











EAERE Highlights

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#EAERE2022: Registrations open!

We are happy to invite you to the 27th EAERE Annual Conference, to be held from the 28 June to 1 July 2022. The Conference will take place at the PalaCongressi of Rimini, a lively and easily reachable location on the Italian Adriatic coast. The event will take place in person, while allowing for online participation to a restricted number of sessions. Registrations are now open! Apply here. Find out all about the Conference keynote speakers, preconference events and much more on the dedicated website!



#EAERE2022 Job Market: applications open

The European Job Market for Environmental and Resource Economists aims to offer the two sides of the market -

institutions with open positions and candidates looking for a job - a virtual place to look for the best match. Candidates, universities, public and private institutions and corporations taking part in the Conference are invited to apply to participate in the Job Market. The EAERE website will host a web page showcasing job market candidates' and recruiters' profiles. Job market candidates and recruiters will freely interact. Interviews will be arranged individually between recruiters and candidates in a separate environment (virtually or in person) convened by the parties. Apply here by **15 June 2022!**



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

The <u>Policy Outreach Committee (POC)</u> 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, Italian, Polish, Spanish and Swedish.

Read and sign the Statement here!



EAERE Website: New Policy Outreach section

We are happy to inform you that the Policy Outreach section on the EAERE website has recently been reshaped. Its contents now include some additional pages which highlight EAERE's engagement in the international policy arena: <u>EAERE at UNFCCC</u>; <u>EAERE at IPCC</u>; <u>EAERE at ECHA</u>. Furthermore, EAERE President Phoebe Koundouri has been appointed as European Climate Ambassador: this information is reported in the <u>European Climate Pact</u> web page.



Join EAERE as institutional member!

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 **Institutional Members** from outstanding institutions worldwide.

Check the list of EAERE Institutional Members here



Seventh CEPR/EAERE Webinar on Climate Policy: Economics of Border Adjustments

On 21 March 2022, **Stefan Ambec** (Toulouse School of Economics) opened the Seventh CEPR/EAERE Webinar on Climate Policy: Economics of Border Adjustments. His presentation was followed by a roundtable discussion on the EU CBAM proposal with **Jean Pisani-Ferry** (Sciences Po-Paris and CEPR), **Agnès Benassy-Quéré** (Paris School of Economics, French Treasury and CEPR), **Andrei Marcu** (ERCST) and **Luis Garicano** (EU Parliament and CEPR). The roundtable and Q&A session with the audience was moderated by **Christian Gollier** (Toulouse School of Economics and CEPR). The video-recording of the event will be available soon on the <u>EAERE website</u>.









Seventh CEPR/EAERE Webinar on Climate Policy:

Economics of Carbon Border Adjustments

Hybrid Webinar

Monday 21 March 2022

17:00 -19:00 CET (Frankfurt/Paris/Amsterdam)

#EAERE2022 Pre-conference workshop on 'Green Bonds and Environmental Finance'

The need of moving financial investments towards green and environmentally sustainable projects has attracted both institutional and private investors in recent years. How to finance the sustainable transition of economies, finding feasible incentives and promoting green products to attract funds has become a priority. The workshop 'Green Bonds and Environmental Finance' will explore these matters on 27 June 2022, both onsite, at the Rimini Campus, and online. All information can be found on the Conference website



#EAERE2022 Pre-conference workshop on "The economics of a just and equitable transition"

The aim of this workshop is to discuss how methods in environmental and resource economics can contribute to assessing and quantifying the impact of the low carbon transition on certain parts of society. It will present approaches to identify policies that can be put in place to correct pre-existing and transition-induced inequalities. The workshop, taking place on **27-28 June 2022 in a hybrid format,** will thus focus on issues related to employment, distributional impacts of policies and climate risks, and public acceptance for the climate transition. All information can be found on the <u>Conference website</u>. Registration link will be available in a couple of weeks.



10th IAERE and 1st MED-IAERE Conference

The Tenth IAERE Annual Conference will be held in Cagliari on **21-22 April 2022**, while the 1st MED-IAERE Conference will also take place in Cagliari on **22-23 April 2022**. Both Conferences will be held in a hybrid format, to encourage participation of people who cannot attend the event in presence.

More information on the <u>IAERE website</u>



X Conference of the Spanish-Portuguese Association of Natural and Environmental Resources Economics (AERNA)

The Spanish-Portuguese Association of Natural and Environmental Resources Economics is glad to announce that its X AERNA Conference will be an in-person conference. The conference will take place at the Faculty of Economics and Business (Universitat de Barcelona) on **1-3 September 2022**. All information is available on the Conference website



9th FAERE Annual Conference

The 9th FAERE (French Association of Environmental and Resource Economists) annual conference will be held on **8-9 September 2022**. The conference is organized by the LERN (Laboratoire d'Economie Rouen Normandie) at Rouen Normandie University (Pasteur building). The aim of these FAERE annual conferences is to favour and support both the production and diffusion of and international levels. All theoretical as well as empirical articles in the field of biodiversity, fisheries, agriculture, forest management, water management, energy, climate, pollution, health, sustainable development or bio-economics (non-exhaustive list) are welcome. Deadline for paper submission is **17 April 2022**. More information on the <u>Conference website</u>



VIU Graduate Seminar Science Communication Today: Challenges and Opportunities in the SDGs Era

SciComm can engage different publics (e.g. citizens and decision makers) in Science, sharing knowledge and understanding, and empowering them to face today society challenges related to sustainable development and the SDGs. However, It is a challenge itself due to the existing gap between science and the wider public, as well as between science and communicators. In order to fill these gaps, critical topics such as SciComm in the digitalization era, different media challenges and opportunities, the relation between scientists and professional

communicators, quality and effectiveness in SciComm need to be analysed. The seminar will take place on **12-16 September 2022.**

For more information, visit the website



CircoMod EU: a research project for modeling the circular economy to mitigate climate change

CircoMod project will develop a new generation of advanced models and scenarios that will assess how Circular Economy can reduce carbon emissions and material use. The project is expected to provide input to international assessments such as the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and the International Resource Panel (IRP).

Find out more about the project here



#MeetTopEnvEcon Interview to Anastasios Xepapadeas by Ingmar Schumacher

He is currently Professor of Economics at the Department of International and European Economic Studies of Athens University of Economics and Business and the Department of Economics of the University of Bologna (part time with parallel affiliation). He is an International Member of the US National Academy of Sciences and is a past president of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economics and past Chair of the Board of Directors of the Beijer Institute of Ecological Economics of the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences. Meet **Anastasios Xepapadeas** on the interview by Ingmar Schumacher in his new episode of *Meet Top Environmental Economists* (#MeetTopEnvEcon).

The interview can be accessed 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

Policy News



New EEA briefing 'Europe's groundwater — a key resource under pressure

Most of Europe's drinking water and a significant proportion of water used in irrigation come from groundwater. A European Environment Agency (EEA) briefing, published on World Water Day, provides a European overview of this key resource that is under increasing pressure from pollution, abstraction and climate change.

Read the Briefing here

Global Plastics Outlook: Economic Drivers, Environmental Impacts and Policy Options

This outlook intends to inform and support policy efforts to combat plastic leakage. It quantifies the current production, use, disposal and key environmental impacts throughout the entire plastics lifecycle and identifies opportunities for reducing the negative externalities. It also investigates how plastics use and waste have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic across sectors and regions.

Read the Outlook here

New Public Consultations launched by the European Commission

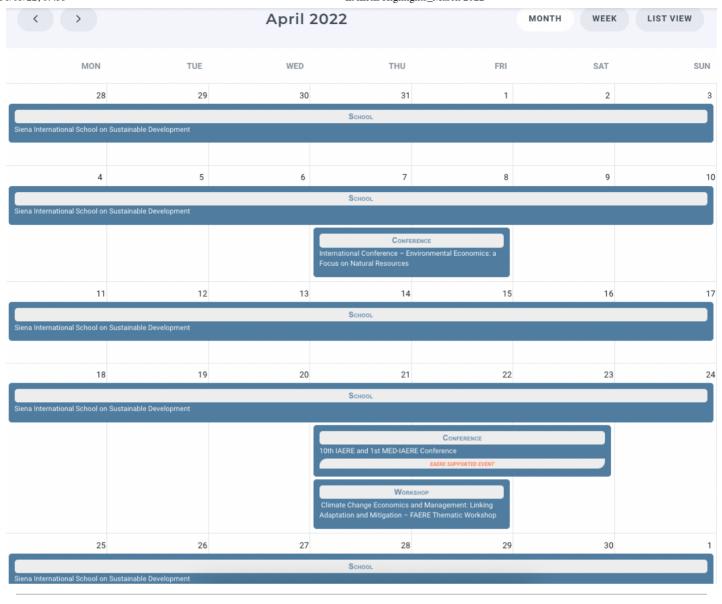
The European Commission periodically launches public consultations about different policy areas. Through public consultations, you can express your views on the scope, priorities and added value of EU action for new initiatives, or evaluate existing policies and laws. Check out the latest open consultations available on topics relevant to the EAERE and give your feedback. Particularly, we would like to flag the <u>Air quality - revision of EU rules consultation</u>.

See all the Consultations

Upcoming Events



Check out the <u>Agenda</u> 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.



Job Market



All the open positions signalled to EAERE are published on our <u>LinkedIn webpage</u>. If you wish to share a vacancy with us, write to ottavia.carlon@eaere.org copying eaere@eaere.org.

OPEN POSITIONS

OPEN POSITION

Postdoc researcher on theory and quantitative economic modelling for a circular economy

Tilburg University

Deadline: 1 April 2022



OPEN POSITION

W2 Professorship in Water Management and Climate Adaptation

Universität Leipzig

Deadline: 22 April 2022



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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**.

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