

WINTER SCHOOL
“Energy transition and fundamental rights”

University of Palermo

*Department of Law – Department of Political Science and International Relations
Centre for Sustainability and Ecological Transition – Centre for Advanced Studies*

PHD STUDENTS' WORKSHOPS

***The energy transition between development prospects and dangers
for the protection of fundamental rights: an interdisciplinary approach.***

Palermo, March 3 – 4, 2023

University of Palermo, Department of Law
Via Maqueda, 172, 90134 – Palermo, Italy
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Call for abstracts

ART. 1 – Object and purpose.

The PhD programs in "Human rights: evolution, protection and limits", "Legal pluralism. Ancient and current perspectives", "Dynamics of systems" and "Ecological transition", in collaboration with the Center for Sustainability and Ecological Transition and the Master in "Law and Technique of the Ecological Transition" of the University of Palermo, are pleased to announce the *Workshop for PhD students* entitled "***The energy transition between development prospects and dangers for the protection of fundamental rights: an interdisciplinary approach***", which will be held in **Palermo on March 3 and 4, 2023**.

The activity will conclude the work of the *Winter school* on "*Energy transition and fundamental rights*" which will take place at the same University from 27 February 2023 to 4 March 2023 (*Winter school* schedule is attached). Participation in the *Workshop* needs participation in the *Winter school*: to register for the *Winter school* please see the *call* available at the following link:

<https://www.unipa.it/dipartimenti/di.gi./dottorati/dirittiumanievoluzionetutelaelimitiinternazionale/>

The *Workshop* aims to be an opportunity for comparison and in-depth study for PhD students on extremely topical issues.

Indeed, the serious climate crisis in progress and the increasingly difficult access to "traditional" energy sources have compelled a rethinking of the methods of production and energy supply. It is a transversal path, which starts from the natural sciences, but is destined to deal with the complex economic, social and political dynamics that characterize modern legal systems. In the background, the unfading presence of fundamental rights, which live an ambivalent relationship with the energy transition, exposed as they are to risks of excessive compression and opportunities for their strengthening. In this panorama, the numerous actions undertaken at International, European, and national levels ultimately met the support, among others, of the post-pandemic recovery policies.

The essential feature of the *Workshop* will be, therefore, the interdisciplinary nature of the scientific comparison, allowing interested PhD students to make proposals capable of describing the most varied aspects of the theme under examination, ranging from the most strictly legal profiles to those of economic, social, philosophical and geo-political nature.

ART. 2 – Recipients of the *call for abstracts*.

PhD students enrolled in the following PhD courses can participate in this *call for abstracts*:

- PhD course in “Human rights: evolution, protection and limits” of the University of Palermo;
- PhD course in “Legal pluralisms. Ancient and current perspectives” of the University of Palermo;
- PhD course in “Systems dynamic” of the University of Palermo;
- PhD course in “Ecological transition” of the University of Palermo.

PhD students from an Italian or foreign University may also participate in this *call for abstracts* if they are regularly enrolled in the *Winter school* on "Energy Transition and Fundamental Rights", which will be held at the University of Palermo from 27 February 2023 to 4 March 2023, according to the indications contained in the *call* available at the following link:

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ART. 3 – Organization of the *Workshop*.

The *Workshop* will take place on March 3, 2023 at 4.00 pm, and on March 4, 2023 at 9.00 am, at the Department of Law of the University of Palermo (Via Maqueda, 172, 90134 – Palermo).

The Scientific Committee and the Organizing Committee reserve the right to arrange several non-contextual panels, according to the theme and the number of proposals.

The *Workshop* will be held in Italian and English and in hybrid formula (*online* and in presence).

More information about the organization of the activity will be provided following the selection of proposals.

ART. 4 – Selection of proposals and participation in the *Workshop*.

PhD students interested in participating in the *Workshop* must send to the *e-mail* address francesco.giacalone10@unipa.it, **no later than February 20, 2023**:

1. the application form, completed in its entirety and signed, to be downloaded at the following *link*: <https://cloud.unipa.it/index.php/s/ADOkdxAD9GhS6Z9> (please do not change the structure of the document);
2. the *abstract*, in Italian or English, of your proposal, with a maximum size of **500 words including any footnotes**;
3. *curriculum vitae et studiorum* in Italian or English;
4. copy of a valid identity document.

All documents must be sent in ".pdf" format.

The subject of the e-mail must be the following: "Energy Transition Workshop – Name and surname of the candidate".

The proposal will be submitted, **guaranteeing its anonymity**, to the evaluation of the Scientific Committee which will comply with the following parameters:

- consistency of the proposal with respect to the themes of the *Workshop*, as defined by art. 1, par. 3;
- originality of the proposal;
- methodology.

The maximum number of proposals admitted will be **12**.

The list of selected proposals will be notified by *email* to stakeholders by **February 24, 2023**. Candidates will make sure they have received the communication.

PhD students whose proposals have been selected must confirm their participation in the *Workshop* **no later than February 26, 2023**, sending an *e-mail* to francesco.giacalone10@unipa.it. In the same *e-mail* it must be communicated any intention to participate in the activities in presence.

Each PhD student will have **10** minutes to present her/his work, followed by a short debate.

Speakers may use a presentation in ".ppt" format (Microsoft Office PowerPoint).

Although *on-site* attendance is encouraged, speakers will be allowed to participate in the *Workshop* online.

There is no contribution to cover all, or part, of the costs incurred by PhD students for participating in the *Workshop*.

Summary of deadlines

<i>Presentation of proposals</i>	By February 20, 2023
<i>Communication of selected proposals</i>	By February 24, 2023
<i>Confirmation of participation in the Workshop</i>	By February 26, 2023
<i>Workshop</i>	March 3 - 4, 2023

The Scientific Committee: prof. Nicola Gullo, prof. Daniela Mazzagrecò, prof. Mario Varvaro.

The Organizing Committee: dr. Francesco Giacalone, dr. Cristiana Li Volsi, dr. Manfredi Matassa.

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Winter school 2023 location: Orto Botanico, Sala Lanza, Via Lincoln, 2 – 90133, Palermo, Italy

Monday, February 27, 2023	
Institutional greetings 9.15 am – 9.45 am	<p><i>Prof. Armando Plaia</i> – Director of the Department of Law of the University of Palermo.</p> <p><i>Prof. Antonello Miranda</i> – Director of Centre for Advanced Studies of the University of Palermo.</p> <p><i>Prof. Aldo Schiavello</i> – Coordinator of the PhD course in "Human Rights: evolution, protection and limits" of the University of Palermo.</p> <p><i>Prof. Giuseppe Di Chiara</i> – Coordinator of the PhD course in "Legal pluralism. Ancient and current perspectives" of the University of Palermo.</p> <p><i>Prof. Salvatrice Vizzini</i> – Deputy coordinator of the PhD course in "Ecological transition" and member of "Centre for Sustainability and Ecological Transition" of the University of Palermo.</p> <p><i>Prof. Salvatore Mancuso</i> – Coordinator of the PhD course in "Systems dynamic" of the University of Palermo.</p>
Introduction to the works 9.45 am – 10.00 am	<p>Introduction. The problems of the energy transition.</p> <p><i>Prof. Nicola Gullo</i> – Full Professor of Administrative Law at the University of Palermo.</p> <p><i>Prof. Daniela Mazzagrecò</i> – Associate Professor of Tax Law at the University of Palermo.</p> <p><i>Prof. Mario Varvaro</i> – Full Professor of Roman Law and Education Officer of the PhD course in "Human Rights: evolution, protection and limits" of the University of Palermo.</p>

<p>I Session <i>Climate change and energy transition.</i> 10.00 am – 12.00 am</p>	<p>Energy transition and climate crisis. <i>Prof. Maurizio Cellura</i> – Full Professor of Environmental Physics and Technology at the University of Palermo.</p> <p>Le fonti di energia rinnovabile: prospettive e problemi. <i>Prof. Marco Beccali</i> - Full Professor of Environmental Physics and Technology at the University of Palermo.</p>
<p>II Session <i>European law and energy policy</i> 2.00 pm – 3.00 pm</p>	<p>La política energética en Europa: hacia la neutralidad climática. <i>Prof. Isabel Gonzalez Rios</i> – Full Professor of Administrative Law at the University of Malaga.</p>

Tuesday, February 28, 2023

<p>III Session <i>Energy policy between domestic and international law</i> 10.00 am – 12.00 am</p>	<p>I vincoli internazionali per il contenimento delle emissioni climalteranti. <i>Prof. Elena Carpanelli</i> – Adjunct Professor of International law at the University of Parma.</p> <p>La transizione energetica alla prova delle emergenze: il quadro italiano <i>Prof. Francesco Vetrò</i> – Full Professor of Administrative Law at the University of Parma and former President of GSE.</p>
<p>2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p>	<p>La política energética en España. <i>Prof. José Alenza Garcia</i> - Full professor of Administrative Law at the University of Pamplona.</p> <p>La protección de la selva amazónica en Brasil. <i>Prof. Karin Kässmayer</i> - Full Professor of Environmental Law at Instituto Brasileiro de Ensino, Desenvolvimento e Pesquisa (IDP).</p>

Wednesday, March 1, 2023

<p>IV Session <i>Climate justice and new rights.</i> 10.00 am – 13.00 am</p>	<p>La giustizia climatica: quale diritto al clima stabile? <i>Prof. Sara Valaguzza</i> – Full Professor of Administrative Law at the State University of Milan.</p> <p>Le comunità energetiche. <i>Prof. Loredana Giani</i> – Full professor of Administrative Law at the European University of Rome.</p> <p>Arctic Indigenous Governance and Economic Sustainability. <i>Prof. Margherita Paola Poto</i> – Associate Professor of Administrative Law at the University of Turin and the Arctic University of Norway.</p>
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<p>V Session <i>The energy transition between rights and market.</i> 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p>	<p>The energy market and user protection. <i>Prof. Aristide Police</i> – Full Professor of Administrative Law at LUISS University in Rome.</p> <p>Il costo burocratico per l'energia. <i>Prof. Lorenzo Saltari</i> – Full professor of Public Law at the University of Palermo.</p>
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Thursday, March 2, 2023

<p>VI Session <i>Environment, landscape and energy transition.</i> 10.00 am – 13.00 am</p>	<p>Tutela del paesaggio e promozione delle energie rinnovabili. <i>Prof. Patrizia Marzaro</i> – Full Professor of Administrative Law at the University of Padua.</p> <p>Approvvigionamento energetico e condizione di insularità. <i>Dr. Andrea Butera</i> – Sole Director of S.med.e. Pantelleria Spa and vice-president of Unione Nazionale Imprese Elettriche Minori.</p> <p>Smart city and energy transition. <i>Prof. Daniele Ronsivalle</i> – Associate Professor of Urban Planning at the University of Palermo.</p>
<p>VII Session <i>For a new energy policy.</i> 2.00 pm – 4.00 am</p>	<p>Crisi energetica e nuove politiche energetiche. <i>Lawyer Andrea Maria Felici</i> – Director of the Ministry of the Environment and Energy Security.</p> <p>Emission Trading Scheme nell'esperienza italiana. <i>Lawyer Antonio Sclafani</i> – Department of Energy - Ministry of Environment and energy security.</p>

Friday, March 3, 2023

<p>VIII Session <i>Taxation and energy transition.</i> 10.00 am – 1.00 pm</p>	<p>El marco conceptual de la tributación ambiental. <i>Prof. José A. Rozas Valdes</i> – Professor of Financial and Tax Law at the University of Barcelona.</p> <p>Il ruolo della fiscalità ambientale per una transizione ecologica giusta</p> <p>I principi internazionali, europei e costituzionali. <i>Prof. Roberta Alfano</i> – Associate Professor of Tax Law of the University of Naples "Federico II".</p> <p>La disciplina interna. <i>Lawyer Pietro Mastellone</i> – Lawyer of the Court of Florence.</p>
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<p>IX Session <i>Sustainable development and energy transition.</i> 2.00 pm – 3.00 pm</p>	<p>L'integrazione delle politiche ambientali con le politiche economiche: la strategia italiana di sviluppo sostenibile. <i>Prof. Aldo Ravazzi Douvan</i> – Expert of the Ministry of Environment and Energy Security.</p>
<p>PhD students' workshops <i>I session</i> 3.00 – 5.00 pm</p>	<p>The energy transition between development prospects and dangers for the protection of fundamental rights: an interdisciplinary approach. Interventions of PhD students.</p>

<p align="center">Saturday, March 4, 2023</p>	
<p>PhD students' workshops <i>II session</i> 9.00 – 12.00 am</p>	<p>The energy transition between development prospects and dangers for the protection of fundamental rights: an interdisciplinary approach. Interventions of PhD students.</p>
<p>2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p>	<p>Guided tour of the botanical garden of Palermo. <i>Prof. Rosario Schicchi</i> – Director of the botanical garden of Palermo</p>