**Application Form**

**Doctoral position in the RTG “Digital Platform Ecosystems”**

**Personal Data**

Surname, first name:       Gender (m/f/d):

Date of birth:  DD/MM/YY     Nationality:

Place and country of birth:

**Contact address**

Street name and number:       ZIP code:

Place:       Country:

Telephone       Mobile:

Primary e-mail address:

Secondary e-mail address:

**School and higher education** (please attach certificates)

*First* completed higher education degree:

Name and location of institution:

Study period: From  DD/MM/YY  to  DD/MM/YY

Subject area of degree:

Topic of thesis:

Final grade (and explanation of **grading scale** including highest and lowest possible grade):

*Second* completed higher education degree:

Name and location of institution:

Study period: From  DD/MM/YY  to  DD/MM/YY

Subject area of degree:

Topic of thesis:

Final grade (and explanation of **grading scale** including highest and lowest possible grade):

Type of *qualification degree for higher education* (e.g., A-levels):

Name and location of institution:

Date the qualification degree was awarded:  DD/MM/YY

Final grade (and explanation of **grading scale** including highest and lowest possible grade):

**Prospective academic advisor** (please choose **one** preferred research area and prospective academic advisor as a non-binding indication)

Research Area A.1 (Prof. Dr. Jan Krämer): “Data exchange between platform-affiliated companies and digital platforms”

Research Area A.2 (Prof. Dr. Jan Hendrik Schumann and Prof. Dr. Thomas Widjaja): “Data exchange between individuals and digital platforms”

Research Area B.1 (Prof. Dr. Andreas König): “Organisational transformation in the context of digital platform ecosystems”

Research Area B.2 (Prof. Dr. Carolin Häussler): “Digital platform ecosystems as places of innovation and entrepreneurship”

Research Area C.1 (Prof. Dr. Stefan Bauernschuster): “Socio-economic impact of digital platform ecosystems in urban areas”

Research Area C.2 (Prof. Dr. Michael Grimm): “Opportunities and risks in the context of platforms in developing countries”

Research Area C.3 (Prof. Dr. Hannah Schmid-Petri): “Regulation of platform ecosystems: Discourse-dynamics between platform stakeholders and politics”

I hereby confirm that all information given in this form and my application has been provided truthfully. I consent that my personal data submitted with this application is being processed electronically in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation, and deleted no later than six months after the end of the application procedure.

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**Please fill in and sign this form, attach the following documents in the given order, merge it into one single pdf document and send it to** [**dpe@uni-passau.de**](mailto:dpe@uni-passau.de)

Cover letter

This application form

Letter of motivation, laying out your research interest in the topic areas of the RTG as well as your ability for a successful participation at the RTG. (Note: You do not need to provide a detailed research exposé here. However, you will be asked to provide a more detailed research exposé in case you will be selected for interviews.)

Curriculum vitae

Copies of all school and higher education degrees listed above (or comparable documentation of your current grades in case you do not have such degree certificates yet)

Copy of master’s thesis (or relevant, comparable research paper in case you do not have completed your thesis yet).

**Please indicate how you learned about our research training group and the call for applications:**

I was looking for PhD positions using a search engine.

I was told about it by someone I know personally.

I learned about it on social media.

Other: