

**21<sup>st</sup> IFPSM SUMMER SCHOOL ON PURCHASING AND SUPPLY RESEARCH  
HOSTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE AND NEVI**

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

**Dates:** 20-24 June 2016

**Location:** University of Twente, Enschede, Netherlands

**Hosts:** Prof. Dr. Holger Schiele and Prof. Dr. Jan Telgen of the University of Twente

**Registration fee:** EUR 700 +VAT

The registration fee includes lodging and dining during 5 nights and all materials

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**Objectives**

The IFPSM Summer School is organized with the aim to provide an opportunity for intensive interaction of PhD students from all around the world with some of the leading professors in the field. In order to achieve this the number of participants is limited (usually around 12) and a specific setting is chosen with lots of interaction possibilities.

Participation in the Summer School is most beneficial for students who developed their research plan and/or have their first paper, but can still change something and take advice to improve it. Alternatively, the summer school can also be a chance to discuss the best presentation of findings when reaching the end of the research.

**The summer school is a combination of:**

- lectures by the professors: providing an overview on specific purchasing and supply topics and the state of the art on that subject;
- presentations by the students: presenting their research and receiving feedback;
- joint work on a practical problem: teams of students from different backgrounds are given the task of answering a practical question and presenting their work at the end of the week to the CPO that posed the question.



### The Summer School aims to:

- assist participants in their own PhD research;
- provide an overview of broader purchasing and supply research;
- provide a forum for talented young scholars for exchanging ideas and establishing a research network;
- create a joint working experience with international colleagues.



### Eligible candidates are

- enrolled PhD, postgraduate students of an accredited institute of higher education;
- in the phase of writing a dissertation on purchasing or a closely related area;
- fluent in English;

### Program

The professional program starting on 20 June, 2016, will consist of presentations and discussions on several subjects, amongst them Public Procurement, Sustainable Procurement, Electronic Procurement and Innovation through Procurement. The workload is equivalent to 5 ECTS.

### Confirmed speakers are:

Prof. Dr. Wendy Tate, University of Tennessee, Knoxville (host of the IPSERA conference 2019)

Prof. Dr. Constantin Blome, University of Sussex, Brighton

Prof. Dr. Lydia Bals, UAS Mainz

Prof. Dr. Holger Schiele, University of Twente

Prof. Dr. Jan Telgen, University of Twente

Prof. Dr. Nicola Dimitri, University of Siena

### Bursaries Available

IPSERA takes the support of young academic talent very seriously. We are pleased to assist PhD students across the globe in their research. Therefore, IPSERA has decided to **offer multiple bursaries to PhD student to attend the 21<sup>st</sup> IFPSM summer school** hosted in Twente from 20 to 24 June 2016. You can download the bursary application form from the IPSERA website following this link (<http://www.ipsera.com/page-1737640>). Please send your

application to [Kai.Foerstl@ggs.de](mailto:Kai.Foerstl@ggs.de) as soon as possible and *not later than May 30th 2016 at noon GMT*.

A special Volkswagen bursary for applicants from South Africa, Indonesia or Brazil is available, too. Please contact [h.schiele@utwente.nl](mailto:h.schiele@utwente.nl) for details.

### The Venue

University of Twente, Enschede, Netherlands.

<https://www.utwente.nl/bms/utips/IFPSM%20Summerschool/> and [www.utwente.nl/en](http://www.utwente.nl/en).



If you wish to find out more or enrol on the Summer School please contact and send your application to the School Secretariat Jan Roddeman email: [j.roddeman@nevi.nl](mailto:j.roddeman@nevi.nl)

