



(AC)³ Kick-off Meeting

May 30th – June 1st, 2016

Kloster Nimbschen near Grimma

Agenda

MONDAY, 30 May (Kulturscheune)

12:00 - 13:00 *Check-In and Snack*

13:00 – 13:30 Welcome and Introduction to (AC)³: *Manfred Wendisch*

13:30 – 15:00 General Meeting: *Manfred Wendisch*

- Presentation, discussion, and adaption of the Bylaws of the Transregional Collaborative Centre SFB/TR 172 (Manfred Wendisch)
- Election of official bodies of SFB/TR 172
 - o Speaker,
 - o Deputy speakers,
 - o Scientific coordinator
 - o Corresponding members, and
 - o Directorate
 - Speaker,
 - 2 deputy speaker,
 - Scientific coordinator,
 - 3 members of SFB/TR 172, and
 - 1 representative of scientific collaborators.
- Scientific Steering Team (SST)
- Scientific Advisory Board, SAB (suggestions will be discussed)

15:00 – 15:30 *Coffee*

15:30 – 17:00 Central Services: *Marlen Brückner*

- Management and coordination
- Communication and exchange
 - o Monthly Video Conferences of SST
 - o Biannual General Assembly
 - o Annual Science Conferences
 - o Topical Workshops

- Training
 - o Graduate Schools
 - o Soft skills
 - o PhD prizes
 - o Visiting fellowships
 - o Travel support program
 - o Internships
 - o Master programme
- Promotion of gender equality (Gender board)
- Outreach
- Web page

17:00 – 17:30 *Coffee*

17:30 – 18:30 Miscellaneous: *Marlen Brückner*

- Status of staffing
- Financial planning
- Art and (AC)³ - *Annette Rinke*

19:00 *Dinner*

21:00 (AC)³ sports event 1: Bowling competition

TUESDAY, 31 May (Kulturscheune)

08:30 – 09:30 Cluster A: *C. Lüpkes + Team*

09:30– 10:00 *Coffee*

10:00 – 12:00 Cluster B: *A. Macke, J. Notholt + Team*

12:00 – 13:00 Group photos

13:00 – 14:00 *Lunch*

14:00 – 15:00 Cluster C: *J. P. Burrows + Team*

15:00 – 16:00 Cluster D: *A. Rinke + Team*

16:00 – 16:30 *Coffee*

16:30 – 18:00 Cluster E & INF: *S. Crewell + Team*

19:00 (AC)³ sports event 2: Fun relay run (*Annette Rinke*)

20:00 *Barbecue*

WEDNESDAY, 1 June (Kulturscheune)

08:30 – 10:00 Campaign planning:

- ACLOUD: *A. Ehrlich & C. Lüpkes*
- PASCAL: *A. Macke*
- ABEX: *H. Siebert*
- Ny-Ålesund Activities (*K. Ebell, M. Maturilli, J. Notholt, M. Palm*)
- Accompanying modeling: *A. Rinke, J. Quaas, R. Neggers*

10:00 – 10:30 A possible contribution to $(AC)^3$: *Stefan Kneifel*

10:30 – 11:00 *Coffee*

11:00 – 12:30 Upcoming milestones: *Manfred Wendisch*

- General Assembly: December 1-2, 2016 in Potsdam
- 1st Scientific Conference of $(AC)^3$: March/April 2017
- ACLOUD/PASCAL/ABEX: May—June 2017

12:30–13:30 *Lunch*

14:00 Departure

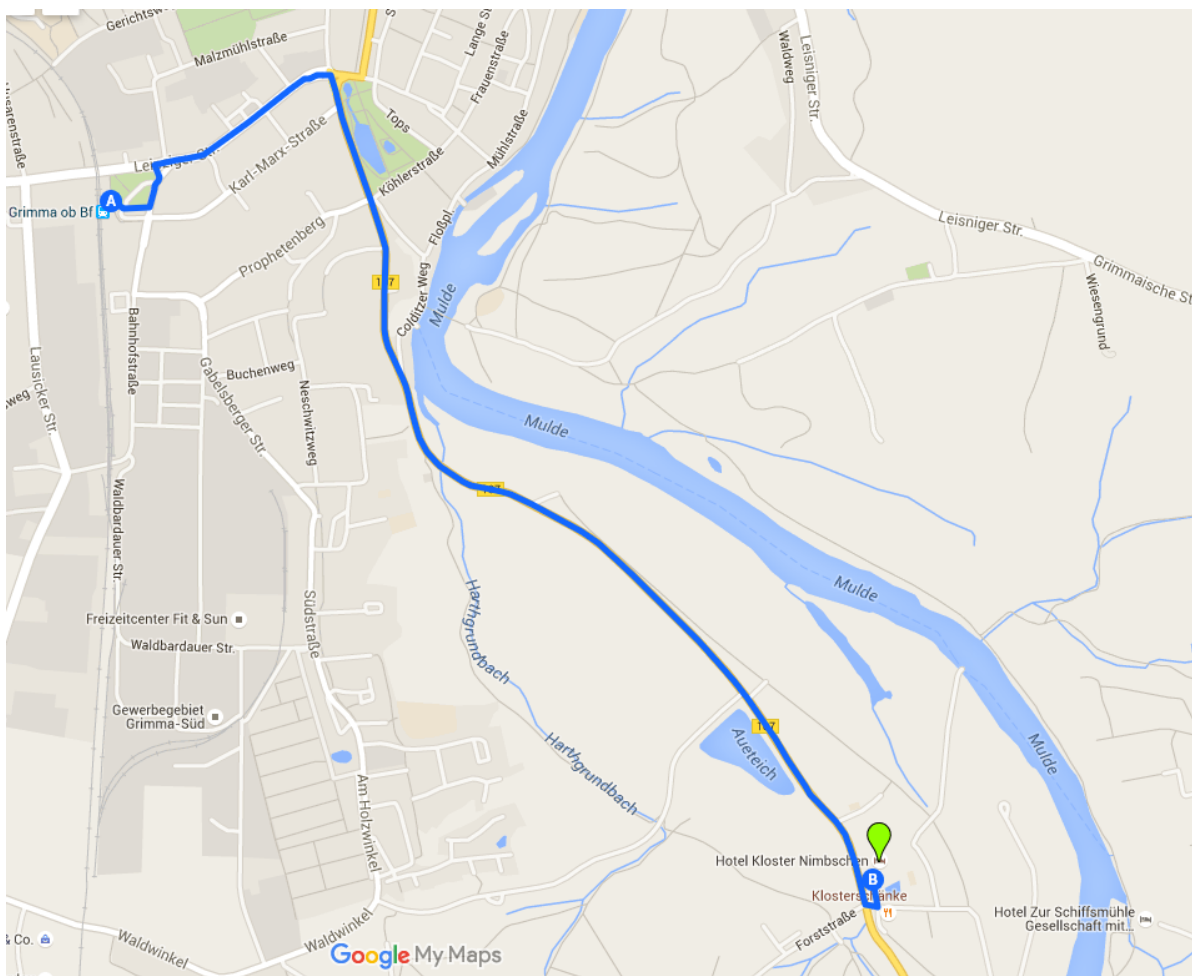
Notes for the speakers:

- PIs are encouraged to let their PhDs and Postdocs present, if this is already possible.
- Present the science questions and aims of your project, and explain how it contributes to $(AC)^3$ and collaborates with other projects
- Briefly present your results if you already have some.

How to get to Nimbschen?

The (AC)³ Kick-off meeting will take place at the **Kloster Nimbschen** near Grimma (<http://www.kloster-nimbschen.de/>). The hotel is located 3,5 km away from the train station in Grimma (see map). We will organize transfer shuttles from the train station to the hotel if we know your arrival time until 25 May 2016.

Address: Hotel Kloster Nimbschen GmbH
Nimbschener Landstraße 1
04668 Grimma
Phone: +49(0)3437 / 995-0



Arrival:

- If you come **by train**, the trip lasts:
 - About 6h30 from Bremerhaven (3 connections in Bremen, Hamburg, Leipzig)
 - About 5h20 from Bremen (2 connections in Hamburg, Leipzig)
 - About 5h40 from Köln (2 connections in Frankfurt, Leipzig)
 - About 2h40 from Potsdam (2 connections in Berlin, Leipzig)
 - About 30 min from Leipzig (each hour)

- If you come **by car**, there are enough parking facilities in front of the hotel
- If you come by plane, the easiest way is to land at Leipzig/Halle Airport and take the train to Grimma (1h15). For further information please see <http://reiseauskunft.bahn.de/bin/query.exe/>
- If you come **by bike**, there is a nice cycle track crossing Liebertwolkwitz, Großpösna, Naunhof and Parthenstein. Overall it is about 33 km from Leipzig city center. You can also take your bike on regional trains.