We cordially invite you to:

**Mini-conference on Digital State Capacities**

*The bugs and fixes of Governance 2.0*

**March 20th** 2018,  
8.45 – 18 hs. Room 3.32  
Hertie School of Governance  
Friedrichstraße 180 · 10117 Berlin

*Room capacity is limited, pre-registration is required for non-presenters.*

**Agenda**

- Registration, 8.45 – 9
- Welcome and introduction, 9 – 9,15.

**Luciana Cingolani**, Assistant Professor of Public Administration, Hertie School of Governance.

- Panel 1, 9,15 – 10,45. *Open collaboration and the future of public sector innovation. Chair: Kai Wegrich, Hertie School.*

**Basanta Thapa**, University of Potsdam & Tallinn University of Technology, “Exploring Types, Motivations and Barriers of Open Data Developers in the Berlin Open Government Data Ecosystem”

**Tuomas Tiihonen**, University of Helsinki, “Radical openness as a driver of public sector innovation”
**Maike Rackwitz & Andrea Costa**, Hertie School of Governance. “It takes 2.0 to tango: Exploring the transformation into collaborative governments in the digital age.”

10,45 – 11 – Coffee break

- **Panel 2: 11 – 12,15. Artificial intelligence, automated regulation and data protection. Chair: Daniela Stockmann, Hertie School.**

**Julia Musitz**, University of Duisburg-Essen “Digital State(s) of China: State-Society Relations Connected by Automated Regulation”

**Jiangtian Xu**, University of East Anglia “Is EU New Hegemon of International Digital Politics? Game Theory Analysis of EU’s Passenger Name Records Policy”

12,15 – 13,15 - Lunch break -

- **Panel 3: 13,15 – 14,45. Disruptive technologies and the public governance of cybersecurity. Chair: Luciana Cingolani, Hertie School.**

**Niklas Kossow** and **Victoria Dykes**, Hertie School of Governance. “Beyond the Hype: A typology of distributed ledger technology in the field of public administration”

Karel Harms, Rijksuniversiteit Groningen (RUG). An Exploratory Research into the Dutch Responsible Disclosure Policy in Practice

14,45 – 15 – Coffee break


Nicholas Sorak, QoG, University of Gothenburg. “Internet Freedom and Corruption: How online censorship disrupts the fight against corruption”.

Paola Pochmann, Federal University of Santa Maria and Federal Revenue of Brazil. “Proposal for Logistics Improvement in Tax Exemption Proceedings”.

16,15 – 16,30 – Coffee break

- Open Roundtable Discussion: 16,30 – 18,00 hs. An Agenda on Emerging Issues in Digital Governance

Introduction: Daniela Stockmann
Discussants: Daniela Stockmann, Kai Wegrich, Andrea Römmele, Thomas Losse-Müller, Luciana Cingolani, (Hertie School of Governance) and Franz von Weizsaecker (GIZ).

Workshop speakers and participants are encouraged to take part in this roundtable discussion on the emerging topics around digital challenges facing societies today, and the role that governments and institutions should take in shaping these processes.