



Information for speakers

Talks

For your orientation, we'd ask you to **present for about 40 minutes** in your talk. PowerPoint 2007 (downward compatibility included) and Open Office 2.3 will be available, as well as a laptop (Windows XP professional), beamer, presenter tool, and pointer. Of course, you may also use your own laptop. If you prefer your Mac, please remember to bring a VGA-adapter.

Discussions

To enhance an integrative discourse, we would like to put a special focus on discussion time. Therefore – implicating several organizational and content related constraints – we formed topical blocks. Each block consists of two talks, each followed by a brief discussion for immediate questions, and one large discussion for integrating the new information within the overall context. Although we entered tentative times into the program (please note the attached – preliminary – plot), we'd like to keep the internal structure of each block somewhat flexible, and go along with the emerging dynamics of interaction.

We'll ask our students to prepare the discussions. Therefore, **we'd appreciate, if you could send us suggestions for literature, or other materials**, they should use in order to supplement to your talk. Additionally, they will try to fit this information with the other speaker's topic, and the overall agenda of the graduate schools. Please note that current titles are solely for your orientation, and will be replaced by the title's you choose, as soon, as make them known to us. Please also note that discussion titles may still be subject to change.

Workshop Format

In addition, we'd like to enhance creative approaches towards the workshop format. Therefore, please note, that our students may approach you with additional or alternative suggestions. This flyer is only a template to suggest a standard format.

