

CALL FOR PAPERS FOR THE BANK OF ITALY WORKSHOP ON THE ECONOMIC IMPLICATIONS OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE TRANSITION TO A LOW-CARBON ECONOMY

The Bank of Italy is organising a Workshop on the “Economic Implications of Climate Change and the Transition to a Low-carbon Economy”, to be held in Rome on December 16 and 17, 2024.

While the theme of the workshop is broad and we welcome high quality contributions from any field that addresses the issue of climate change and the transition to a low-carbon economy, the workshop will focus mainly on the following areas:

- the short and long-run effects of climate change and the low-carbon transition;
- climate policies supporting the transition: their economic effects, their international dimension, and the interaction with other policies;
- implications for financial stability, asset pricing, portfolio decarbonisation strategies and green lending;
- energy transition, energy security and critical materials for the transition;
- nature-related risks and opportunities.

Both empirical and theoretical studies are welcome.

If you are interested in presenting a paper at the workshop, please send a long abstract or (preferably) a draft of the paper to ClimateWorkshop@bancaditalia.it

The deadline for the submission is September 6, 2024 and selected authors will be notified at the latest by the end of September.

Preference will be given to proposals more closely related to the themes outlined above and adequately detailed.

Organizing Committee: Giorgio Albareto, Pietro Cova, Antonio Di Cesare, Alberto Felettigh, Fabrizio Ferriani, Maura Francese, Laura Graziani Palmieri, Francesca Lotti, Filippo Natoli, Marco Romani (all Banca d'Italia).

Funding: The conference is organized and hosted by the Bank of Italy. There is no registration fee. Meals during the conference and a social dinner will be provided for participants. (Limited) travel and accommodation reimbursement will be provided only for academic speakers according to CEPR guidelines.