

Call for papers ESEE 2015 - EPG Special Issue

(Deadline, October 15th, 2015)



The journal of *Environmental Policy and Governance* will produce an issue covering material from the ESEE 2015 conference “*Transformations*” organised in Leeds, UK. We hereby invite you to send your full papers for evaluation for this special conference issue.

In line with the conference theme, the special issue aims at bringing together cutting-edge research in ecological economics that explores solutions for the transformation to a sustainable society, in theory or in practice. In this context, authors are encouraged to specify the way their contribution advances thinking and practice in ecological economics on transformations, as appropriate, in the main text of their paper. We would particularly welcome papers addressing post-growth economics (degrowth and steady state economics, ecological macroeconomics; societal metabolism); incentives and institutions for ecosystems and biodiversity; trade, distribution and environmental justice; human well-being; new business models; changing patterns of human behaviour; communities of practice.

The deadline for submissions is **October 15th, 2015**. Manuscripts should include an abstract of max. 250 words and be approximately 7,000 – 8,000 words in length. Standard EPG rules apply in the submission process. Please see author guidelines at [http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1002/\(ISSN\)1756-9338](http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1002/(ISSN)1756-9338). Manuscripts and other related documents should be sent as an email attachment to esee2015@leeds.ac.uk with a note indicating that this is for the special conference issue of EPG journal.

Concerning the evaluation procedure, in the first screening phase, papers fitting well to the conference issue with a potential to pass the review process will be selected. These will then be taken to a full peer-review where the paper will be assigned to at least two reviewers. Authors of papers that do not get beyond the first screening will be informed at a very early stage.

As outlined below, the schedule is quite tight. The EPG-ESEE 2015 review process is planned to be finalised by May 2016. Therefore, the authors will need to have quick turn around of their revisions. The draft production schedule of the special issue is as follows:

Submissions – October 15, 2015
Referees' comments – January 15, 2015
Resubmission after revisions – March 15, 2016
Final decision – May 15, 2016
Final editing – End of May 2016
Submission by deadline – June 1, 2016

For any further queries, please do not hesitate to send an email to: esee2015@leeds.ac.uk

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