





# **SEMINAR PROGRAMME**

Gdańsk University of Technology - Entrepreneurial University of XXI Century GUT Main Building Hall, 24-26 May, 2010, Gdańsk

# Monday, May 24, 2010

- 9:00-10:00 Registration of participants, coffee
- 10:00-10:30 Opening speech: Henryk Krawczyk, Rector of The Gdańsk University of Technology Greetings by invited guests
- 10:30-11:10 Keynote address: The National Innovation Imperative: the Role of the 21st Century University, Charles Wessner, Director, Technology, Innovation & Entrepreneurship, The National Academies, Washington, USA
- 11:10-11:40 Discussion
- 11:45-13:00 Poster session of the InnoDoktorant project

# Tuesday, May 25, 2010

- 8:30-9:00 Registration of participants, coffee
- 9:00-9:45 Keynote address: The Utah Science and Technology Research Initiative - USTAR, Jan D. Miller, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, USA

#### Panel I: Gdańsk University of Technology in Pomeranian Clusters

9:45-11:15 Introduction: Tomasz Brodzicki, Institute for Development, University of Gdańsk Moderator: Marita Koszarek, BSR Expertise Panel members:

> Maciej Dzierżanowski, The Gdańsk Institute for Market Economics Jan Kiciński, Eco-energetical Cluster, Polish Academy of Sciences Ewa Klugmann-Radziemska, BioEcoChem Cluster, GUT Krzysztof Nyka, Pomeranian ICT Cluster, GUT

Andrzej Pawlak, Lawrence Technological University, USA Włodzimierz Szordykowski, Office of the Marshal of Pomorskie Voivodeship

11:15-11:45 Coffee break, viewing of posters of the InnoDoktorant project

# Panel II: Alumni create the university image

11:45-13:15 Introduction: Piotr Moncarz, Stanford University, USA Moderator: Georgis Bogdanis, GUT Business Club Panel members:

> Andrzej Czyżewski, Faculty of Electronics, Telecommunications and Informatics, GUT

Damian Derebecki, RoboNET Sp. z o.o.

Waldemar Kucharski, Young Digital Planet S.A. Zbigniew Niedziółka, Safe Engineering Services

Edmund Wittbrodt, The Senate of the Republic of Poland Jan Zarebski, GUT Alumni Association

13:15-13:45 Coffee break, viewing of posters of the InnoDoktorant project

#### Panel III: Young researchers as the driving force of innovations

13:45-15:15 Introduction: Łukasz Osowski, IVO Software Sp. z o.o.

Moderator: Aneta Michałkiewicz, Foundation for Polish Science

Panel members:

Maciej Grabski, Business Angel Seedfund

Justyna Gromadzka, Doctoral Studies, Chemical Faculty, GUT

Marek Kasicki, Pomerania Development Agency

Zbigniew Krzemiński, Electrical and Control Engineering Faculty, GUT Izabela Mirotta-Murawska, Office of the Marshal of Pomorskie Voivodship Radosław Miszewski. Board of European Students of Technology (BEST)

15:15-16:00 Snack-bar

# Wednesday, 26 May, 2010

8:30-9:00 Registration of participants, coffee

Session: Companies of the GUT alumni in the economy
- the common development challenges
organized by GUT Business Club PKB+

9:00-9:10 Opening of the session: Jan Zarębski, GUT Alumni Association

9:10-9:20 Opening speech: Jan Hupka, Vice-Rector of The Gdańsk University of Technology

9:20-9:30 Small and medium companies of the GUT alumni

9:30-11:00 Leading firms presentations by their owners/executive directors

Jan Zarębski: Lonza - NATA S.J.

Bogdan Jakusz: "Jakusz" Sytemy Zabezpieczeń Bankowych

Marek Kamiński: Sprint Sp. z o.o.

Waldemar Kucharski: Young Digital Planet S.A.

Zbigniew Borkowski: Infracorr Sp. z o.o. Andrzej Gawrychowski: Alunord Sp. z o.o.

Jacek Kajut: Vector Sp. z o.o. Fido intelligence Sp. z o.o.

DGT Sp. z o.o.

11:00-11:10 BEST (Board of European Students of Technology) - presents itself

11:10-11:40 Manifesto of the GUT alumni to regional government and university authorities

11:40-11:45 Closing of the session: Jan Zarębski, GUT Alumni Association

12:00-12:30 **Seminar summing up** 

Jan Hupka, Vice-Rector of The Gdańsk University of Technology

12:30-13:30 Lunch