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## Exploring Differences: Transdisciplinary Research and its Impact at Higher Education Institutions

Invitation

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**Venue:**

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The eighth conference in the ID-E Berlin series will examine the opportunities and challenges of the rise of transdisciplinary research in global academia. A detailed understanding of the different systems and new developments will be elicited from participating speakers from Australia, Germany, the United Kingdom and the United States of America.

Participants must register in advance. The working language will be English.



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Monday 10 October 2011, Henry-Ford-Bau, Freie Universität Berlin

<b>13:00-13:30</b>	<b>Registration and Coffee</b>	<b>Welcome</b> <b>Peter-André Alt</b> President, Freie Universität Berlin
<b>13:30-14:00</b>	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b>	<b>Annette Julius</b> Director, Northern Hemisphere Department, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Bonn
<b>14:00-17:00</b>	<b>Panel Discussion</b>	<b>Moderator</b> <b>Jan-Martin Wiarda</b> Senior Editor, DIE ZEIT
<b>17:00-17:15</b>	<b>Coffee</b>	<b>Speakers</b> <b>Pauline Nestor</b> Senior Associate Dean and Associate Dean Research, Faculty of Arts, Monash University, AUS
<b>17:15-18:00</b>	<b>Final Plenary and Discussion</b> Conclusion and future directions for the national debate	<b>Carsten Dose</b> Managing Director, Freiburg Institute for Advanced Studies (FRIAS), University of Freiburg <b>Yehuda Elkana</b> Historian, Philosopher of Science; Former President and Rector, Central European University Budapest, HUN
<b>18:00-20:00</b>	<b>Reception &amp; Buffet</b>	<b>Simon Goldhill</b> Professor of Greek, Director of Cambridge Research Centre in Arts, Social Sciences and the Humanities, University of Cambridge, UK <b>Frank Kessel</b> Professor of Early Childhood Multicultural Education, University of New Mexico, USA