

*Eu-SPRI PhD Spring School:*  
**Anticipation in the Governance of Innovation:  
Expectations, Foresight and Technology Assessment**

**Tech Gate, Vienna, 15.03 – 17.03.2012**  
**Seminar Room 4.1**

**Wednesday, 14.03.2012:**

19:00 Dinner at restaurant “e-work”, not included in participation fee  
near Tech Gate Vienna and your hotel (see pdf with maps)

**Thursday, 15.03.2012:**

**09:30** Welcome to Vienna! Introduction to the Spring School  
Kornelia Konrad, Matthias Weber

10:15 Introduction of participants

10:45 Coffee break

11:00 Key note lecture by Daniel Barben

12:15 Lunch at Restaurant “Avocado”

13:30 Session 1: *“Constructing futures in formalized and informalized ways”*  
*Chair: Kornelia Konrad*

- Yvonne Cuijpers  
*“Futures of Alzheimer’s Disease and early diagnostics: comparing two anticipatory practices”*
- Katarzyna Markiewicz  
*“The challenge of assessing health technologies early in the development. Systematic literature review.”*
- Carla Alvial Palavicino  
*“Foresight as a specific mode of governing expectations: (initial) implications.”*
- Stefanie Jenssen  
*Comment*

15:00 Coffee Break

- 15:15            Session 2: "Future-oriented Technology Analysis in context"  
                    Chair: Björn Budde
- Katharina Jarmai  
          *"Shaping social reality: A constructivist framework for impact assessment of foresight"*
  - Mihaela Ghişa  
          *"Evaluation of foresight exercises"*
  - Benedikt Roskamp  
          *"Integrating a culturalist approach to the study of institutionalization dynamics of Parliamentary Technology Assessment"*
  - Daniel Barben  
          Comment
- 16:45            Coffee break
- 17:00            Session 3: "The situated construction of expectations /1"  
                    Chair: Franz Seifert
- Koen Beumer  
          *"Nanotechnology futures in India, South Africa and Kenya"*
  - Colette Bos  
          *"Unpacking the grand challenges of nanotechnology"*
  - Kornelia Konrad  
          Comment
- 18:30            Collection of questions from day 1
- 19:00            Transfer to dinner
- 19:30            Dinner at restaurant "Steman", traditional Austrian food  
                    1060 Vienna , Otto - Bauer - Gasse 7

**Friday, 16.03.2012:**

- 09:30** Key note lecture by Arie Rip
- 10:45 Coffee break
- 11:00 Session 4: *"The situated construction of expectations /2"*  
Chair: Matthias Weber
- Pietro Berti  
*"Fuelling Expectations: the Evolution of UK Government's position in the Biofuels Debate"*
  - Sjoerd Bakker  
*"Linking expectations and interests to understand stakeholder strategies: electric vehicle recharging infrastructures"*
  - Björn Budde  
*"Networks of expectations: Using the multi-level perspective of transition theory to analyze expectations"*
  - Franz Seifert  
Comment
- 12:45 Lunch at restaurant "Avocado"
- 14:00 Introduction to the research of  
Stefan Vargolici , Tatiana Chernyavskaya
- 14:30 Discussion of questions / Group work
- A number of smaller groups will discuss questions collected from the participants prior to the spring school, facilitated by a senior researcher (Coffee break depending on your group in between)
- 15:45 Presentation and discussion of results of the group work
- 16:45 Coffee break
- 17:15 Session 6: *"Imaginaries"*  
Chair: Daniel Barben
- Alexandra Klimek  
*"Imagine lay people in the case of carbon capture, transport and storage in Norway"*
  - Thomas Völker  
*"Monitoring and Preventing: 'Socio-scientific imaginaries' in transdisciplinary sustainability research in Austria"*
  - Junwen Luo  
*"What Can Audit Do for Building a Public 'Trust Culture' in the Evaluation of RIT?"*
  - Arie Rip  
Comment

19:00 Transfer to dinner  
19:30 Dinner at restaurant Deewan, a bit more exotic, curries etc.  
1090 Vienna, Liechtensteinstr. 10 and having a drink at Reinberg Bar close by

**Saturday, 16.03.2012:**

**09:30** Session 5: "Expectations and foresight in (sectoral) innovation systems"  
*Chair: Arie Rip*

- Allan Dahl Andersen  
*"Sectoral innovation foresight – Sector development at the Danish Technical university"*
- Hemant Kumar  
*"Emerging Networks and Changing Expectations of Grassroot Innovators in India"*
- Annamaria Fiore  
*"Apulian analysis of regional technological perspective for the employment: A brief presentation of the methodology"*
- Matthias Weber

*Comment*

11:00 Coffee break

11:15 *Wrap up of the Eu-SPRING School*

- Matthias Weber, Kornelia Konrad
- Comments by senior researchers
- Comments by individual participants
- Discussion
- Feedback
- How to stay in touch ....

13:00 End of Eu-SPRING School

*afternoon Social activity, if demand*