



Lean in the Public Sector Conference - December 9 - 11, 2009 - KIT, Karlsruhe, Germany

# International Conference Lean in the Public Sector (LIPS)

**America and Australia meet Europe**

## **Emphasis and goals:**

### **Lean Construction - Integrated Form of Agreement - Alliancing**

- Understand the methods
- Understand new contract models
- Learn from examples
- Exchange international experience

### **Lean Construction**

is the application of lean production and lean thinking to the construction environment. Eliminating waste, creating a steady flow of information and production, maximizing value are the core principles. Methods and new forms of contracting have been developed for construction. During day one of the congress these methods will be presented in the seminar "Introduction to Lean".

### **Integrated Form of Agreement - IFOA**

is a relational contract, which was developed in the USA to support the Lean Project Delivery System. Today the IFOA is used at several projects, mostly for hospital buildings in the private building sector. The IFOA strengthens relationships between project participants and encourages cooperation with the main objective of strengthening the project as a whole.

### **Alliancing**

is a cooperation model and contractual agreement to gather all partners and stakeholders in the project at an early stage with the purpose to optimize the project and to level interests. The Australian public clients do not want anything else, if large and complex projects are at hand - a success story. Day two of the event will outline principles and instruments of alliancing. The project examples are from the public sector/infrastructure.

### **Target Group**

The event will gather clients and project managers, designers and planners, and construction firms. It addresses innovative lawyers and consultants, who - instead of helping to put up/defend claims and disputes - are interested and able to forge alliances. Participants will learn about the newest methods of Lean and Alliancing. They will learn from exemplary projects. They will be part of the world wide progress.



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## Agenda

The congress language will be English. Simultaneous translation into German will be offered on day one and two.

### 09.12.2009: Introduction to Lean Construction

- Seminar by [Gregory Howell](#) and [Glenn Ballard](#)

[Description seminar "Introduction to Lean"](#)

### 10.12.2009: New contract models

- Alliancing: Seminar by [Jim Ross](#)
- Integrated Form of Agreement: Seminar by William Lichtig and David Long
- Discussion (panel) on IFOA and Alliancing
- Conference dinner: Dinner speech by [Joachim Knuf](#)

[Description seminar "New contract models"](#)

### 11.12.2009: Workshop "Lean in the Public Sector" - LIPS

- Presentation of implementation of lean and new contract models in the public construction sector from USA, UK, Australia, Germany, and Scandinavia. The projects will be presented by persons directly involved in the management of the projects.

## Conference Location

AkademieHotel Karlsruhe

Am Rueppurrer Schloss 40  
76199 Karlsruhe (Rueppurr)  
Germany

[www.akademie-karlsruhe.de](http://www.akademie-karlsruhe.de)

See the location on [Google-Maps](#)



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## Accommodation

**Please make your own hotel booking. The conference hotel offers very economical and functional single rooms.**

### Conference Hotel - AkademieHotel Karlsruhe

Price: Single room 71,40,-€ with breakfast incl. VAT

Use Catchword "LIPS" to receive the price mentioned above. This offer by the conference hotel is only valid until November 05, 2009.

Only booking is not available, but you can book via

- Email at [hotel@bwgv-akademie.de](mailto:hotel@bwgv-akademie.de)
- Fax at +49 721 98 98 - 4 28
- Phone at +49 721 98 98 - 0

**If you prefer a twin room or to stay in a different hotel you may choose from:**

### [Best Western Queens Hotel Karlsruhe](#)

Use Catchword: LIPS

Price: Single room 100,-€ Twin room 110,-€ with breakfast incl. VAT

Deadline: 17.11.2009

[To get the conference discount for the Best Western Queens Hotel use this link to book](#)

### [Novotel Karlsruhe City](#)

Use Catchword: LIPS

Price: Single room 108,-€ Twin room 152,-€ with breakfast incl. VAT

Deadline: 10.11.2009

[To get the conference discount for the Novotel Karlsruhe City use this link to book](#)



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## Booking Options

<b>3 Day Package</b> incl. lunch for 3 days and conference dinner on day 2	1.200,00 Euro
<b>3 Day Package</b> incl. lunch for 3 days and conference dinner on day 2	1.100,00 Euro
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For participants from the public sector</li> </ul>	
<b>Day 1: 09.12.2009:</b> Introduction to Lean Construction incl. lunch	540,00 Euro
<b>Day 2: 10.12.2009:</b> New contract models incl. lunch	540,00 Euro
<b>Day 2: 10.12.2009:</b> Conference Dinner incl. lunch	50,00 Euro
<b>Day 3: 11.12.2009:</b> Workshop Lean in the Public Sector incl. lunch	540,00 Euro

VAT will not be charged for this conference, prices are final.

## Registration

You can register for the LIPS conference by Payment via bank transfer or credit card.

### Payment via bank transfer

Please find the booking options and conference fees below. By transferring the payment you agree to the [terms and conditions](#) of the LIPS conference. Please transfer the payment to this account:

#### Universitätskasse Karlsruhe (TH)

Account number.: 66001508

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IBAN: DE 5766 0000 0000 6600 1508

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### **Payment via credit card**

Please pay via credit card at <http://www.lean-in-public.org/>.

### **Host**

[Institute for Technology and Management in Construction \(TMB\)](#), [Universität Karlsruhe \(KIT\)](#)

### **Partners**

[University of California at Berkeley \(P2SL\)](#), [Lean Construction Institute \(LCI\)](#), [PCI Alliance Services](#), [European Group of Lean Construction \(EGLC\)](#)

### **Note for EGLC members**

The meeting is not a regular event of EGLC (European Group of Lean Construction), because it has an extended scope. Therefore it is called EGLC special.

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