

## 1st INTERNATIONAL NEPS USER CONFERENCE

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- Conference Venue:** Leibniz Institute for Educational Trajectories (LifBi)  
Wilhelmsplatz 3, 96047 Bamberg, Germany
- Abstract Submission:** Please submit your abstract of up to 300 words for a paper or poster presentation no later than **May 1, 2016** by e-mail to: [neps-conference2016@lifbi.de](mailto:neps-conference2016@lifbi.de)
- All proposals pass through a review process. The authors will receive a notification of acceptance by the end of May.
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- Financing:** All participants are asked to pay a conference fee of 50 EUR and to cover their own travel/accommodation costs. A partial reimbursement of expenses may be possible on request.
- Local Organizers:** Dr. Daniel Fuß, Eva Akins
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