

Transformation Thinkers

November 21 – 27, 2010

Program

Conference Venue & Accommodation:

Schloss Steinhöfel
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Conference Language:

English

Sunday, November 21st

3:30 p.m. <i>Rezeption</i>	Exploring the grounds of Steinhöfel Castle (optional)
7:00 p.m. <i>Wintergarten</i>	Welcome of the Transformation Thinkers to Steinhöfel Matthias Jäger <i>Project Manager, Bertelsmann Stiftung, Gütersloh</i>
7:45 p.m. <i>Restaurant "Valentin"</i>	Dinner

Monday, November 22nd

10:00 a.m. <i>Großer Salon</i>	Welcome & Opening remarks Stefan Empter <i>Senior Director, Bertelsmann Stiftung, Gütersloh</i> Christoph Beier <i>Managing Director, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Technische Zusammenarbeit (GTZ) GmbH, Eschborn/Berlin</i>
10:30 a.m. <i>Großer Salon</i>	Introduction of participants <u>Facilitator</u> Rob Hale <i>Senior Associate & Performance Coach, Maynard Leigh Associates, London</i>
12:00 p.m. <i>Restaurant "Valentin"</i>	Group photo and Lunch
1:30 p.m. <i>Bibliothek</i>	Leading through relationship Interactive Micro Skill Session Rob Hale <i>Senior Associate & Performance Coach, Maynard Leigh Associates, London</i>

4:00 p.m. <i>Bibliothek</i>	Coffee break
4:30 p.m. <i>Bibliothek</i>	<p>Finding common ground: Culture and democracy World Café Discussion</p> <p>Impulse:</p> <p>Joel Marsden <i>Director, Global Human Referendum, Madrid</i></p> <p><u>Moderator</u></p> <p>Tina Gadow <i>Project Management for International Cooperation and Cultural Exchange "Shaping Diversity", Berlin</i></p>
7:00 p.m. <i>Wintergarten</i>	Reception
7:30 p.m. <i>Restaurant "Valentin"</i>	Dinner
	<p>Dinner speech: Strategies of successful reformers</p> <p>Julio Frenk <i>Former Minister of Health of Mexico; Dean of the Faculty, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston MA</i></p> <p><u>Introduction:</u></p> <p>Matthias Jäger <i>Project Manager, Bertelsmann Stiftung, Gütersloh</i></p>
9:00 p.m. <i>Wintergarten</i>	Get-together & coffee

Tuesday, November 23rd

9:00 a.m. <i>Großer Salon</i>	<p>Democracy under construction, economies in development: Exploring the Results of the Transformation Index (BTI) 2010</p> <p><u>Input</u></p> <p>Sabine Donner & Hauke Hartmann <i>Senior Project Managers, Bertelsmann Stiftung, Gütersloh</i></p>
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11:00 – 1:00 p.m.

Café “Luise”,
Schloss-Stube

Key challenges of transformation (parallel workshops)

Workshop A:

Reaching the next level – Democratic consolidation and the problem of underperformance

Moderator

Hauke Hartmann

Senior Project Manager, Bertelsmann Stiftung, Gütersloh

Input

Jamil Mahuad

Former President of the Republic of Ecuador; Co-Founder and Senior Advisor, Program of Negotiation, Harvard Law School, Cambridge MA

Nigel Nugawela

*Researcher, Conflict & Peace Analysis Unit,
Centre for Policy Alternatives, Colombo (TT 2010)*

Federico Vázquez Calero

*Senior Researcher & Director of the Latin American Program of Public Affairs, UNDP,
Mexico City (TT 2010)*

Workshop B:

Keeping the balance – Growth, sustainability and social justice in emerging economies

Moderator

Sabine Donner

Senior Project Manager, Bertelsmann Stiftung, Gütersloh

Input

Sanjay Peters

*Associate Professor, Department of Economics; Director, Center for Emerging Markets,
IESE Business School, Barcelona*

Peter Esele

President, Trade Union Congress of Nigeria, Lagos (TT 2010)

Arslan Chikhaoui

Chairman & CEO, Nord-Sud Ventures Consultancy Centre, Algiers (TT 2010)

1:00 p.m.

Restaurant “Valentin”

Lunch

2:00 p.m.
Café "Luise",
Schloss-Stube, Großer
Salon

Key challenges of transformation (workshops continued & wrap up)

4:00 p.m.
Kleiner Salon

Coffee break

4:30 – 6:00 p.m.
Großer Salon

Participation in the political process – A way to strengthen democracy (Discussion)

Moderators

Christina Tillmann & Anna Renkamp
Project Managers, Bertelsmann Stiftung, Gütersloh

Impulse:

Edward Andersson
Deputy Director, involve, London

Manjunath Sadashiva
Consultant, CIVICUS South Africa, Johannesburg (TT 2010)

6:30 p.m.
Restaurant "Valentin"

Dinner

8:00 – 9:00 p.m.
Wintergarten

Briefing: Strategy game

Brent Henley
Founder, President and Leading Consultant, The Pyramid Group, Lafayette

Wednesday, November 24th

9:00 a.m.
Großer Salon, Kleiner
Salon, Café "Luise" &
Schloss-Stube

Strategy game: Simulating Society (SIMSOC)

SIMSOC is a fast-moving, role-playing game, where players will cope with the day-to-day problems of governing their society while they examine the nature group dynamics, interpersonal relationships, power, communication and leadership. SIMSOC has no pre-programmed outcome. Success or failure is dependent upon decisions made by the players and the creativity of the group. To be successful, players must utilize every basic social process from cooperation and reward to threat and punishment.

Facilitator

Brent Henley
Founder, President and Leading Consultant, The Pyramid Group, Lafayette

12:30 p.m. <i>Restaurant "Valentin"</i>	Lunch
1:30 p.m. <i>Großer Salon, Kleiner Salon, Café "Luise" & Schloss-Stube</i>	SIMSOC continued
6:00 p.m. <i>Großer Salon</i>	Debriefing: SIMSOC
8:00 p.m. <i>Terrasse & Wintergarten</i>	Winter Barbecue

Thursday, November 25th

7:30 a.m.	Transfer to Berlin
9:00 – 11:00 a.m.	Berlin – Transformation of a city City Tour
11:30 – 13:30 a.m. <i>GTZ Representation Reichpietschufer 20 10785 Berlin</i>	Leadership and climate change A discussion with Frank Fass-Metz <i>Head of Division, Climate Policy and Climate Financing, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development, Bonn</i> Peter Burnell <i>Professor of Politics and International Studies, University of Warwick, Coventry</i> Lorenz Petersen <i>Head of GTZ's Climate Change Task Force, Eschborn</i> <u>Moderator:</u> Hinrich Mercker <i>Head of Division "Environment, Energy and Water", InWent – Capacity Building International, Berlin</i>
1:30 – 2:30 p.m. <i>GTZ Representation Reichpietschufer 20 10785 Berlin</i>	Lunch

2:30 – 5:00 p.m.

– *Individual exploration of Berlin* –

5:00 p.m.

Transfer from GTZ to Steinhöfel Castle

7:00 p.m.

Restaurant “Valentin”

Dinner

8:30 p.m.

Café “Luise”

Germany in transition – Reform challenges and solutions

Chair

Josef Janning

Head, Minds & More – Global Policy Experts, Bonn

A discussion with

Rita Süßmuth

Former President of the German Federal Parliament and former Federal Minister for Family Affairs, Women, Youth and Health, Berlin

Friday, November 26th

9:00 a.m.

Großer Salon

Training: Negotiation skills

Jamil Mahuad

Former President of the Republic of Ecuador; Co-Founder and Senior Advisor, Program of Negotiation, Harvard Law School, Cambridge MA

12:30 p.m.

Restaurant “Valentin”

Lunch

1:30 p.m.

Großer Salon

Your space

Moderator

Tina Gadow

Project Management for International Cooperation and Cultural Exchange “Shaping Diversity”, Berlin

Suggestion for one workshop:

Stories of change – The TT podcast initiative

Moderator

Jocelyne Sambira

Journalist, Department of Public Information, News and Media Division at UN Radio, New York (TT 2005)

Impulse:

Ulrike Reinhard

Publisher, Author & Editor-in-Chief, WE-Magazine, Heidelberg

and

Cyrus Farivar

Science & Technology Editor, Deutsche Welle English, Bonn

5:00 p.m.

Großer Salon

Evaluation of the conference, Outlook

7:00 p.m.

Bibliothek

Farewell event

Saturday, November 27th

09:30 a.m.

Restaurant "Valentin"

Farewell breakfast

11:00 a.m.

Departure of participants