

16th Workshop on New Institutionalism in Organization Theory

University of Southern Denmark, Odense, March 5-6, 2020

We bid you a warm welcome in Odense on the picturesque island of Funen! We are looking forward to meeting institutionalist scholars from all over Europe and beyond, colleagues old and new, for two days of lively discussion and exchange.

Call for Papers

The 16th annual new institutionalism workshop (NIW) seeks to bring together kindred spirits from different disciplines, countries, and academic systems who share an interest in pushing forward theoretical and/or empirical frontiers of institutional research. The workshop is an open forum, a space for meeting and conversation in order to share innovative research ideas and approaches regarding new institutionalism. Following the tradition of NIW, it welcomes in particular papers in their early stage. We encourage work that brings forward novel topics, employs innovative methodology, and/or advances fresh perspectives of inquiry. Approaches that drift away from present mainstream themes will enhance and develop our understanding of institutions and institutional phenomena. We are especially keen to hear voices from literature that does not belong to the standard reference list of institutional theory, and/or to learn about scholarly endeavours that draw on work not available in English. Also, in line with the new institutionalism network's spirit, the workshop encourages collaboration, particularly among scholars drawing on or bridging different disciplines.

We look forward to receiving submissions by experienced academics, young scholars, and doctoral students alike, and to many enjoyable and fruitful discussions during the workshop. Participants are expected to be present throughout the workshop and actively contribute to the discussions.

For all inquiries, please contact: ew@sam.sdu.dk

Important Dates and Information

Decision on acceptance:

December 19, 2019

Venue:

University of Southern Denmark, Campusvej, 5230 Odense, Denmark

Conference fees:

Regular 2000 DKK excl. VAT; 2500 DKK incl. VAT

PhD 1400 DKK excl. VAT; 1750 DKK incl. VAT

Social dinner 392 DKK excl. VAT; 490 DKK incl. VAT

Registration

Online registration starting now **until 23 February 2020** through our

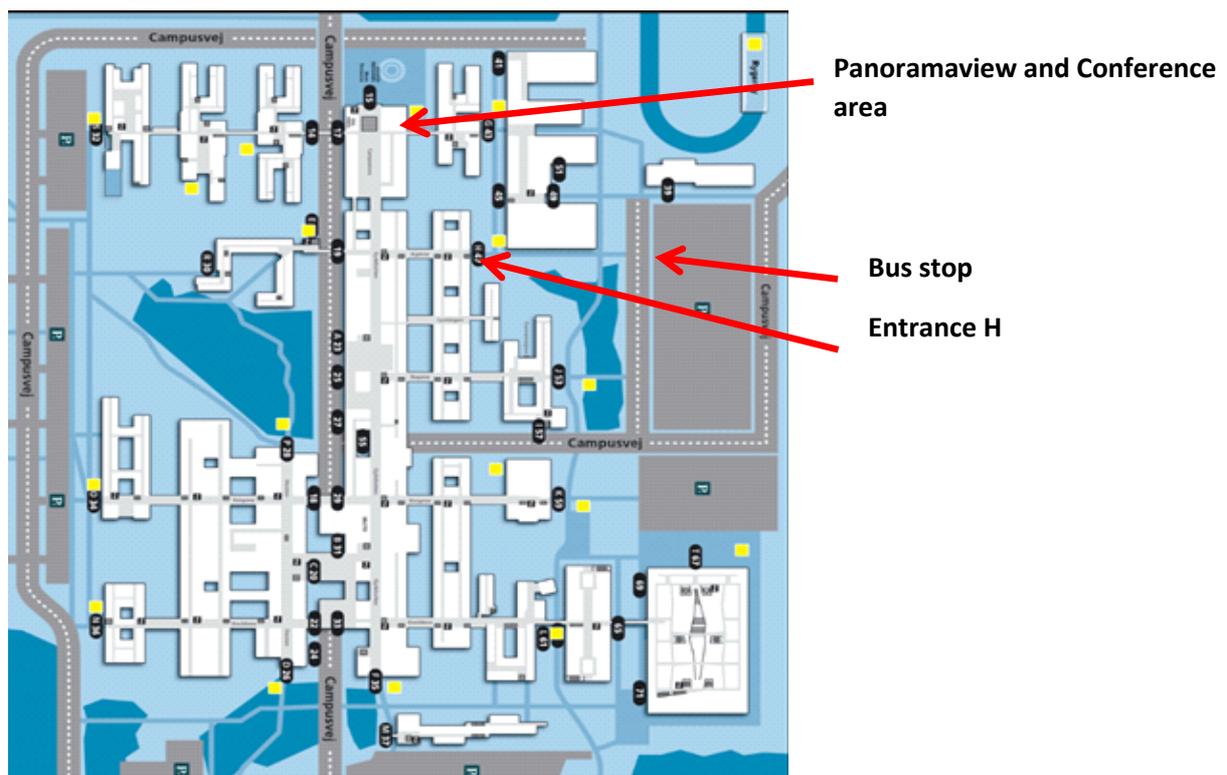
<https://www.newinstitutionalism.org/odense2020>

Practical information

Conference venue

Syddansk Universitet (University Of Southern Denmark)
Campusvej 55
5230 Odense
Denmark

The workshop takes place above the main entrance. If you arrive by bus, pass the swimming hall and enter the building through entrance H.



Accommodation

Please arrange your own accommodation. See <https://www.newinstitutionalism.org/odense2020> for a list of hotels in Odense. Please note that almost all of them are located in the City Centre, close

to our dinner location but a good distance from the conference venue. We recommend taking the bus (lines 41, 42 and 72 or the express bus no. 44 from the main station) to the university.

Travel

By plane

The best route is to fly to Copenhagen. Copenhagen Airport, the biggest airport in Denmark, is an international airport with many flights arriving from and departing to all regions of the world. For further information about the airport, go to [Copenhagen Airport](#).

There is also an airport in Billund (to the west of Odense, on Jutland) with a bus-train connection to Odense.

Trains to Odense

Trains depart from Copenhagen Airport. Some go directly to Odense some go to Copenhagen Central Station (København H) where it is necessary to change in order to go to Odense. All westbound trains from the airport stop at Copenhagen Central Station (eastbound trains go to Sweden, so check the direction carefully!). Tickets must be bought before boarding the train. Trains that run from Copenhagen Airport to Odense train station run more or less hourly; schedules are available and tickets can be bought at [Rejseplanen.dk](#). English and German versions are available. There are also ticket offices/vending machines at the airport and at train stations.

Odense has one main train station ("Odense St." or also called "Odense Banegård Center - OBC") which has connections to Copenhagen, Aarhus, and Flensburg (Germany).

Local transport in Odense

Buses, lines 41 - 44, run between Odense train station (OBC) and the university (SDU). If you've taken the train to Odense, you can use your train ticket as bus fare; otherwise it costs 24 DKK. You can also use an App ("[Rejseplanen](#)") to find routes if needed. Tickets must be purchased in the bus and by cash only. See [bus table](#) for additional information (English and German versions are available). Taxis cost about 150 DKK (about € 20). Taxis can be found at the station or booked by phone: +45 66 15 44 15 or +45 66 12 27 12.

At time of printing, road construction prevents access to the main campus entrance and buses instead drop passengers near the swimming hall. The bus stop areas and Entrance H are marked on the map (see next page).

Car

Highway E20 connects Europe with Odense.

Organizers

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