**CALL FOR ABSTRACTS**

**The** **23rd Annual Conference**

**Environmental Economics, Policy and International Environmental Relations**

**University of Economics and Business, Prague**

**25-26 November 2021**

This Conference provides a conducive environment for a comprehensive exchange of ideas and discussion on new theoretical or/and empirical research papers in **environmental economics and policy** including **energy issues, climate change, sustainable tourism, circular economy, bio-economy, water management, and international environmental relations**. We welcome submissions based on novel quantitative/econometric techniques (works with original and extensive datasets) and papers applying qualitative research methods. Papers **explicitly outlining policy implications** are encouraged. **Doctoral (post-graduate) students** and **young researchers** are particularly invited to submit their papers. Accepted extended abstracts (3-4 pages) will be published in a book of extended abstracts and which **will be distributed at the conference**.

Following key issues are of particular interest of the conference:

* energy and climate change economic modeling; energy policies and politics,
* economic instruments of environmental policy,
* environmental, economic, social, health and political aspects of sustainable tourism,
* international environmental relations, including environmental aspects of international trade,
* water economics and policy,
* market and non-market valuation of environmental goods and services.

The papers for the 2021 Conference will be selected on the basis of **300-400 words abstracts (1 page),** which **should be structured as follows**: (i) overview and research goal(s), (ii) research methods and data, and (iii) preliminary results and conclusions. Extended abstract (3-4 pages) or full papers will be also accepted already in this stage of conference preparation.

**Deadlines**

October 17, 2021 – Abstracts to be sent by form on <https://environmental-conference.vse.cz/#registration>

October 22, 2021 – Paper acceptance confirmation

November 8, 2021 – Extended abstracts submission (for publishing in the conference publication)

October 31, 2021 – Presenting participants registration (in order to be included in program)

November 25-26, 2021– Conference

**Conference Scientific Committee**

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There is **no conference fee**, but each participant will be expected to arrange and pay for their own travel and accommodation expenses.

**In the case some accepted papers could not be presented due to coronavirus related problems, the author will be able to present it remotely via web tool (TEAMS).**

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