NETWORK STUDIO

TUD Dresden University of Technology

September 24/25. 2026

Technische Universität Dresden

UNIVERSITY OF WARWICK

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24. September 2026

1 pm Arrival + Registration at Gläserne Manufaktur ID Studio

1:30 pm Welcome addresses

Prof. Angela Rösen-Wolff, *Vice-rector of research at Technische Universität Dresden*

Prof. Tom Montenegro-Johnson, *Deputy pro vice-chancellor for research at University of Warwick*

Prof. Pieter Ballon, *Vice-rector of research at Vrije Universiteit Brussel*

Introduction to the NETWORK STUDIO

by the organizing team at Technische Universität Dresden

2 pm Pitch sessions (1st round)

With talks by: **Helmut Schießel, Timothy Saunders, Amit Singh, Sophie DeBuyl, Marc Timme, Tamas Lazar, Elisabeth Fischer-Friedrich, Ricardo Martinez-Garcia**, and **Munehiro Assally**

2:45 pm Coffee, snacks, and time for discussions

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3:15 pm Pitch sessions (2nd round)

With talks by: **Delphine Fayol, Jan Steyaert, Meritxell Huch, Orkun Soyer, Miki Ebisuya, Wim De Malsche, Björn Andres, Tan Lu,** and **Michaela Mausz**

4:00 pm Coffee, snacks, and time for discussions

4:45 pm Pitch sessions (3nd round)

With talks by: **Oliver Uecke, Catherina Becker, Antonia Sagona, Benjamin Friedrich, Kiavash Movahedi, Jose Gutierrez-Marcos, Remy Loris,** and **Yael Politi**

5:30 pm Wrap-up and concluding discussions

6:30 pm Guided tour and joint dinner (kindly sponsored by Zeiss Innovation Hub Dresden & Lipotype GmbH) at the Botanical Garden Dresden

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25. September 2026

9:30 am Presentation of funding opportunities (Room E74/E75 B-Cube, Tatzberg 41)

10:30 am Coffee, snacks, and discussion time to plan new projects

11 am Guided tour

Visiting research institutes including the Center for Molecular and Cellular Bioengineering (CMCB), and the Max Planck Institute of Molecular Cell Biology and Genetics (MPI-CBG)

1 pm Group lunch at Mensologie

2 pm Time for individual meetings and lab visits