

Scientific programme

Research Workshop

October 13th/14th 2011 in Delhi

“Comparative Sub-National Climate Policy and Politics“

Location: Indo German Chamber of Commerce,
Conference Room, 2,
Nyaya Marg,
German House,
Chanakyapuri, Delhi: 110021

Day 1 October 13th

Climate Policy Driven Innovation and Industrial Development in Old and Newly Industrializing Countries

- 9:00 Greetings and Opening Remarks
Miranda Schreurs, Director, Environmental Policy Research Centre (FFU), Freie Universität Berlin
Arabinda Mishra, Dean, Faculty of Policy and Planning, TERI University and Director of the Climate Change Division, The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI), New Delhi
- 9:20 Climate Policy as Innovation: A Comparative Analysis
Martin Jänicke, Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität Berlin
- 09:40 Energy for Sustainable Development in India: Linkages and Strategic Direction
Leena Srivastava, The Energy and Resources Institute, New Delhi
- 10:00 Chair: *Kirsten Jörgensen*
Discussants:
Navroz Dubash, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi;
Barry Rabe, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, University of Michigan
- 10:30 Coffee

The Role of the Subnational State Level in Climate Policy – Research Foci of Intra- and International Comparative Research

- 11:00 Subnational State Climate Change Politics. A Comparative Perspective
Miranda Schreurs, Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität Berlin
- 11:20 Including India in Comparative Subnational Climate Policy Research
Kirsten Jörgensen, Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität Berlin
- 11:40 The Complex Institutional Setting of Indian Energy Policy and the Role of the Subnational State Level
Christian Wagner, Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik (German Institute for International and Security Affairs), Berlin

12:00 Chair: *Dörte Ohlhorst*
Discussants:
Stacy VanDeveer, University of New Hampshire
Arun Kansal, The Energy and Resources Institute, New Delhi

12:30 Buffet Lunch

Laboratories for Experimentation

13:30 Mainstreaming Climate Change Response - Learning from State Action Plans for Climate Change (SAPCCs) in India
Arabinda Mishra, Navarun Varma, The Energy and Resources Institute, New Delhi

13:50 The Promotion of Wind Energy by the Indian States
Jan Beermann, Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität Berlin

14:10 Renewable Energy Extension and Adaptation of the Electricity Grid in the German States
Dörte Ohlhorst, Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität Berlin

14:30 Sustainability Indicators in the Subnational Governance of Climate Change
Lisa Pettibone, Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität

14:50 Transaction Cost Regulation in the Indian Electricity Sector. Towards Efficient Governance
Ranjan Kumar Ghosh, Division of Resource Economics, Humboldt University Berlin

15:10 Chair: *Sander Happaerts*
Discussants:
V.V.N. Kishore, The Energy and Resources Institute
Martin Jänicke, Environmental Policy Research Centre

15:40 Coffee

16:10 Thematic Workgroups, Drafting Research and Publication Proposals on Comparative Subnational Climate Policies

17:30 Report from the Thematic Workgroups and Discussion of Research Proposals
Moderation: *Arun Kansal*, The Energy and Resources Institute

18:30 Dinner

Day 2: October 14th

The Role of Subnational States in Multi-level Climate Governance

9:00 The Role of the Bundesländer in German Climate Change Policy
Helmut Weidner, Social Science Research Center, Berlin

9:20 Contested Federalism and American Climate Policy
Barry Rabe, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, University of Michigan

- 9:40 Multi-level Governance of Climate Change in India
Navroz Dubash, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi
- 10:00 Subnational Climate Change Policies in Belgium: Political Differences in a Complex Federal Setting
Sander Happaerts, Institute for International and European Policy, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven
- 10:20 Chair: *Jan Beermann*
Discussants:
Leena Srivastava, The Energy and Resource Institute
Christian Wagner, Stiftung für Wissenschaft und Politik, Berlin
- 10:50 Coffee
- 11:15 Thematic Workgroups, Drafting Research and Publication Proposals on the Role of the Subnational Level in Multi-level Climate Governance
- 12:30 Report from the Thematic Workgroups and Discussion of Research Proposals
Moderation: *Lisa Pettibone*
- 13:00 Lunch
- 14:00 Round Table - Planning session: Joint Research Proposal and Publications, Forming Research Teams
Moderation: *Arabinda Mishra, Miranda Schreurs*
- 15:00 Coffee
- 15:15 Research Team Group Work
- 16:30 Meeting with Dr. Torsten Fischer, DFG Office India (TBC)
Moderation: Martin Jänicke
- 17:30 Outlook and Close of Workshop
Kirsten Jörgensen
- 19:00 Reception and Dinner at the India Habitat Center, TERI