KIN Summer School Application Deadline - 14 April
This KIN Summer School is organized by the KIN Research Group of the VU University Amsterdam together with the Amsterdam Business Research Institute (ABRI), and will take place June 26 - June 29 at the Vrije Universiteit. During 4 intensive days participants and faculty will discuss research in the field of IT, Knowledge and Innovation. The teaching faculty consists of an international group of professors, known for their research in the field: Chrisanthi Avgerou (London School of Economics), Brian Pentland (MSU), Samer Faraj (McGill University, Canada), Paul Leonardi (University of California Santa Barbara), Marleen Huysman (KIN Research, VU University Amsterdam) and Hans Berends (KIN Research, VU University Amsterdam). For more information please click [here](#). The deadline for registration is April 14. As Amsterdam is getting very full by the time of the summerschool, we decided to have an earlier deadline so that we can attend.

Seminar Creative Industries - 19 April
On Wednesday 19 April 2017 between 14.00-18:00h in the Kerkzaal Floor van den Born organizes a seminar on research in the creative industries. This research seminar brings together several researchers working on business and management-related questions in the creative industries. The purpose is to exchange experiences, ideas, and (preliminary) research results.
For the program and abstracts please [download this document](#). If you are interested and you would like to attend, please send an email to f.vanden.born@vu.nl.
inform you already on April 18 if you are accepted to participate. Due to limited spaces we cannot accept every applicant for the programme.

**NEWS**

**Raymond Gradus appointed as new chairman of the Boards of financial supervision**

As per July 1, 2017, the Council of Ministers of the Kingdom has appointed professor Raymond Gradus as the new Chairman of the Boards of financial supervision: (Cft): Cft Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba and Cft Curaçao and Sint Maarten and the Board of financial supervision Aruba (CAft)

The Boards of financial supervision are aimed at achieving the common goal of all governments within the Kingdom of the Netherlands: realizing sustainable public financial management.

With regard to its work processes, the independence, professionalism and transparency of Cft are its core values. Through these values the Boards are seeking to make a positive contribution to good governance, prosperity and welfare of the people of Aruba, Curaçao, Sint Maarten, Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba.

Raymond Gradus succeeds prof. dr. A.F.P Bakker, who was Chairman as of December 1, 2011.

**Workshop on the “Microfoundations of Institutions” was a great success**

On April 6-7, 2017, the research network “Microfoundations of Institutions”, sponsored by the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG) and co-organized by Patrick Haack (HEC Lausanne), Jost Sieweke (VU Amsterdam), and Lauri Wessel (FU Berlin), held its first workshop at the VU Amsterdam.

Fifteen researchers from Germany, Austria, Switzerland and the Netherlands participated in workshop and explored ways to develop the cognitive perspective on the microfoundations of institutions. Key note speeches by Stine Grodal (Boston University) and Joep Cornelissen (Erasmus University Rotterdam) provided important insights into the topic. The network will continue its activities and will organize a workshop in Berlin (Germany) in October 2017, which will focus on the behavioral perspective on the microfoundations of institutions.
EVENT OVERVIEW SPRING 2017

May 2 | 12:00 – 13:30 | HG-06A37
ABRI Lunch Seminar | Mikkel Flyverbom | Through the digital prism: Transparency and managed visibilities in a datafied world | Register here

May 4 | 10:30 | Bellevue OH-20
Seminar | Boukje Cnossen | The Role of Space in the Emergence and Endurance of Organizational Practices | Register here

May 8 | 13:15 – 17:30 | Vrije Universiteit
SERVUS Symposium | Servant-Leadership and Societal Engagement | Register here

May 9 | 16:00 | 1A-36
ABRI PhD Research Seminar | Christine Fong | Job crafting on team setting

May 10 | 13:00 – 17:00 | Radboud University Nijmegen
Technology & Innovation Community Meeting | Register here

May 11 | 12:30 – 13:30 | Pantry 4th floor
Book presentation | Onno Bouwmeester | The Social Construction of Rationality: Policy Debates and the Power of Good Reasons

May 19 | 12:00 – 13:30 | TBA
ABRI Lunch Seminar | Aljona Zorina | Transformative Technology Tools and External Dynamics in Innovating User Communities

May 23 | 13:30 – 15:30 | HG-05A16
ABRI Seminar | Ola Henfridsson

May 29 | 11:00 – 13:30 | Agora 4
Seminar Entrepreneurial University | Dr. Ulla Hytti, Dr. Joris Ebbers and Dr. Mirjam Leloux

June 1 | 13:00 – 15:00 | TBA
M&O Research Workshop | Framing your research question

June 8 | TBA | 9:15 – 17:30
SERVUS Masterclass | The Gentle Art of Helping | Register here

June 13 | 16:00 – 17:00 | 2A-16
ABRI PhD Seminar | Simon Twaalfhoven | Exploring project management through collaborative research

June 13 | 17:00 | Tuinzaal
ABRI Barbecue

June 14 | 11:45 | Aula
PhD Defence Montserrat Prats López | Managing Citizen Science in the Humanities: The challenge of ensuring quality

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