



Re-thinking the Efficacy
of International Climate
Agreements Post COP15



International Conference

Step-By-Step – How to Progress in International Climate Policy

19&20 February 2015

Berlin

Venue: Helmholtz-Gemeinschaft
Anna-Louisa-Karsch-Straße 2

Programme

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*