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EAERE 2023: save the dates!

We look forward to welcoming you in the island of Cyprus for the 28th Annual Conference of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists on **27-30 Jun 2023**! The conference will take place in presence in the coastal city of **Limassol**, while including some hybrid events as part of the programme. The conference is organised by The Cyprus Institute and the Cyprus University of Technology. All information is updated as it comes on the [dedicated Conference website](#).

Save the dates: we are looking forward to hosting you in Cyprus!



EAERE 2022: several sessions recordings now online

The video recordings of several sessions from the EAERE 2022 Annual Conference are now online on our Youtube channel! Come have a look in case you missed any of the plenaries, the policy sessions or the opening and closing remarks. Italian Minister of the Economy's speech is also there! Click [here](#)



EAERE President participation to side events at 77th General Assembly of the United Nations

On the occasion of the 77th General Assembly of the United Nations, EAERE President Phoebe Koundouri gave five different speeches in New York. They focused on the presentation of the [SDSN Global Climate Hub](#) that she chairs, as well as the SDSN and [AE4RIA](#) research on the acceleration of SDGs implementation. You can find the full list of speeches with more detailed information and a video recording on the [AE4RIA website](#).



First meeting of the EAERE Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee

The EAERE DEI Executive Committee (EC) First Meeting was held on September 6th, 2022. The DEI initiative wants to confirm EAERE's engagement in recognizing and supporting all kinds of diversity issues that have a significant impact on the welfare of its community. In the next days a process to establish a balanced and careful process of assignment of the EC positions will be started. The EC will be in charge of organising workshops to understand the thematic priorities, the needs, and the interests, and to co-design with the stakeholders the pathway that EAERE needs to take for becoming a diversity embracing association. Each cycle of workshops will focus on a specific aspect of diversity, equity, and inclusion.



10th EAERE-CEPR Webinar: "Competition and sustainability: on proposals to relax competition policy to promote Green Deal Objectives"

Join us on **25 October 2022 from 5:00 to 6:30 pm CET** to hear from Tilman Requate (University of Kiel) reviewing the relationships between imperfect markets and sustainability, Roman Inderst (University of Frankfurt and CEPR) discussing the conditions under which antitrust exemptions can improve sustainability, and Maarten Pieter Schinkel (University of Amsterdam) presenting methods and rules protecting competition to promote sustainability. Their presentations will be followed by a discussion on the effectiveness of competition policy involving sustainability issues, moderated by Marc Ivaldi (Toulouse School of Economics, EHESS and CEPR) and a Q&A session with the audience. Register [here](#)



9th EAERE-CEPR Webinar: "Climate Policy in times of war: make the Green Deal strong again!"

The 9th EAERE-CEPR webinar took place on September 13. The panel discussed strategic options for EU's climate policy and energy security. The video-recording of the event will be available soon on the EAERE Youtube Channel.



EAERE and the European Climate Pact

We are happy to share that EAERE's pledge has been accepted in the [European Climate Pact](#). EAERE made a pledge to "Organize future annual conferences as hybrid events and offset CO2 emissions through the 'Donate a tree to your city initiative' run by the municipality of Rimini". You can read the full EAERE pledge at [this link](#).



EAERE Science-Policy-Business Interface: second webinar on "Free thoughts on the future"

recording available

EAERE promotes a series of webinars entitled 'EAERE Webinars on Science-Policy-Business Interface'. The platform offered by these webinars aims to facilitate dialogue between the academic, political and corporate spheres, by gathering speakers coming from these different sectors. The second webinar, titled "Free thoughts on the future", was organised by IAERE President Sergio Vergalli along with Marta Castellini and Ilenia Romani and moderated by Sergio Vergalli. The video recording of the event is now available on our [Youtube channel](#).

To know more about the EAERE Science-Policy-Business Interface initiative, see the dedicated webpage on the EAERE website



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](#)



3rd edition of the PhD Summer School on “Economic Foundations for Energy and Climate Policies”

EUI, UC3M, DIW Berlin, TUB, UAM, UCL and ULB, with the support of EAERE, organised the 3rd edition of the [PhD Summer School on “Economic Foundations for Energy and Climate Policies”](#) from 19 to 23 September 2022.

During this training directed by Simone Borghesi (EUI and University of Siena), over 50 brilliant PhD students from all over Europe and beyond had the pleasure of listening to and discussing with leading scholars at the frontier of theory and practice, engaging with EU policymakers and enjoying the beauty of Florence, the Renaissance Capital. This was also the occasion to organise the last policy roundtable of the project [LIFE DICET](#).



3rd edition of the PhD Summer School on “Economic Foundations for Energy and Climate Policies”

The [Global Conference on Environmental Taxation \(GCET\)](#) took place in Parma (Italy) on 21-23 September 2022. This year's central topic revolved around the Green Growth Challenge. Environmental economists, among which many EAERE members, and tax lawyers discussed in sessions about different issues including carbon tax and carbon pricing, energy taxation, green tax reforms. The GCET Annual Prize (the Kreiser Award) - granted to an expert “who has made a significant contribution to the advancement of environmental taxation and other economic instruments in research or policy” - has been conceded to EAERE Policy Outreach Committee member **Aldo Ravazzi Douvan**, chief economist at the Italian Ministries of Environment and of Sustainable Infrastructures & Mobility, past-President of the OECD Committee on Environmental Taxation, teaching Sustainable Development at Universities of Rome Luiss and Tor Vergata.



Free access to 9 Springer journals for EAERE members

EAERE members get free trials on 9 journals by Springer until **30 November 2022**! Check out your [member login area](#) on the EAERE website for more information and access.



Environmental Justice Research in Economics: Context, Tools, and Methodologies

In October, EAERE's sister organization AERE is sponsoring a two-day virtual workshop titled "Environmental Justice Research in Economics: Context, Tools, and Methodologies." The workshop will take place on October 24-25 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. EDT and will also be recorded for future viewing by registered participants. For more information, please see the AERE website [here](#)



EfD's Annual Meeting

EfD's Annual meeting focused on global collaborations on environmental economics and policy implications. After two years of virtual events, the EfD's Annual Meeting was finally back to meeting in person. More than 100 researchers met to discuss research, policy impact and take part of high-class presentations. It took place in Uganda on September 22–26, 2022. EfD's Annual Meeting is the largest and most exciting conference in the Global South on the application of environmental and resource economics.

More information [here](#)



Workshop on Environmental Policy Evaluation by St. Gallen University

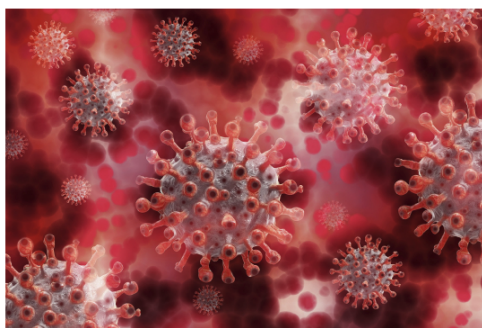
EAERE supports the Workshop on Environmental Policy Evaluation by St. Gallen University, which will take place on January 20-21, 2023. The goal of the workshop is to provide a platform for exchanging research ideas and results at the frontier of environmental policy evaluation. The focus is both on innovative empirical strategies as well as on implementing and developing state-of-the art impact evaluation methods. Deadline for submissions is **September 30, 2022**. More information [here](#)



Socio-economic effects of the pandemic in comprehensive study

A unique study on socio-economic aspects of Covid-19 in the Global South was presented at Environment for Development's Annual Meeting in Uganda. The survey study was undertaken in Colombia, India, Kenya, Nigeria, South Africa, Tanzania, and Vietnam. A total of 8,400 interviews have been conducted and the results will be used in a number of research publications and a second wave of survey is scheduled early next year.

More information [here](#)



Corona Virus. Photo: Gerd Altmann

Regional Meeting on Integrated Energy and Climate Planning

The Cyprus Institute, EAERE institutional member, is co-organizing with the International Atomic Energy Agency a Regional Meeting on Integrated Energy and Climate Planning in Nicosia, Cyprus, on 10-12 October 2022. Workshop coordinator is Prof. Theodoros Zachariadis, EAERE country representative of Cyprus.

More details can be found [here](#)

International Atomic Energy Agency Regional Meeting on Integrated Energy and Climate Planning

Hosted by the government of Cyprus through The Cyprus Institute

Monday 10 - Wednesday 12 October 2022



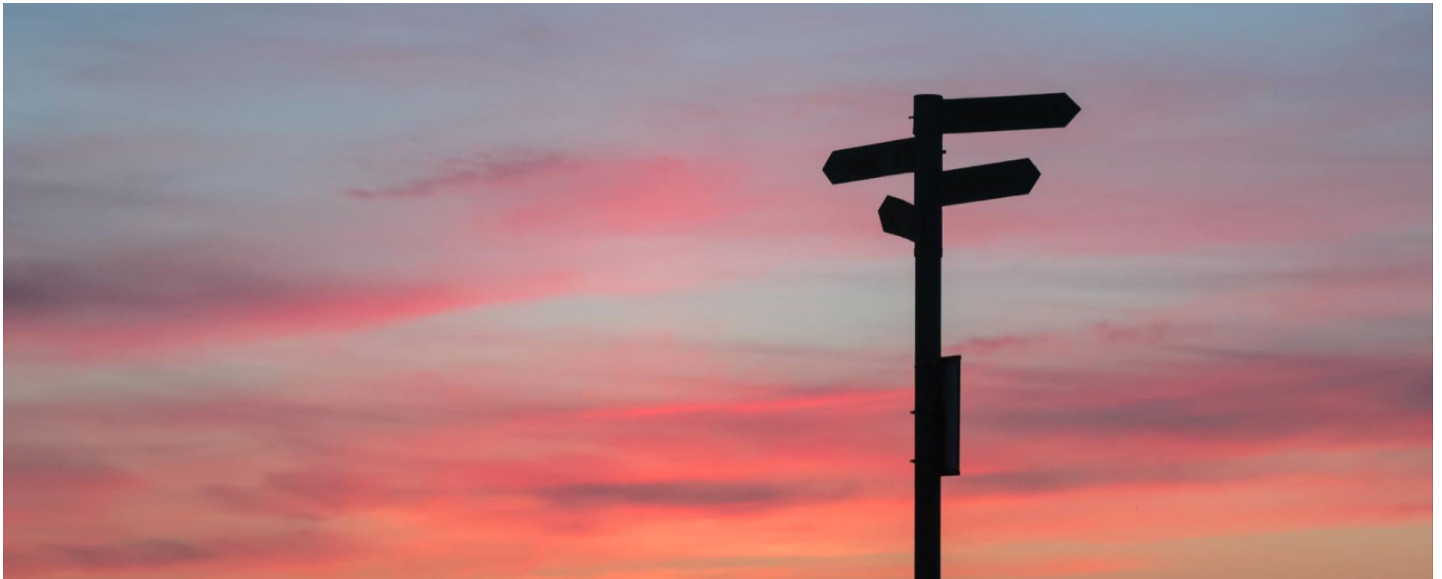
GGKP Expert Connect

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



COP27 Policy Briefs

On the road to this year's global climate change conference (COP27) to be held on 6-18 November 2022 in Egypt, the UK's Climate Compatible Growth programme is publishing [policy briefs](#) targeted to policymakers who will be present at COP27. One of these policy briefs has been prepared by a team of the Energy Division of the Cyprus Institute, EAERE institutional member. It presents a model-based assessment of regional electricity trade in the region of the Eastern Mediterranean and Middle East and highlights the large environmental and economic benefits from a future enhancement in energy cooperation and electricity trade across the region. This work was inspired by the [Eastern Mediterranean and Middle East Climate Change Initiative](#) of the government of Cyprus, supported by the Cyprus Institute, aiming to contribute to the development of a decarbonization action plan for the entire EMME region focusing on regional policy cooperation.

Beijer Institute of Ecological Economics's new Annual Report 2021/2022

The Beijer Institute of Ecological Economics is an international research institute under the auspices of the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences. Since 1991, the Beijer Institute has been an institute of ecological economics. The major objectives of the Beijer Institute are to carry out research and stimulate scientific cooperation to promote a deeper understanding of the interplay between ecological systems and social and economic development.

Read the Full Report [here](#)

US - Inflation Reduction Act

On August 16, 2022, U.S. President Joseph Biden signed into law the Inflation Reduction Act, which includes many provisions to promote clean energy and help combat climate change. The Act commits to investment of roughly \$369 billion over 10 years for clean energy and is expected to reduce carbon emissions by roughly 40 percent by 2030. The primary policy mechanisms used to promote clean energy in the bill include tax incentives for clean electricity generation and federal expenditures on R&D, technology deployment and facilitating siting of transmission and other energy infrastructure, among other measures. The bill also includes funding to reduce environmental injustice within the US.

Researchers discussed how to reach Sustainable Development Goal 8

Researchers from all over the world met at the University of Gothenburg on August 25-26 to present, discuss and

network on topics related to the Sustainable Development Goal 8 (SDG 8) in Agenda 2030. The aim was to mobilize academia in the efforts to achieve that goal and to strengthen the interactions with policy-makers. The conference offered high-class presentations as well as lively, constructive discussions.

More information [here](#)

Non-ETS CO2 tax with refund gets effective in Austria

In Austria, on October 1st the non-ETS CO2 tax will get effective (at € 30/t CO2), combined with a per capita refund paid in advance, split into a basic amount, and raised in three steps up to the double depending on residential location (rural areas with low population density, and thus least public transport coverage, with the highest overall amount). Distributional impacts derived from carbon footprint by income group are analysed [here](#) (German language).

In the first year the payment channel is combined with a support to counter overall price rises (another € 250 - added on that account per person; children get half). The refund level in future years is adapted in accordance with the rising CO2 charge level.

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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October 2022

MONTH

WEEK

LIST VIEW

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
		<div>CONFERENCE</div> <div>Environmental Protection and Sustainability Forum 2022 (EPSF)</div>				
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	<div>CONFERENCE</div> <div>ECEMP 2022 Conference – Acting on the ambitions to a net-zero EU: roadblocks, challenges, and opportunities</div>					
		<div>WORKSHOP</div> <div>Workshop on climate change and economic behavior: driving the transition</div> <div>EAERE SUPPORTED EVENT</div>				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		<div>SCHOOL</div> <div>Fall School in Climate Economics – Climate Economics Chair</div>				
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	<div>CONFERENCE</div> <div>SISC 2022 Annual Conference: Governing the Future</div> <div>EAERE SUPPORTED EVENT</div>					
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

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 copying eaere@eaere.org.

OPEN POSITIONS

OPEN POSITION

Postdoc on Regional economic modeling of long-term scenario's and climate policy impacts

Delft University of Technology

Deadline: 30 September 2022



OPEN POSITION

Postdoc in Energy Economics with a focus on CCUS and/or data infrastructure

Copenhagen School of Energy Infrastructure (CSEI) - Copenhagen Business School

Deadline: 3 October 2022



OPEN POSITION

Postdoc in Energy Economics

Copenhagen Business School

Deadline: 3 October 2022



OPEN POSITION

University assistant without doctorate (m/f/d)

University of Graz

Deadline: 12 October 2022



OPEN POSITION

University assistant with doctorate (m/f/d)

University of Graz

Deadline: 12 October 2022



OPEN POSITION

Tenure Track Assistant Professor in Applied Economics

Danish Technical University

Deadline: 1 December 2022



OPEN POSITION

Postdoctoral Research Fellow

University of Exeter

Deadline: 30 October 2022



OPEN POSITION

Associate Professor in Applied Economics

Technical University of Denmark

Deadline: 1 December 2022



OPEN POSITION

Research Associate in Agricultural and Resource Economics 80%

Zurich University of Applied Sciences - ZHAW

Deadline: Open



OPEN POSITION

Senior Economist

Environmental Defense Fund (EDF)

Deadline: Open



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