**Greek-German Workshop**

**on**

**“Knowledge and Technology Transfer”**

**June 11 – 13, 2019**

**Venue: National Centre for Scientific Research “DEMOKRITOS”**

**Patr. Gregoriou E & 27 Neapoleos Str, 15341 Agia Paraskevi, GREECE**

**Objectives:** *This two-day Workshop aims at implementing a training approach for awareness-raising and empowerment of existing Greek-German research and innovation collaborations.*

*Keynotes on knowledge transfer and exercises (practical application of knowledge) will give participants the opportunity to gain practical experience and hone their skills with regard to the transfer of knowledge and technology. Addressing individual motives, incentives and possible forms of commercialisation early in the process helps formulating a shared objective with regard to the commercialisation of project outcomes, which is the aim of the first day of the training measure.*

*On the second Workshop day, the formation of ideas plays a particular role in developing a shared objective for the commercialisation of R&D results. Participants will form groups to identify practical applications of their R&D results (technological applications) in a first step and define in a second step unmet customer needs and work on a better understanding of these needs (market development).*

**Tuesday, 11 June 2019**

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| 16:00 – 17:00 | **Registration**  |
| 17:00 – 17:45 | **Welcome Addresses & Introduction****Costas Fotakis**, Alternate Minister for Education, Research and Religious Affairs**Thomas Rachel**, Parliamentary State Secretary to the Federal Minister of Education and Research**Dr. Patricia Kyprianidou**, Secretary General for Research and Technology**Dr. Steffen Preissler**, Fraunhofer IMW Moderator: Dr. Sotiris Pavleas, Special Advisor to the Secretary General for Research & Technology, GSRT  |
| 17:45 – 18:15 | **Keynote Speech | From Basic Research to Innovate Products: Cooperation between Greek and German Innovators**Prof: Dr. Alexander Kritikos, DIW Berlin |
| 18:15 – 18:45 | **Overview, Expectations and goals of the Greek-German Research and Innovation Program****The Greek perspective:** Dr. Maria Christoula, GSRT **The German perspective:** Gisela Cramer von Clausbruch, BMBF |
| from 19:00 on | **Transportation to the Reception Venue** |
| 20:00  | **Reception** upon invitation of the BMBF at the residence of the German Ambassador in Athens |