# **How to reach Carbon Neutrality/Climate Neutrality?**

# Draft Agenda

24.08.2020	State of Global Climate Policy
	Moderators: Lutz Mez & Miranda Schreurs
	<ul> <li>Moderators: Lutz Mez &amp; Miranda Schreurs</li> <li>Welcome         (Lutz Mez &amp; Miranda Schreurs)</li> <li>Updated development of GHG emissions 2019         (Hans-Joachim Ziesing)</li> <li>The opportunity of turning the fuel-electricity system         (Tomas Kåberger, tbc)</li> <li>Coal phase out – Germany and Canada in comparison         (Dörte Ohlhorst)</li> <li>Economic effects and sustainability impacts of reaching 95% GHG         mitigation under different scenarios for Germany         (Ulrike Lehr)</li> </ul> Carbon Neutrality vs. Climate Neutrality
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	<ul> <li>A Comparative Look at Climate Neutrality Politics (Miranda Schreurs)</li> <li>Compensation and climate neutrality - the ideal route to climate protection? (Edda Müller)</li> <li>Climate neutrality - a chance for the oil industry? (Ruprecht Brandis)</li> <li>The petroleum industry and the climate challenge (Atle Midttun, tbc)</li> <li>Low carbon energy and economy transformation (Marcelo Poppe, video)</li> <li>From Energy paradigm to Carbon paradigm, then Solar paradigm (Tetsu lida, video)</li> <li>Carbon Neutrality vs. Climate Neutrality in Japanese context (Jusen Asuka, video)</li> </ul>
25.08.2020	<ul> <li>Nuclear Industry Challenges</li> <li>Moderators: Rosaria Di Nucci &amp; Hans-Joachim Ziesing</li> <li>Nuclear power, democracy and nuclear diplomacy (Christian von Hirschhausen)</li> <li>Nuclear challenges in Slovenia/Croatia (Leo Seserko)</li> <li>Photovoltaics vs. Nuclear - future prospects and impediments (Reinhard Haas)</li> <li>The Complex Good of Nuclear Power – Organizational Models for Producing and Providing Nuclear Power (Ben Wealer)</li> </ul>

	Geopolitics of Energy  Moderators: Lutz Moz & Christoph Hopsolor
	<ul> <li>Moderators: Lutz Mez &amp; Christoph Henseler</li> <li>Geopolitics of Renewables (Andreas Goldthau, video)</li> <li>Geopolitics of Nuclear Proliferation (Lutz Mez)</li> <li>Geopolitics of energy in Mexico (Leticia Campos Aragón, video)</li> <li>Geopolitics of energy transformation – the case of Cuba (Burkhard Auffermann, video?)</li> <li>Geopolitics of Gas (Ulviyye Aydin &amp; Birgit Wetzel)</li> <li>The political aspects of the formation of single energy market in Eurasian Union (Sevak Sarukhanyan, video?)</li> <li>Deconstruction of narratives in the context of the future of natural gas (Fabian Präger)</li> </ul>
25./26.08.2020	Side Event (from noontime to noontime parallel session):  Das transdisziplinäre Arbeitspaket DIPRO in TRANSENS: Selbstverständnis, Struktur und Ziele – eine Einführung  Moderators: Achim Brunnengräber & Ulrich Smeddinck
26.08.2020	<ul> <li>Future of the Transport Sector</li> <li>Moderators: Hans-Liudger Dienel &amp; Lutz Mez</li> <li>Prospects for CO<sub>2</sub>-reduction in transport / Hydrogen or Electric vehicles (Amela Ajanovic)</li> <li>Synthetic fuels at the doorstep? German Stakeholder positioning and narratives towards efuels (Lisa Nabitz &amp; Dirk Scheer)</li> <li>Future of long-distance rail routes from Europe to Asia (Hans-Liudger Dienel)</li> <li>Pathways for Post Carbon Logistics (Christoph Henseler)</li> <li>Transport System Governance - energy, environment, digitalization, infrastructure. Outlining scenarios for shaping the transition of a key European industry (Ruggero Schleicher-Tappeser, video?)</li> </ul>

#### Radwaste Management as an Ongoing Sociotechnical Dilemma

Moderators: Anne Eckhardt & Christian von Hirschhausen

- Trust, mistrust, distrust and trust-building in the nuclear sector: historical and comparative experience from Europe (Markku Lehtonen)
- Confidence gap or path dependency? The siting process for radwaste in Germany
  - (Rosaria Di Nucci & Ana Maria Isidoro Losada)
- Recent developments of radioactive waste management in Sweden (Johan Swahn, video?)
- Using transdisciplinary research for the German site selection process for HRW: challenges and opportunities (Peter Hocke, Dirk Scheer, Lisa Nabitz)
- Socio-Scientific Research at BASE framework, current projects and prospects (Zoe Felder)
- Nothing learned from the past? Diminishing actors for overcoming past conflicts and new narratives for NPPs (Daniel Häfner)

Reception

**Gala Dinner** 

## **Climate Action Plans of Metropolitans & Municipal CAPs**

Moderators: Christoph Henseler & Lutz Mez

- Panel Discussion: CAPs of Berlin, Copenhagen, London & Prague (Martin Bursik, Bernd Hirschl, NN, NN)
- Implementation Challenges facing Local Climate Action Plans in Germany (Annette Piening)
- Vision 2030 of Danish Municipalities (Karen Marie Pagh Nielsen, tbc)

### Pioneer Role of Universities for Energy Efficiency & Green Energy

Moderators: Nicholas Watts & Christoph Henseler

- 27.08.2020
- FU Berlin on the way to climate neutrality (Andreas Wanke)
- Climate Emergency declaration of the University of British Columbia (Kurt Hübner, video?)
- Sustainable Education, Research, and Operations at the University of Southern California (Dan Mazmanian, video)
- The Green Campus of Nazarbayev University (Gulzhan Yermekova & Kanat Baigarin, video)
- Implementation of green and sustainable approach in higher education. Case study of the Kazakh German University in Almaty (Barbara Janusz-Pawletta, video)

#### Concert in Raitenhaslach

### **New Institutions for Sustainability and Climate Protection**

Moderators: Hans-Joachim von Wartenberg & Lutz Mez

- Can UNFCCC reinvent itself? (Aviel Verbruggen, tbc)
- Greening of industry with biomass steam gasification and carbon capture (Valdis Bisters)
- State, society, capital and (in)ability to deliver sustainability: lessons from global EU(rope) (Yuliya Yurchenko, video)
- The potential of collaborative institutions for major policy change Lessons from the German 'Coal Commission' (Hanna Brauers, video)
- Women's realities in the wake of energy transitions A systematic literature analysis of gender in coal regions (Isabell Braunger)

28.08.2020

### **Renewable Energy in Emerging Markets**

Moderators: Heinrich Schulz & Lutz Mez

- Anticipating future trends discursive struggles about renewable energy development (Jyrki Luukkanen, video?)
- Financing renewable energy projects in emerging markets (Khatereh Saghebisaeidi)
- Peaks and policies exploring the growth of solar power (Liv Lundberg, video)
- Renewable energy projects in Central Asia (Birgit Wetzel)