

**LEHRSTUHL FÜR STEUERUNG INNOVATIVER
UND KOMPLEXER TECHNISCHER SYSTEME
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Education Program SS 2018

Seminar: **Why Things Are Complex: An Introduction to the Complexity of Governance**

Room: F21/03.79 // KÄ7/01.09

Time: Tuesday, April 10th, 10-12h c.t. //

Friday, April 20th, 9-16.30h s.t.;

Saturday, April 21st, 9-12.30h s.t.

Friday, April 27th, 9-16.30h s.t.;

Saturday, April 28th, 9-14.30h s.t.

Start: April 10th 2018

Short Description:

Why should political scientists (or social scientists in general) be interested in technology? In this seminar, you will learn that society and technology are not separate worlds. Just think of nuclear energy, genetically modified organisms or autonomous driving: Technology creates both opportunities and challenges for societies that these need to address in ways that arguably extend the capacity of classic bureaucracies. By discussing these socio-technological interactions, this course provides a panorama of the persistent issues in governance of complex technological systems.

Notes:

The seminar will be taught in English.

Registration:

Via FlexNow! From March 1st until April 19th 2018 or during the first lesson.

Office hours:

Wednesday, 14-16 h and by arrangement

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