

# NIG Annual Work Conference 2017

## CALL FOR PAPERS

**On Thursday 9 and Friday 10 November 2017, the Netherlands Institute of Governance will hold its NIG Annual Work Conference in Maastricht.**

There are **15 panels** open for paper presentations and discussion.

[Panel 1](#): Behavioural Public Administration, Understanding of individuals in the public domain  
Chaired by: Rosanna Nagtegaal, MSc (Utrecht University), Robin Bouwman, MSc (Radboud University), Dr. Peter Kruyen (Radboud University), Dr. Stephan Grimmelikhuijsen (Utrecht University)

[Panel 2](#): Understanding Successful Public Governance  
Chaired by: Dr. Lieske van der Torre (Utrecht University), Dr. Bert George (Erasmus University Rotterdam), Dr. Scott Douglas (Utrecht University)

[Panel 3](#): Ethnography in Public Administration  
Chaired by: Dr. Thomas Schillemans (Utrecht University), Dr. Merlijn van Hulst (Tilburg University), Olga Verschuren, MSc (Utrecht University), Lianne Visser, MSc (Radboud University Nijmegen)

[Panel 4](#): Challenges in Teaching and Learning European Studies, International Relations, Political Science and Public Administration  
Chaired by: Dr. Patrick Bijsmans (Maastricht University), Dr. Dorothy Duchatelet (University of Antwerp), Dr. Arjan Schakel (Maastricht University)

[Panel 5](#): Public and Political Leadership (PUPOL): Innovating leadership research in the public and political domains and beyond  
Chaired by: Dr. Sabina Stiller (AIAS/University of Amsterdam), Marij Swinkels, MA (Utrecht University)

[Panel 6](#): Governance capacity: the capacities needed to govern a complex society  
Chaired by: Jitske van Popering-Verkerk, MSc (Erasmus University Rotterdam), Joachim Vandergraesen, MSc (University of Antwerp), Tom Langbroek, MSc (University of Antwerp), Dr. Astrid Molenveld (Erasmus University Rotterdam/University of Antwerp), Prof. Dr. Koen Verhoest (University of Antwerp)

[Panel 7](#): Understanding negotiations in the European Union  
Chaired by: Prof. Dr. Gijs Jan Brandsma (Utrecht University), Dr. Santino Lo Bianco (The Hague Univ. of Applied Science), Alexander Hoppe, MSc, MA (Utrecht University), Dr. Rik de Ruiter (Leiden University), Prof. Dr. Esther Versluis (Maastricht University)

[Panel 8](#): Public Management Reform: Cutback Management and Innovation within Public Organizations  
Chaired by: Eduard Schmidt, MSc (Leiden University), Dr. Joris van der Voet (Leiden University), Tom Overmans, MA (Utrecht University), Dr. Jan Wynen (University of Antwerp)

[Panel 9](#): Towards a design oriented Public Administration

Chaired by: Prof. Dr. Arwin van Buuren (Erasmus University Rotterdam), Dr. Rianne Dekker (Utrecht University), William Voorberg, MSc (Erasmus University Rotterdam), Margot Hermus, MSc (Erasmus University Rotterdam)

[Panel 10](#): Governance in the data revolution

Chaired by: Dr. Haiko van der Voort (Delft University of Technology), Dr. Bram Klievink ((Delft University of Technology), Prof. Dr. Albert Meijer (Utrecht University)

[Panel 11](#): Coproduction of Public Services

Chaired by: Prof. Dr. Taco Brandsen (Radboud University), Dr. Marlies Honingh (Radboud University), Prof. Dr. Albert Meijer (Utrecht University), Prof. Dr. Trui Steen (KU Leuven), Prof. Dr. Bram Verschuere (University of Ghent)

[Panel 12](#): Local reform: barriers and building blocks

Chaired by: Prof. Dr. Marcel Boogers (University of Twente), Prof. Dr. Herwig Reynaert (Ghent University)

[Panel 13](#): Energy and Climate Governance

Chaired by: Dr. Thomas Hoppe (Delft University of Technology), Dr. Frans Coenen (University of Twente), Prof. Dr. Michiel Heldeweg (University of Twente), Anna Butenko MA, (Tilburg University/ University of Amsterdam)

[Panel 14](#): Administrative Reform in Central and Eastern Europe: governance and politics

Chaired by: Dr. Veronica Junjan (University of Twente), Dr. Giselle Bosse (Maastricht University)

[Panel 15](#): Referendum practices at home and abroad

Chaired by: Dr. Martin Rosema (University of Twente), Koen van der Krieken, MSc, MA (Tilburg University)

**For the full descriptions of the panels themes, please visit the NIG website.**

Panels need to attract at least three papers; in case of a lower number of papers, panels can be merged.

#### **Abstract submission**

- Abstracts can only be submitted (in a Word or PDF format) **online** via the NIG website.
- Abstract text must not exceed **800 words**.
- The abstract should mention your name, affiliation and address information, and the panel in which you would like to present your paper.
- The abstract submission deadline is **Friday, September 1, 2017**.