TUESDAY, 20 OCTOBER 2020
Leibniz University Hannover
6:30 p.m. Welcome Reception
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WEDNESDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2020
Schloss Herrenhausen
9:00 a.m. Registration and Coffee
Foyer
10:00 a.m. Conference Opening
Auditorium
Volker Epping
President of Leibniz University Hannover
Thomas Hesse
Deputy Secretary General of the
Alexander von Humboldt Foundation
10:30 a.m. Three Lives
Auditorium
Three short presentations by research
award winners on their career paths
12:00 p.m. Lunch Break
Foyer
1:30 p.m. Scientific Sessions
Seminar Room 1–4
Subject-specific discussion sessions
with short presentations and flash talks
3:30 p.m. Coffee Break
Foyer
4:00 p.m. Keynote Lecture
Auditorium
5:00 p.m. Preparation of Open Space Session
Auditorium
Selection of topics
6:00 p.m. Break
7:30 p.m. Conference Dinner
Ballroom
10:00 p.m. End of Day

THURSDAY, 22 OCTOBER 2020
Schloss Herrenhausen
8:30 a.m. Coffee
Foyer
9:00 a.m. Scientific Sessions
Seminar Room 1–4
Subject-specific discussion sessions
with short presentations and flash talks
11:30 a.m. Poster Session and Marketplace
Foyer, Seminar Rooms 5+6
1:00 p.m. Lunch Break
2:30 p.m. Open Space Sessions – Part 1
Seminar Rooms 1–6
Discussion sessions on scientific or
career-oriented topics organized
by the participants
3:30 p.m. Short Break
3:45 p.m. Open Space Sessions – Part 2
Seminar Rooms 1-6
4:45 p.m. Gallery Walk and Coffee
Foyer
Presentation of Open Space
Sessions results
5:00 p.m. Panel Discussion
Auditorium
“Careers in Optics and Photonics:
Prospects, Challenges, Rewards”
and Poster Award
6:30 p.m. Reception
Foyer
10:00 p.m. End