

Recommendations for COP21 (Paris 2015)

Given the continuing failure of international climate negotiations, climate policy must break new ground. This requires a departure from over-ambitious climate protection goals and the ideal of a global agreement towards a bottom-up-based extension of global climate protection. A prerequisite for this is a confidence-building climate policy framework that secures the success of the unilateral efforts and at the same time convinces developing countries for climate protection.

- *From the “Copenhagen Syndrome” to “Climate Realpolitik”*
- *How to support the EU’s first-mover position in climate policy?*
- *Is climate adaptation counterproductive for climate protection?*
- *Satellite-based monitoring for building trust*

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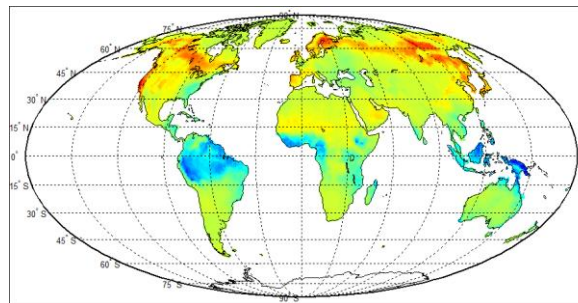
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Thursday, 19 February

14:00 Welcome

14:15 – 15:30 **Key Note Speech: Climate coalitions in a mitigation-adaptation game**
Michael Finus, University of Bath

Coffee Break

Session 1: EU's first-mover position in climate policy
Chair: Daniel Becker, European University Viadrina, RECAP15

16:00 – 16:30 **Challenges and risks of being the first mover**
Wolfgang Buchholz, University of Regensburg, RECAP15
Wolfgang Peters, European University Viadrina, RECAP15

16:30 – 17:15 **Design of border adjustments for the EU ETS**
Ulrike Will, European University Viadrina, RECAP15

Coffee Break

17:30 – 18:15 **Inclusion of consumption in EU ETS**
Roland Ismer, University of Erlangen-Nürnberg

18:15 – 19:30 **Round-table 1: Unilateral European climate policy**
Chair: Markus Becker, Spiegel Online
Annalena Baerbock, Spokesperson for Climate Policy, Bündnis 90/Die Grünen
Susanne Dröge, Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik (SWP), Berlin
Bill Shobe, University of Virginia
Günther Verheugen, European University Viadrina

20:00 *Dinner*

Friday, 20 February

Session 2: Monitoring, fairness and trust building
Chair: Rüdiger Pethig, University of Siegen

09:15 Opening

09:30 – 10:00 **Reciprocity and cost-sharing as instruments to promote multilateral climate protection**
Aneta Ufert, European University Viadrina, RECAP15

10:00 – 10:30 **Spatio-temporal statistical analysis of the global carbon cycle**
Patrick Vetter, European University Viadrina, RECAP15

Coffee Break

11:00 – 11:45 **Citizens' perceptions of justice in international climate policy and voluntary contributions to climate-friendly activities**
Joachim Schleich, Fraunhofer Institute for Systems and Innovation Research (ISI)

11:45 – 13:00 **Round-table 2: Behavioral economics and fairness preferences in climate negotiations**
Chair: Marcel Thum TU Dresden and CESifo Group Dresden
Friedel Bolle, European University Viadrina, RECAP15
Wolfgang Buchholz, University of Regensburg, RECAP15
Georg Meran, TU Berlin
Dirk Rübhelke, University of Freiberg
Bodo Sturm, HTWK Leipzig

Lunch Break

Session 3: Substitutability of adaptation and mitigation
Chair: Daniel Becker, European University Viadrina, RECAP15

14:15 – 14:45 **Climate cooperation with technology investments and border carbon adjustments**
Carsten Helm, University of Oldenburg

14:45 – 15:15 **Strategic climate policy and risk-taking**
Heike Auerswald, TU Dresden

15:15 – 15:45 **Adaptation and investments as commitment devices in climate politics**
Anna Topp, European University Viadrina, RECAP15

Coffee Break

16:00 – 16:30 **Policy implications**
Alexander Haupt, Plymouth University

16:30 – 17:45 **Round-table 3: From the "Copenhagen Syndrome" to "Climate Realpolitik"**
Chair: Alexander Mäder, Stuttgarter Zeitung
Jonathan Z. Cannon, University of Virginia
Karen Pittel, CESifo Group Munich
Michael Rauscher, University of Rostock
Reimund Schwarze, European University Viadrina, RECAP15 and UFZ Leipzig

17:45 Closing remarks

19:00 *Dinner*