange training in Wroclaw end of April were recorded and edited together with the PowerPoint slides. It's worth taking a look. It would be very helpful if you complete the evaluation form in the appendix and send it back to us

after watching the videos. Thank you very much.

TRANS³Net at workshop of the European Region Danube-Moldavia



Around 20 representatives of universities from Bavaria, Austria and the Czech Republic listened with interest to the TRANS³Net lecture. (©ODM)

On invitation of the European Region Danube-Moldavia, Melanie Giebel from lead partner CIMTT presented the TRANS³Net project at a university workshop in Freyung / Bavaria at the end of May. The representatives of various universities from Bavaria, Austria and the Czech Republic listened with great interest to the lecture and asked numerous questions about the project. The aim of the workshop was to discuss common topics and possible Interreg projects for the coming EU funding period. The experiences and results from TRANS³Net were useful input for the participants.

Second dialogue highlights potentials of transnational networks



Network experts in conversation with Michal Frycz from the Marshal's Office. (©Giebel)

Around 30 experts and stakeholders entered into an interesting exchange on transnational networking at the second TRANS³Net.dialogue at the Wroclaw University of Technology on March 22, 2019. The potential of cross-border networks to promote knowledge and technology transfer and what are the conditions for success in setting up a cross-border transfer network were highlighted. As successful network examples presented inter alia Frank Bösenberg, Managing Director of Silicon Saxony the success story of his industry network. Anna Szczypka also presented the Polish Association of Centers for Technology Transfer (PACTT). Jan-Hendrik Peters from bmbg consult made clear what has to be considered in transnational cooperation. In the final panel discussion, experts from Poland, the Czech Republic and Saxony exchanged practical experiences and tips from their network work. If you are interested in the lectures write us: office@trans3net.eu.

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There are new entries in our map of transfer promotors, for example the Mittelstand 4.0 Competence Center Chemnitz, the Fraunhofer Institute for Ceramic Technologies and Systems as well as KGHM from Lubin and Technology Hunter from Ostrava. In total, the map now includes 83 entries of transfer promotors. +++ The **9th Ostsächsische Maschinenbautage** takes place in the **TGZ Bautzen** on **9 and 10 October 2019**. Companies from Saxony, other states, Poland and the Czech Republic are expected. The Innovation Forum is funded within the framework of the Polish-Saxon Interreg project DigiNetPolSax - Digitization for the common economic area. Program and registration form can be found in the appendix. +++ Since March 2019, the Saxon-Polish project **DigiNetPolSax** has started. The Interreg project is intended to define the economic potential in the border region of Saxony-Poland and make it visible in a competence atlas. In addition, the competitiveness of local companies should be further strengthened by promoting cross-border cooperation. Read more on the pages of [Wirtschaftsförderung Sachsen](#).

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