

Call for papers

International Virtual Forum

on

Net Zero Emission Transition: structural changes in industry, governance, and society

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This international virtual forum aims at exploring the multifaceted challenges and solutions in the ongoing decarbonization efforts of governments, enterprises, and citizens. Achieving net zero emissions requires fundamental and structural changes in almost every aspect of society, in which firms must dramatically alter heavy manufacturing-based production lines, elite groups change their high-carbon lifestyles which is under heavy attack, while environment-friendly politics challenges vested interests of in the interaction between states and businesses.

The international virtual forum is financially supported by the Academic Consortium for the 21st Century (AC 21) special project fund and has been scheduled in February 2023. We specifically welcome studies addressing the following topics include, but are not limited to:

- Social aspects of net zero emission transition
- Social dynamics of sustainable urban development
- Industrial changes and net zero emission transition
- Technological change and net zero emission transition
- Net zero emission transition governance and policymaking

Interested scholars are encouraged to submit your abstract and contact information to Prof. Shuanping Dai (daishuanping@jlu.edu.cn and daishuanping@hotmail.com), by the deadline on ***December 31, 2022***.

We will edit a special issue, one of the outputs of this workshop, in a SSCI-listed (double blind peer review) journal. The high-quality full papers in the workshop, therefore, will be prioritized for the peer-review.

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