

Special Issue

Economic Policies for the Sustainability Transition

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims at collecting original contributions on the changing landscape of sustainability policies and their economic and social impacts. A desired feature of the proposed papers is the specific consideration of the role of policies at different levels. All policy domains and areas of sustainability can be considered even beyond the core areas of decarbonisation, circular economy, pollution, and biodiversity. All the different steps of the policy cycle can be addressed, from the principles and objectives informing policy design, to multilevel policy implementation, policy effectiveness, the impact of policies on the real world in terms of environmental, social and well-being outcomes, and the interplay between policies and markets. An indicative, but not exhaustive, list of topics is as follows (EESP: environmental, energy and sustainability policies):

- Industrial dynamics and innovations induced by EESP;
- Sustainability and green economy as a recovery strategies after macroeconomic shocks;
- Public spending and investments for the sustainability transition;
- Financial strategies and innovative financial instruments for sustainability;

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