

CLAIRE

CONFEDERATION OF LABORATORIES
FOR AI RESEARCH IN EUROPE

German Chapter of CLAIRE

-Erste Tagung-

28.09.2021 @ KI 2021



GESELLSCHAFT
FÜR INFORMATIK

Agenda 1/3

09:10 - 09:20

Begrüßung und Einführung

Prof. Dr. Christoph Benzmüller (Freie Universität Berlin, German National Contact Point for CLAIRE)

Prof. Dr. Philipp Slusallek (CLAIRE Director of Strategy, Wissenschaftlicher Direktor DFKI)

09:20 - 09:30

Grußworte

Daniel Krupka (Geschäftsführer, Gesellschaft für Informatik e.V.)

Dr. Nabil Alsabah (Bereichsleiter Künstliche Intelligenz & Big-Data.AI Summit, Bitkom e.V.)

09:30 - 10:00

CLAIRE: Eine europäische Vision für Exzellenz und Innovation in der KI-Forschung

Prof. Dr. Holger Hoos

(CLAIRE Chair of the Board of Directors, Director of Research Leiden University)

10:00 - 10:20

Das German Chapter of CLAIRE

Prof. Dr. Christoph Benzmüller und Prof. Dr. Philipp Slusallek

10:20 - 10:45

Kaffeepause

Agenda 2/3

- 10:45 - 11:15 **Trusted AI in Europa**
Prof. Dr. Michael Huth (Imperial College London, XAYN AG)
- 11:15 - 11:45 **Trusted AI in Deutschland**
Prof. Dr. Philipp Slusallek
- 11:45 - 12:30 **Podiumsdiskussion: Trusted AI und CLAIRE**
Prof. Dr. Christoph Benz Müller (Moderator)
Dr. Manuel Götz (ZF Group)
Prof. Dr. Ute Schmid (Universität Bamberg)
Prof. Dr. Michael Huth
Daniel Krupka
Dr. Nabil Alsabab
Prof. Dr. Holger Hoos
Prof. Dr. Philipp Slusallek
- 12:30 - 13:30 **Mittagspause**

Agenda 3/3 !Nur für CLAIRE Unterstützer!

13:30 - 14:15

Parallele Break-Out Sessions (Themenvorschläge)

Session 1: Was sollten die Hauptziele des German Chapter of CLAIRE sein?

Session 2: Wie kann CLAIRE die Zusammenarbeit zwischen Industrie und akademischer Forschung im Bereich der KI am besten fördern?

Session 3: Wie kann das German Chapter of CLAIRE am besten zu CLAIRE in Europa beitragen?

Session 4: Was sind die wichtigsten wissenschaftlichen und branchenbezogenen Themen für Trusted AI in Deutschland?

Session 5: Was sind die nächsten wichtigen Schritte zur Etablierung und Umsetzung von Trusted AI in Deutschland?

14:15 - 14:45

Berichte der Break-Out Sessions (jeweils 3-5 Minuten) und Abschluss

14:45 - 15:30

Socialising (Gather.town)

Generelle Informationen

Zoom Meeting

- Bitte schalten Sie sich während den Vorträgen und der Podiumsdiskussion stumm
- Bitte stellen Sie Ihre Fragen an die Referenten während der Veranstaltung im Zoom-Chat, wir leiten diese dann an die Referenten weiter

Zoom Breakout sessions

- Bitte bleiben Sie während der Mittagspause eingeloggt in Zoom (stummgeschaltet und Kamera aus), da Sie in dieser Zeit auf die Breakout sessions verteilt werden.
- Ihr aktiver Beitrag zu den Diskussionsrunden ist sehr wichtig, bitte teilen Sie Ihre Ansichten und Ihr Fachwissen mit den anderen Teilnehmern

Socialising via Gather.town

- Gather.town bietet die Möglichkeit, sich mit anderen Teilnehmern zu treffen und auszutauschen
- Link zu Gather.town wird am Ende der Veranstaltung per Zoom-Chat zur Verfügung gestellt

German Chapter of CLAIRE

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NETWORK

Academia
Non-profit

Innovation
For-profit

SUPPORTERS

Individuals

National Governments

Organisations

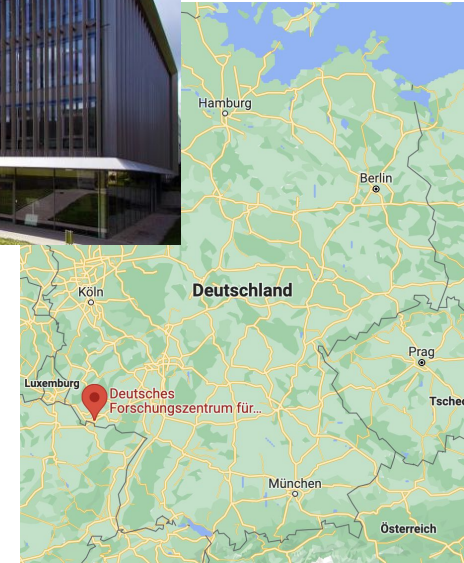
German Office of CLAIRE - Location

- Established in April 2019 as the very first CLAIRE Office
- Supported by  Staatskanzlei
SAARLAND
- Located at DFKI Saarbrücken, in the heart of the border triangle between France, Luxembourg and Germany
- Location offers the perfect opportunity for European cross-border cooperation and beyond



DFKI Saarbrücken

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German Office of CLAIRE

- Prof. Dr.-Ing. Philipp Slusallek, one of the three co-initiators of CLAIRE, is the Vice-Chair of the Board and Director of Strategy
- Supporting the work of the core team members
- Contributes to the setup and implementation of internal structures and processes within CLAIRE
- Contact point for Germany, Austria, and the Greater Region
- Liaising with national and regional governments, especially with our neighbour countries in Luxembourg and France
- Lead for the newly founded Innovation Network (For-profit members of CLAIRE)
- Mainly involved in the European Networks of AI Excellence Centers (VISION, TAILOR & HumaneAI Net)

German Office of CLAIRE - Team

German CLAIRE Office



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CLAIRE National Contact Point for German

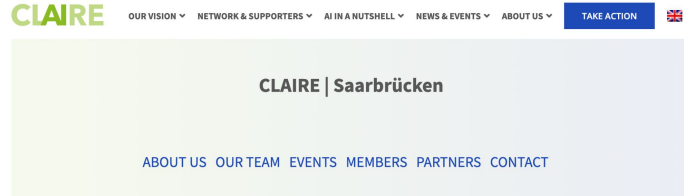
National Contact Point



Prof. Dr. Christoph
Benzmüller

- Representation of the academic, industry and political interests of Germany's AI community
- Strong connections to academia, industry and/or politics,
- Contact point for national government
- Nationally and internationally connections
- Representative on behalf of CLAIRE

German Chapter of CLAIRE - Website launch



CLAIRE
NETWORK
MEMBERS IN
GERMANY



ABOUT US

Established in April 2019 as the very first CLAIRE office, we are located at DFKI Saarbrücken, in the heart of the border triangle between France, Luxembourg and Germany. This location offers the perfect opportunity for cooperation in the Greater Region and beyond, this is why we are the contact point for this region, Germany and even Austria. Among many other activities, our main focus is on connecting academia and industry. Accordingly, we are also mainly involved in the newly founded Innovation Network (For-profit European Networks of AI Excellence Centers).



EVENTS

The German Research Center for Artificial Intelligence (DFKI) was one of the CLAIRE was established in 2018, and Prof. Dr.-Ing. Philipp Slusallek, who is Scientific Director of the DFKI research department Agent one of the three co-initiators of CLAIRE. Since the establishment of CLAIRE, also serves as its Vice-Chair of the Board and Director of Strategy. The German supporting Professor Philipp Slusallek in this role and contributes also to the internal structures and processes within CLAIRE. Furthermore, we are supported by national and regional governments, especially with our neighbour countries.

KI 2021 - The German Chapter of CL

06 Days 20 Hrs 03 Min 04 Sec

Registration

Trusted AI - Unattainable Vision or Social Mission? Opportunity or burden? How can it be implemented?

Such questions are the focus of the first meeting of the German chapter of CLAIRE, the Confederation of Laboratories for AI Research in Europe. Trusted AI puts a special emphasis on providing (verifiable) guarantees for the correct functioning of modern AI-based systems. In this sense, significantly tightens the rather unspecific term Trustworthy AI.

The meeting brings CLAIRE members together with representatives from industry, public academia and offers all interested parties the opportunity to get in touch with CLAIRE, learn about CLAIRE's mission and discuss the topic of Trusted AI.

The one-day event will take place online on **28 September** as part of KI 2021, the 44th G Conference on Artificial Intelligence. The meeting language is German.

Prior (free) registration for the meeting is required. Please use the following [registration](#)

ALL CLAIRE EVENTS

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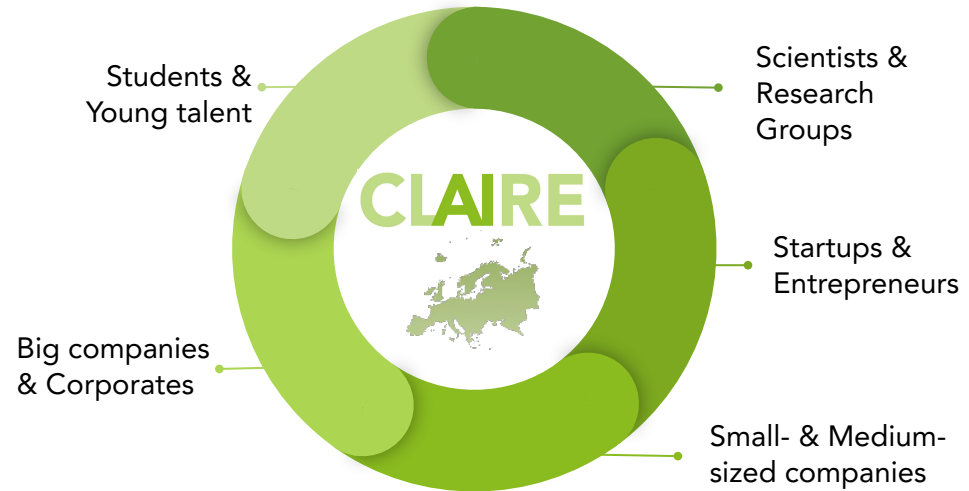
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<https://claire-ai.org/office-germany/>

Why an Innovation Network

- Europe has an impressive number of strong businesses in all shapes, markets and sizes
- Europe holds some of the world's strongest AI scientists, research groups, research centres and universities
- BUT: Europe trails other regions in turning new enabling technologies like AI into global products, platforms and services



The CLAIRE Innovation Network

For-profit members of CLAIRE:

Commercial companies, legal entities, and groups or units within these companies that develop or use AI methods or technologies

BENEFITS



CONTRIBUTE TO SHAPING
THE FUTURE OF AI IN
EUROPE



GAIN ACCESS TO THE
LARGEST AI COMMUNITY
IN THE WORLD



STAY INFORMED ABOUT
AI DEVELOPMENTS AND
POLICY INITIATIVES



FIND COLLABORATORS
AND PARTNERS FROM
ACADEMIA AND INDUSTRY



INCREASE THE VISIBILITY
OF YOUR COMPANY IN
THE AI COMMUNITY

CLAIRE Services (Work in Progress)

THEME DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

- discuss latest AI topics and trends with experts and policy stakeholders to shape AI roadmap
- derive your own strategic approach for AI from workshop results and develop ideas for further action and collaboration

MATCHMAKING

- make use of matchmaking service with researchers and other experts through CLAIRE
- get into personal contact with members of other networks and receive best possible fit for your business needs



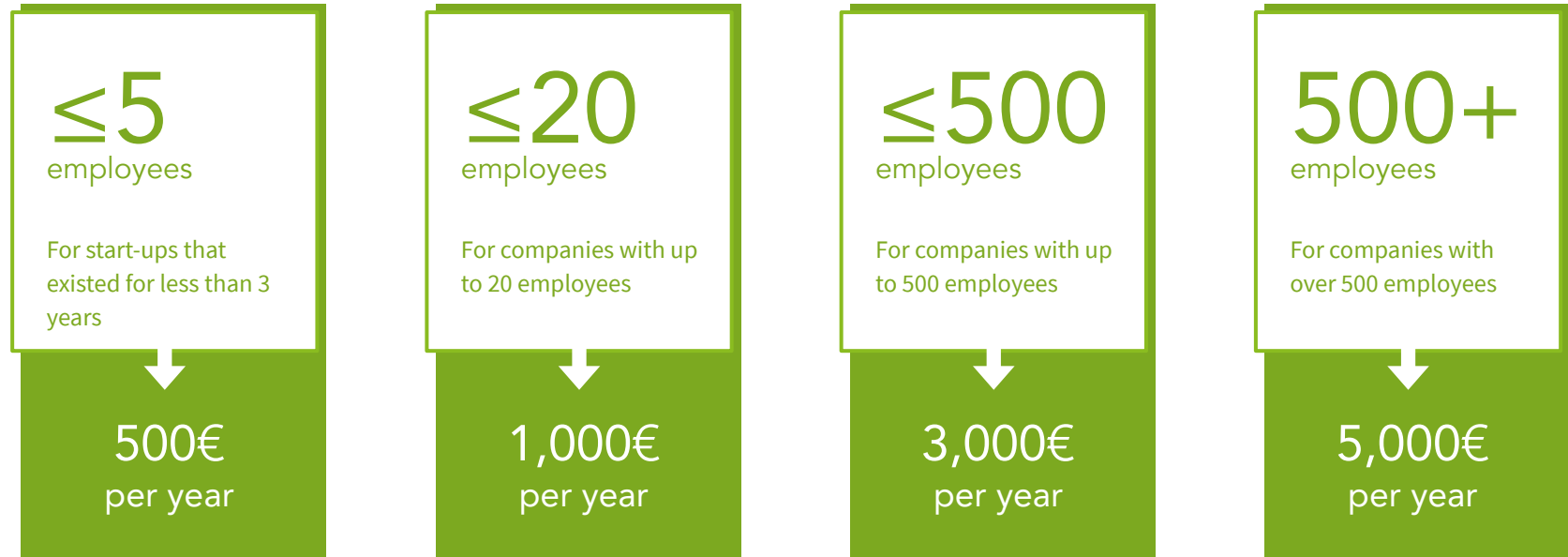
GENERAL INFORMATION PROVISION & EXCHANGE

- gain access to CLAIRE community platform and engage with all members and supporters
- use platform for your own needs or directly benefit from results + activities shared by members

FURTHER SERVICES & CO-DEVELOPMENT

- develop new services tailored to your needs together with research
- contribute to constantly improving CLAIRE's service portfolio for benefit of all members

Innovation Network Membership



Theme Development Workshop “AI in the Public Sector”

- ❖ September 7th and 9th (two half days)
- ❖ 56 participants from 12 countries
- ❖ Workshop programme consisting of presentations to motivate topics and challenges, and focussed discussions in breakout sessions (smaller groups, interdisciplinary)
 - 1st day: Focus on application areas
 - 2nd day: Focus on Trustworthy AI, plus emerging topics from 1st day
- ❖ The initial report on the key findings of the workshop can be accessed via the [TAILOR website](#)

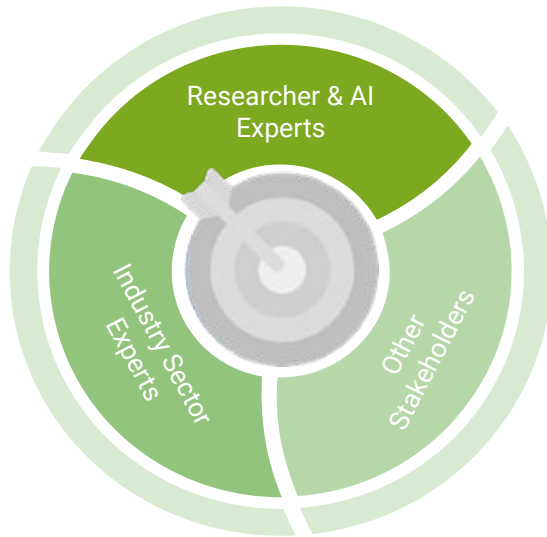
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Goal of a Theme Development Workshop

**1**

Jointly **develop and identify** the most promising and emerging **AI topics** in the respective sector

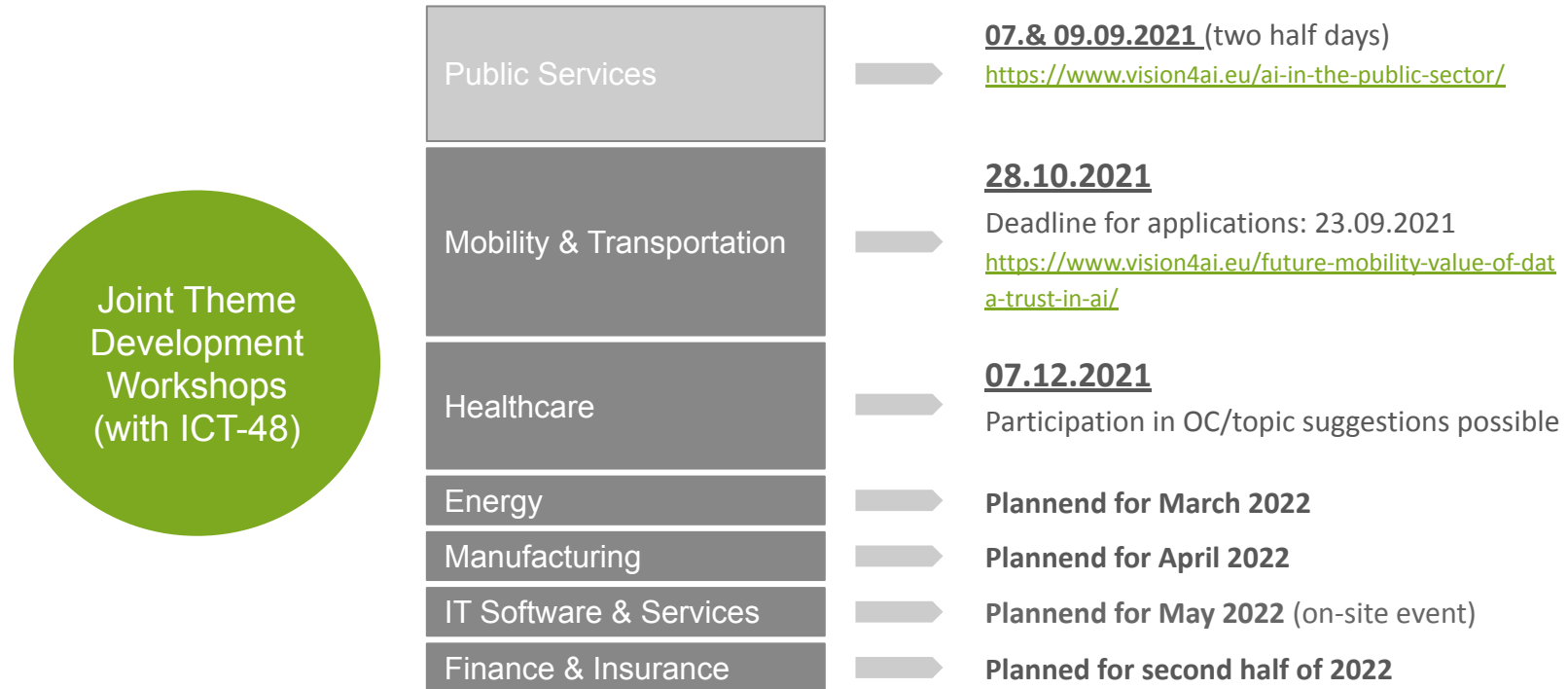
2

Generate input for the European **AI roadmap**
→ long-term strategic topics

3

Identify ideas for follow-up activities (also beyond projects)
→ **mid- and short-term activities**

Overview: Theme Development Workshops



A vibrant, high-angle photograph of rolling green hills, likely a landscape in Ireland or Scotland. The hills are covered in lush green grass and are separated by gentle slopes. In the distance, a winding road and a few small structures are visible. The sky is bright and clear, with a few wispy clouds. The overall scene is peaceful and scenic.

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BE PART OF OUR VISION

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