

**EAERE**European Association  
of Environmental and  
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# EAERE Highlights

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## Focus on



### Endorse the Statement on the EU's legislative proposals on climate change by signing it!

The [Policy Outreach Committee \(POC\)](#) of EAERE prepared a statement on the EU's legislative proposals on climate change that is presented for endorsement to the whole scientific community in Europe and worldwide. The statement aims to draw the attention of policy-makers and public opinion on the implications of the legislative package and on some key challenges that need to be addressed in the future. While the package can be further improved, it takes a step in the right direction if we want to raise the ambition of the European climate policy and achieve climate neutrality by mid-century. A rapid implementation of more ambitious policies is of crucial importance to fulfill our commitments, particularly after COP26. The Statement has currently been officially translated into: Finnish, French, German, Greek, Polish, Spanish and Swedish.

Read and sign the Statement [here!](#)

[www.eaere.org](http://www.eaere.org)

Endorse the Statement  
on the EU's legislative  
proposals on climate change!

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OFFICIAL TRANSLATIONS:



## EAERE Annual Conference 2022 - Call for Thematic Sessions

The 27th Annual Conference of EAERE will take place in Rimini, Italy, on **28 June - 1 July 2022**. Proposals are now invited for pre-organised thematic sessions at EAERE 2022, to be organised either **entirely onsite or entirely online**. Thematic Sessions aim to highlight current research on a subject in environmental and resource economics; they will consist of three to four papers connected by a unifying theme. The individual contributions are expected to be of very high quality, both with respect to the scientific content of the paper and the presentation. The Programme Committee will select a limited number of proposed Thematic Sessions based on scientific quality and originality. The proposed papers for these sessions will undergo the normal refereeing process; only papers that are approved will be included in the programme. Onsite thematic sessions will run in the same way as regular parallel sessions, with in-person presentations only. Online thematic sessions will be fully virtual and will take place from 2pm to 3.45pm CET or from 9 to 10.45am CET.

**Deadline for submissions: 31 January 2022**

More information and submission on the [dedicated website](#)



## EAERE Annual Conference 2022 - Call for Papers

We invite submissions of empirical and theoretical papers in all areas of environmental and resource economics to be presented **onsite**. Full papers are to be submitted through the Conference Website. Notification of the outcome of the review process is scheduled for 31 March 2022. The number of submissions per person is unlimited, but the maximum number of presentations per person will be limited to one (including both parallel sessions and thematic sessions). All parallel sessions will be held onsite.

**Deadline for paper submissions: 31 January 2022**

More information and submission on the [dedicated website](#)



## EAERE Awards 2022 - Call for nominations

EAERE is inviting nominations for the following Awards to be announced in the year 2022:

[-European Award for Researchers in Environmental Economics under the Age of Forty](#)

[-Fellows programme](#)

[-Award for Best Doctoral Dissertations in Environmental and Resource Economics](#)

[-European Practitioner Achievement Award in Applying Environmental Economics](#)

**The deadline for sending nominations is 31 January 2022.**

Send your nomination for each award & recognition by visiting the dedicated page on the [EAERE website!](#)




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- [Award for Outstanding Publication in the Journal Environmental and Resource Economics](#)
- [Award for ERC Grants laureates in the field of environmental and resource economics](#)











**Call for nominations**  
 Deadline: 31 January 2022

Participate in the EAERE awards process by sending your nominations to the Awards listed below!

## EAERE New Council settled

EAERE is happy to announce that the new Council has begun its term, and held its first Council Meeting on 24 January 2022. The new team includes: **Phoebe Koundouri** - President; **Simone Borghesi** - President-elect; **Christian Gollier** - Past President; **Enrica De Cian**, **Simon Dietz**, **Marita Laukkanen**, **Asa Lofgren** - Council Members, and **Monica Eberle** - Secretary General. You can find out information about all members [here](#). You can contact the Council at any time by sending your requests or suggestions to [eaere@eaere.org](mailto:eaere@eaere.org).

### COUNCIL 2022-2023

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## EAERE President Phoebe Koundouri selected as European Climate Pact Ambassador

Prof. Koundouri Phoebe has been selected by the European Commission for the role of European Climate Pact Ambassador, in her capacity as EAERE President. The European Climate Pact is a movement of people united around a common cause, each taking steps to build a more sustainable Europe for us all. Launched by the European Commission, the Climate Pact is part of the European Green Deal and is helping the EU to meet its goal to be the first climate-neutral continent in the world by 2050.

Read her statement below:

*“As EAERE President, EIT Climate-KIC Hub Greece director, SDSN Europe co-chair, I will act as an ambassador for the Climate Pact and advocate for active participation of “all parts of society” – researchers, innovators and technology developers, enterprises, workers, consumers and citizens and their organizations- for mobilizing the transition to climate neutrality and the implementation of the EGD and the UN SDGs”*

Learn more about European Climate Pact [here](#). Meet the Ambassadors [here](#)



## EAERE - University of Graz Summer School on Environmental Economics 2022: applications open

The topic of this year's edition of the Summer School is Behavioural Environmental Economics. The scientific as well as political interest in behavioral responses to environmental policy as well as measures beside the traditional policy instruments (like taxes, permits or command and control) has grown considerably in the last twenty years. "Behavioral schemes" like providing information can have significant impacts on environmental decision making.

All information available [here](#)

Application deadline: **14 March 2022**



## Six Month Report of the International Cluster for Research and Innovation on Sustainability

This Six Month Report outlines the activities of the International Cluster for Research and Innovation on Sustainability (IcriSUSTAIN), an unofficial umbrella (based on MoUs) of the following institutions and networks, which are founded, directed or chaired by [Prof. Phoebe Koundouri](#). IcriSUSTAIN includes two research and innovation institutions: [ReSEES Laboratory](#) at [Athens University of Economics and Business](#), [Sustainable Development Unit \(SD.U\)](#) at [ATHENA Research Center](#), two innovation acceleration institutions: [EIT Climate KIC Hub Greece](#) and [BRIGAD Connect Association](#), and supports four networks: [SDSN Europe](#), [SDSN Greece](#), [Water Europe](#) and [NEXUS Cluster](#).

Read the report [here](#)



## UN-ECOSOC Partnership Forum side event "Joint implementation of the Agenda 2030 and the European Green Deal: Transformations for a sustainable recovery from COVID-19"

On the occasion of the 2022 [UN-ECOSOC Partnership Forum](#), to be held on 2 February 2022, [SDSN Europe](#) and [SDSN Greece](#) co-organize a side event entitled: "Joint implementation of the Agenda 2030 and the European Green Deal: Transformations for a sustainable recovery from COVID-19".

This is a pre-launch of the 2022 [SDSN Europe](#) Report on the Transformations for the Joint Implementation of EGD and the SDGs. You can find our 2021 report [here](#). Information about the Senior Working Group that leads the report, [here](#). Panel: **Prof. Phoebe Koundouri** (Discussion Lead), Professor at the School of Economics of the Athens University of Economics and Business, co- chair SDSN Europe, **Dr Carlo Papa**, Managing Director of Enel Foundation, **Mr Ketan Patel**, CEO of Greater Pacific Capital, **Prof. Theodoros Zachariadis**, The Cyprus Institute, SDSN Europe, **Mrs Ilenia Romani**, Researcher in Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei (FEEM).

Learn more [here](#)




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## A tribute to Thierry Bréchet - An economist of the environment and of the public interest

This heart-felt obituary was written by Henry Tulkens, Kirill Borissov, Johan Eyckmans, Stéphane Lambrecht, Pierre M. Picard, Tsvetomir Tsachev and Vladimir Veliov. Thanks go also to Katheline Schubert, Paul Belleflamme, Sophie Mertens and Maria Bréchet-Sharoshkina for the part they took in the preparation of this obituary. You can read the document [here](#)




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## Q Open Journal

*Q Open* is an open-access journal from the European Agricultural and Applied Economics Publications Foundation and Oxford University Press, that launched at the start of 2021. The journal broadly covers agricultural, climate, environmental, food, resource, and rural development economics. [Explore the latest content.](#)

*Q Open* applies a sound-science approach to peer-review where the focus is on scientific rigor, and aims to provide a first decision in 4-6 weeks. The journal welcomes replications and 'null-result' research. It also welcomes pre-registered experimental research, where an empirical research project and its methodology are

peer-reviewed prior to data collection. The final article is then provisionally accepted on condition that the author follows the registered methodology.

[Find out more about submitting.](#)



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### **New paper by ERC Winner Tatiana Filatova and her team "*Contextualizing cross-national patterns in household climate change adaptation*" on Nature Climate Change**

EAERE Award for ERC Grants laureates winner Tatiana Filatova and her ERC team recently published the article "[Contextualizing cross-national patterns in household climate change adaptation](#)" in Nature Climate Change. It is commonly understood that having insights into socio-behavioural drivers and constraints of household adaptation is essential to effectively address increasing climate-induced risks. Factors shaping household adaptation are commonly treated as universal, despite an emerging understanding that adaptations are shaped by social, institutional and cultural contexts. Using original surveys in the United States, China, Indonesia and the Netherlands (N=3,789), authors explore variations in factors shaping households' adaptations to flooding, the costliest hazard worldwide. Read the full article [here](#)

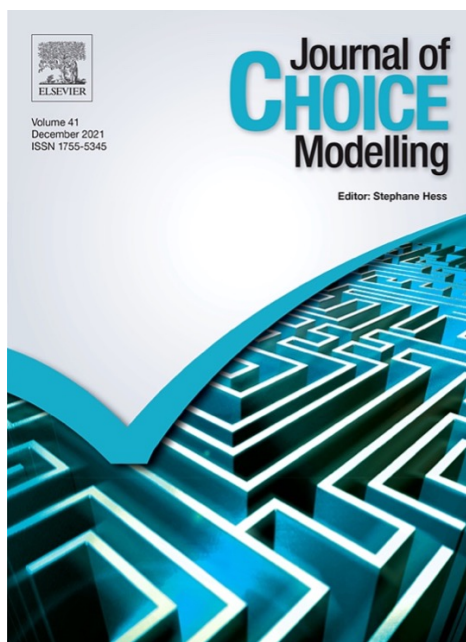
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### **Special Issue on Journal of Choice Modelling: Informing decisions about climate change adaptation by choice modelling**

The *Special Issue: Informing decisions about climate change adaptation by choice modelling* is edited by Jürgen Meyerhoff (Berlin) and Katrin Rehdanz (Kiel). As it becomes more and more unlikely to limit global warming to 2°C or less, as agreed in the Paris Agreement, the importance of adaptation and the challenges associated with selecting cost-effective and suitable adaptation options are coming to the fore. Adaptation requires trade-offs from those affected and involves many stakeholders, i.e., a wide variety of public and private institutions. Choosing specific adaptation measures or strategies goes hand in hand with sacrificing other objectives. This special issue, which has its roots in a Thematic Session at the EAERE conference in Berlin 2021, has two goals: first, we seek methodological contributions to choice modelling that present innovative applications in the field of climate change adaptation. Second, we target case studies – employing, for example, revealed or stated preference data or Big Data – to demonstrate how the results of choice modelling can inform decision-making about the trade-offs societies will face in the future. Submission is open and the **deadline is end of April 2022**,

for further information click [here](#) or contact Jürgen Meyerhoff (juergen.meyerhoff@tu-berlin.de) or Katrin Rehdanz (rehdanz@economics.uni-kiel.de).



## SURED 2022 - Monte Verità Conference on Sustainable Resource Use and Economic Dynamics

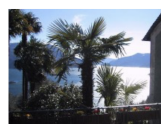
ETH Zurich (CER-ETH), Tilburg University (CentER) and the University of East Anglia (UEA) invite you to submit a paper to the **SURED Conference 2022**. The conference is open to all interested researchers. The following topics covering dynamic issues of the natural environment are of particular relevance: climate economics; green growth; welfare, discounting and sustainable development; uncertainty and irreversibilities in dynamic resource use; economic integration, growth and the environment; theoretical foundations of environmental policy; sustainable energy future. Ph.D. students can present their work in regular sessions or in young economist sessions. The deadline for submission is **31 January 2022**. Information on submission and on the conference is available [here](#). This event is supported by EAERE.



### CALL FOR PAPERS

Monte Verità Conference on Sustainable  
Resource Use and Economic Dynamics  
(SURED 2022)

held in Ascona (Switzerland), June 6-9, 2022



## BSE Insights Workshop “Effectiveness and Distributional Impacts of Environmental Policy”

Policymakers in the realm of environmental policy face major challenges, among them limiting greenhouse gas emissions and mitigating local pollution externalities. While a number of policy instruments are available, mitigation efforts can lead to an unequal distribution of benefits and burdens. The workshop “Effectiveness and Distributional Impacts of Environmental Policy” will discuss current research on environmental policy, with a focus on improving our understanding of the tradeoffs between their effectiveness and distributional impacts. The event is part of the INSIGHTS workshop series at the Berlin School of Economics (BSE).

Know more about the high-level keynote speakers and how to send a paper submission [here](#)

Deadline: 15 February 2022



## VIU Graduate Seminar "Defining the Human in Environmental Humanities"

Who is the "human" at the heart of environmental humanities? By definition, environmental humanists seek to explore the bond between humans and nature, and they dedicate themselves to promoting environmental policies and practices that are both socially just and robust. The Graduate Seminar is divided into a three-day training session followed by participation in a three-day conference which is open to a broader audience of experts. The program is offered to advanced Master and early PhD students in the Humanities, Social Sciences, and Environmental Sciences.

For further information, click [here](#)



## VIU Summer School "Organizing for Sustainable Futures: Micro and Macro-institutional Conditions of Transformation"

In its 6th edition, the summer school aims at the development of ideas that promote a more sustainable future by bringing together young scholars from all over the world to discuss their ideas on the Grand Transition of our society from the microlevel of individual decision-making to the organizational and the societal level. Applications are welcome from current PhD students, post-doc scholars and young researchers in Management, Strategy, Organization Theory, Finance, Economic Sociology, and related disciplines from universities worldwide.

For further information click [here](#)



## GGKP Expert Connect

As a Green Growth Knowledge Platform member, EAERE has been asked to contribute to the GGKP Expert Connect service. The Expert Connect service allows developing country governments and institutions that support these governments to engage directly with global experts who have agreed to provide up to 20 hours a year of pro bono advice. If you are interested in participating as an expert, subscribe at this [link](#).



Know more about the service [here](#)

## EAERE: Call for 2022 institutional memberships open

*Join EAERE as an institutional member in calendar year 2022!*

[Institutional membership](#) is open to associations, and public and private institutions which operate in fields connected with the aims of the Association or which pursue the aims and materially support the activities of the Association or individual initiatives promoted by the Association, by providing human, organisational or financial resources. Incomes from institutional membership fees will be used exclusively and completely to further the aims of the Association. **In addition to its usual rich portfolio, as of year 2022 EAERE is offering also two complimentary 2022 individual memberships in EAERE to Ph.D. students!** Join us by clicking [here](#).

We take this opportunity to thank our the **41 Institutional Members that supported EAERE in the year 2021** (10 Full Institutional Members and 31 University Institutional Members) from outstanding institutions in Europe, North America and Asia. See the list of IM [here](#)

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This edition of the Global Energy and Climate Outlook (GECO 2021) takes stock of recent updates in nationally determined contributions (NDCs) and long-term net zero emission targets (LTS) announced leading up to and during the Conference of the Parties (COP 26) in November 2021.

The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) has opened registration for the Government and Expert Review of the Draft of the Summary for Policymakers and longer report of the Sixth Assessment Synthesis Report. As of today, interested experts can register for participation in the review [here](#). The Government and Expert Review of the Synthesis Report of the Sixth Assessment Report will take place from **10 January to 20 March 2022, 23:59 (GMT+1)**.

The European Commission periodically launches public consultations about different policy areas. Through public consultations, you can express your views on the scope, priorities and added value of EU action for new initiatives, or evaluate existing policies and laws. Check out the latest open consultations available on topics relevant to the

EAERE and give your feedback. Particularly, we would like to flag the [Air quality - revision of EU rules consultation](#).

See all the [Consultations](#)

## Upcoming Events



Check out the [Agenda](#) on the EAERE website! All major events in EnvEcon signalled to EAERE are listed there and classified by type. Below is a snapshot of the Agenda for the next month.

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February 2022

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WEEK

LIST VIEW

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CONFERENCE						
AARES 2022 Annual Conference						
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	1	2	3	4	5	6

## Job Market



All the open positions signalled to EAERE are published on our [LinkedIn webpage](#). If you wish to share a vacancy with us, write to [ottavia.carlon@eaere.org](mailto:ottavia.carlon@eaere.org) copying [eaere@eaere.org](mailto:eaere@eaere.org).

## OPEN POSITIONS

### OPEN POSITION

#### **Assistant Professor in Climate-Resilient Infrastructure Finance**

*TU Delft*

**Deadline: 31 January 2022**



### OPEN POSITION

#### **Assistant Professor in Integrated Assessment Modeling for climate policy**

*TU Delft*

**Deadline: 31 January 2022**



### OPEN POSITION

#### **Environmental Economist/Computable General Equilibrium (CGE) Modeller**

*OECD Environment Directorate (ENV)*

**Deadline: 17 February 2022**



## EAERE MEMBERS

## Keep us in the Loop!

EAERE members are invited and encouraged to submit announcements for the EAERE Highlights newsletter, the website, and social media networks by sending an email to [eaere@eaere.org](mailto:eaere@eaere.org).

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