

German Conference Series, 2009

Mitigating Endemic Democratic Problems, 2009.

2000 places for delegates are available; the deadline for abstract submission is September 1, 2009, with the deadline for article submission October 1, 2009. If you think you have a way to improve any aspect of Germany, this conference is for you. Your paper -directed to a section, perhaps a German ministry of government or other - (if accepted) will have its main points published in a book chapter. The goal of the conference is to provide the German government and civil society with **practical (meaning realistic, immediately feasible) prescriptions** for their improvement. Lists of all sections are provided at the end of this document. After the conference is finished, each section's body of work will be distributed to the appropriate government ministry, public libraries, major media bodies, larger NGOs of Germany, and larger university bodies. All sections will then be published into a volume(s) by a local university press and be available for purchase worldwide. This dispersion of practical and realizable information may improve Germany.

November 1-4, 2009, will host MEDP's German Conference Series to improve German government and society. All German government ministries will go under scrutiny (a list of them is available at the bottom of the page), as well as seven endemic problems with democracy which MEDP has identified, along with two auxiliary committees (chaired by technical school professors and exceptional post-graduate engineering students to make technical recommendations) and a specialist committee (chaired by specialists in German government, society, and/or economy, to make in-depth specialist recommendations).

All university students, academic staff, professionals, or members of the general public with either (a) relevant work experience, (b) relevant university degrees, or (c) an excellent paper are welcome to submit abstracts or articles for our conferences. University, technical school, and high school students, as well as general population are eligible to participate as audience bodies.

University professors, doctorate holders, or senior professionals (at least 10 years of experience) vested in German democracy, who specialize in German government, society, and/or economy are asked to present abstracts for the **specialist committee**.

The benefits of participating in this conference series are:

- 1) Sparking discussion and awareness of practical improvements may increase the German human condition.
- 2) You and your institution gain a conference proceedings publication, first class book chapter publication, and possibly a peer-reviewed journal article publication in MEDP's annual journal, *The International Abridgment of Democratic Improvement*.
- 3) Valuable discussion, networking, and the strengthening of civil society.

If you are aware of any persons (students, colleagues, friends, etc.) which may be interested in this interdisciplinary conference series, please forward this email. Below are the sections for the German Conference Series currently accepting abstracts and/or papers.

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German Ministries and Other Sections

[Federal Foreign Minister](#)

[Federal Minister for Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety](#)

[Federal Minister of Economics and Technology Michael Glos](#) 2005 [CSU](#)

[Federal Minister of Defence](#)

[Federal Minister for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth](#)

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Transparency in German Government?

Corruption in German Government?

Accountability in German Government?

Long-Term Goals, why don't German citizens agree with the government on long term goals for Germany?

Representation, are there flaws in this system?

Campaigning Methods, are elections equal for all runners?

Constitution, does it reflect Germany's pluralist society?

2

Auxiliary Committees - Are there areas of German technology, technical economy, agriculture, etc., that need improvement? How?

Specialist Committee - What are the most immediate pressing matters for improvement in Germany?

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