3rd International Conference:
Environment and Natural Resources Management in Developing and Transition Economies

With a pre-conference on Climate policies in developing countries

Call for Papers

The CERDI (Centre for Studies and Research on International Development) from the University of Auvergne is organizing its 3rd Conference on Environmental Economics and Natural Resources Management in Developing and Transition Economies, to be held:

08-10 October 2014 – CERDI – University of Auvergne (Clermont-Ferrand, France)

A pre-conference on Climate policies in developing countries is co-organized with the FERDI (Fondation pour les Etudes et Recherches sur le Développement International):

Invited speakers are:

Pre-conference
- Arild Angelsen, Norwegian University of Life Sciences
- Edward B. Barbier, University of Wyoming
- Dominique Bureau, Conseil Economique pour le Développement Durable – Ministère de l’Ecologie, du Développement Durable et de l’Energie
- Jean-Charles Hourcade, CIREED
- Axel Michaelowa, University of Zurich & Perspectives GmbH
- Juan-Pablo Montero, Department of Economics – PUC Chile
- Christian de Perthuis (tbc), Chaire d’Economie du Climat
- Michael Toman, Development Research Group, The World Bank

Conference
- Bengt Kriström, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences & CERE
- Rick van der Ploeg, University of Oxford

The conference is organized with the support of the French Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (FAERE) and of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (EAERE).
Pre-conference CLIMATE POLICIES IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, to be held on October 8th:

It is becoming increasingly clear that any new architecture for a climate protocol will involve more active mitigation by developing countries. In this perspective, CERDI and FERDI are hosting a pre-conference on CLIMATE POLICIES FOR MITIGATION IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, to be held on October 8th, 2014. This is an invitation for contributions to this pre-conference. Among others, contributions on the following topics are encouraged:

- Roles for developing countries in climate mitigation policies
- Taking stock on experiences in developing countries from existing instruments: REDD, CDM, PES, etc.
- New perspectives on instruments: e.g. carbon markets in emerging countries

Theoretical and applied contributions are welcome.

For thematic sessions of the Conference, you are invited to contribute on the following topics:

- Deforestation: macroeconomic policies and deforestation, REDD and REDD+ mechanisms
- Weather insurance
- Low-carbon cities in emerging countries: transport, waste management, urban sprawl
- Green economy in developing / emerging economies
- Economic valuation of the environment: stated and revealed preferences, experimental economics
- Agri-environmental policies: rural policies, farmers’ behavior, land use conflicts
- Energy: biofuels, oil rent, energy technology transition and provision of energy services
- Biodiversity: instruments for conservation, protected areas, economic value, payments for ecosystem services
- International trade and the environment: foreign direct investment, competitiveness
- Institutions and governance: national and international governance, environmental treaties, corruption
- Resources management: water, fisheries
- Health and the environment
- The private sector and the environment
- Financial, economic and environmental crises

This call for papers extends to all researchers working on the above topics. However, it does not exclude other contributions in the field of environment and development. Theoretical, empirical and policy-oriented works will be considered for oral presentation.

Papers submission

Full papers or work in progress written in English (at least 5 000 words) with an abstract (150-250 words), 4-5 keywords and detailed contact information (authors’ names and affiliations, postal addresses and emails of presenting authors - on a separate page) should be submitted by **July 4, 2014** at the following address: [http://enrmdte2014.sciencesconf.org/](http://enrmdte2014.sciencesconf.org/). Authors should indicate whether they submit their paper for the pre-conference or for thematic sessions. The papers to be submitted to the pre-conference will undergo the standard refereeing process.

Special issue

The editorial board of the journal *Resource and Energy Economics* has given a preliminary agreement for editing a special issue based on the papers presented at this Conference.
Registration fees

Include conference material, coffee breaks, 3 lunches, and 2 dinners. The deadline for early registration is September 15, 2014. After this date, higher registration fees will apply.

- General registration: 180 € before September 15, 2014; 216 € before October 1st
- Students’ rate (upon relevant document): 80 € before September 15, 2014; 116 € before October 1st

Please note, that we cannot provide any funding.

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Contact for details on submission and other scientific issues:

Please send an email to: enrmdte2014@sciencesconf.org
Information about the conference can be found at:


**Previous conferences:**

This conference is a follow up of the conferences which took place in Clermont-Ferrand, on 18-19 November 2010. The journal Environmental and Resource Economics (EARE) accepted to edit a special issue within the field of "environment and development" of which introduction is now on line: [Explorations in the Environment Development dilemma](http://cerdi.org/environment-and-natural-resources-management-in-developing-and-transition-economies-home-page.html). For further details, visit the Environment Development Conference 2010 website: [http://enrmde2012.sciencesconf.org/](http://enrmde2012.sciencesconf.org/)

17-19 October 2012. The journal Environment and Development Economics (EDE) accepted to host a special issue on "Climate change adaptation and mitigation in developing and transition economies". For further details, visit the Environment Development Conference 2012 website: [http://enrmde2012.sciencesconf.org/](http://enrmde2012.sciencesconf.org/)

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