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# How Do We Want to Live Tomorrow?

## Perspectives on Water Management in Urban Regions

### Panel Discussion

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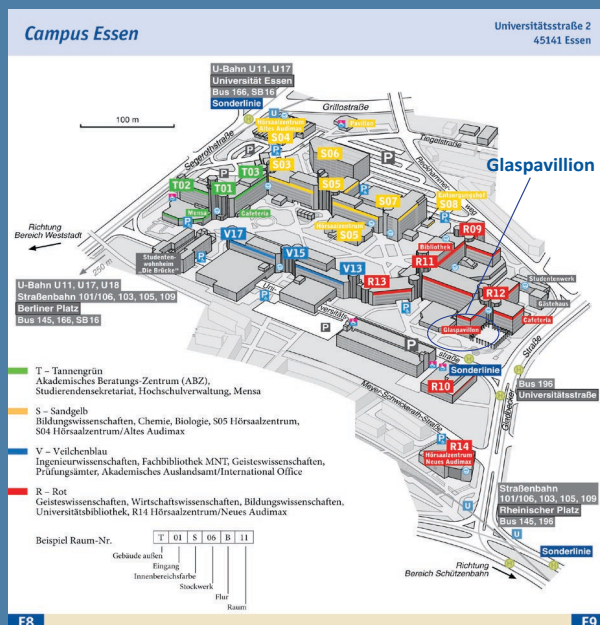
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## How Do We Want to Live Tomorrow?

### Perspectives on Water Management in Urban Regions

The sustainable use of water resources is essential in order to ensure a livable environment for future generations. Thus, an innovative and efficient water management plays an important role for the development of urban regions now and for the future.

The panel discussion is part of the workshop “Perspectives on Water Management in Urban Regions”. During the event, Brazilian and German young scientists identify and discuss research topics and questions, which – from their perspective – are relevant for the future of urban water management. In the panel discussion, the young scientists present their ideas to the panel and the audience, who then discuss the presented concepts in the light of the question „how do we want to live tomorrow?“.

**17:00** Welcome

### Short presentations by workshop participants

Future research topics and questions relevant for the future of urban water management

### Panel discussion

Dr. Volker Wachendörfer  
German Federal Environmental Foundation (DBU)

Prof. Dr. José Tundisi  
International Institute of Ecology, São Carlos

Prof. Dr. Norbert Jardin  
Technical Director, Ruhrverband

PD Dr. Thomas Kluge  
Co-Founder, Institute for Social-Ecological Research

### Moderation:

Prof. Dr. André Niemann  
Chair, Institute of Hydraulic Engineering and Water Resources Management, University of Duisburg-Essen

**19:00** Reception