



## EAERE Individual Membership Benefits for Residents in Developing Countries

Individual membership in EAERE is open to persons who by their profession, training and/or function are involved in environmental and resource economics as a science.

EAERE recognises that environmental issues have no frontiers and its network of professionals in the field needs contributions from individuals from all over the world. Researchers from European and non-European countries are invited and encouraged to join.

Discover here the rich portfolio of benefits and facilitations that EAERE has designed in order to make its membership easier and more attractive for residents in developing countries (low income, lower-middle-income and upper-middle-income economies).

### Collective benefits

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Supporting EAERE in:

1. Lobbying for environmental and resource economics research funding from the European Commission and elsewhere.
2. Advancing the science of economics.
3. Advancing the application of environmental economics in the development and application of policy.
4. Advancing the application of environmental economics in business and commerce.
5. Advancing communication between scholars, teachers, students and practitioners.

### Individual benefits

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The full list of the benefits that arise from the individual membership is available at <http://www.eaere.org/individual.html> and attached. Only some of those, of particular interest to residents in developing countries, are listed below.

- The individual membership includes a free personal subscription for the electronic version of the Association's official Journal, Environmental and Resource Economics, published by Springer <http://www.springer.com/economics/environmental/journal/10640>.
- EAERE main events, our Annual Conference and our Summer School series, are based in Europe, but all members can apply.
- Residents in developing countries are entitled to a reduced registration fee when they participate in the Association's Annual Conference. Moreover, a limited number of travel grants is available every year, and authors of accepted papers who are residents in developing countries have priority in the grant allocation.
- Selected participants in our Summer Schools usually have all participation costs except travel covered by the school organisation. There is also a limited number of travel grants offered, with priority given to participants coming from developing countries.
- The Association's Job Market is open to all members. Candidates looking for a job can post their profile for free in EAERE website.

### Membership Fees

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EAERE offers a reduced membership fee (Euro 14 instead of Euro 45) for residents in low income, lower-middle-income and upper-middle-income economies, in accordance with the definition provided by the World Bank.

Check if your country of residence belongs to any of these categories at <http://data.worldbank.org/about/country-classifications/country-and-lending-groups>.

In order to avoid the difficulties and the high bank charges that bank transfers from outside Europe may generate, we discourage payments via bank transfer. EAERE can cash the membership fee via credit card (Visa, Mastercard, and American Express) and also through Western Union Money Transfer.

### How to Get Your Membership

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Get the EAERE membership entirely on-line, through the EAERE website at <http://www.eaere.org/membership.html>. You will be requested to fill in a membership form and to choose the method of payment that caters for your preference. Payments can be done by credit card, bank transfer or Western Union Money Transfer. If you choose to pay by credit card, you will be redirected to a separate and secure page. EAERE accepts Visa, MasterCard, and American Express.

Institutes paying multiple individual memberships can apply for a "group membership": this will reduce the transaction costs associated with multiple payments. Please contact [eaere@eaere.org](mailto:eaere@eaere.org) to be sent the relevant information