



**FINAL PROGRAMME SELE 2015**

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**Sponsored by the Authority for Consumers and Markets (ACM), The Netherlands**

<b>Thursday, May 21</b>	
<b>08:45-09:00 am</b>	<b>Welcoming Speech by Edwin Woerdman at 08:45</b>
<b>09:00-10:00 am</b>	<b>Session I: EU Emissions Trading and Energy Markets</b>  <b>Stefan Weishaar</b> , University of Groningen, The Netherlands <i>"Energy Market Integration and the EU Emissions Trading System: Evidence of Electricity Leakage"</i> <b>Claudia Kettner</b> , WIFO Institute of Economic Research, Austria <i>"The EU Emission Trading Scheme: First Evidence on Phase 3"</i>
<b>10:00-10:15 am</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>10:15-11:15 am</b>	<b>Session II: Credit Trading in the USA and China</b>  <b>Brian Sawers</b> , Emory Law School and Conservation Pennsylvania, USA <i>"Nutrient Credit Trading and Co-Variant Risk"</i> <b>Jinshan Zhu</b> , University of Potsdam, Germany <i>"China's Carbon Governance and its Transplantability"</i>
<b>11:15-11:30 am</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>11:30 am-12:30 pm</b>	<b>Session III: Technological Innovation and Uncertainty</b>  <b>Xavier Everaert</b> , University of Turin, Italy <i>"Time, Uncertainty and Judicial Activism"</i> <b>Frans de Vries</b> , University of Stirling, UK <i>"Dynamic Efficiency in Experimental Emissions Trading Markets with Investment Uncertainty"</i>
<b>12:30-13:30 pm</b>	<b>Lunch and Informal Meeting</b>
<b>13:30-14:30 pm</b>	<b>Session IV: Poverty and Environmental Justice</b>  <b>Josephine van Zeben</b> , Worcester College University of Oxford, UK <i>"Fuel Poverty: The Social Costs of Pricing Carbon"</i> <b>Dennis Cory and Lester Taylor</b> , University of Arizona, USA <i>"Environmental Justice and Safe Drinking Water Standards"</i>
<b>14:30-14:45 pm</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>14:45-15:45 pm</b>	<b>Session V: Water Management, Monitoring and Trust</b>  <b>David Zetland</b> , Leiden University, The Netherlands <i>"When Worlds Collide: Business Meets Bureaucracy in the Water Sector"</i> <b>Timo Goeschl</b> , Heidelberg University, Germany <i>"Trust, but Verify? When Trustworthiness is Observable Only Through Costly Monitoring"</i>
<b>15:45-16:00 pm</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>16:00-17:00 pm</b>	<b>Session VI: Institutional Analysis and Instrument Choice</b>  <b>Daniel Cole</b> , Indiana University, USA <i>"A New Institutional Analysis of Social-Ecological Systems"</i> <b>Peter Grossman</b> , Butler University, USA <i>"Prices versus Prices? Quantities versus Quantities?"</i>
<b>18:30-22:00 pm</b>	<b>Conference Dinner plus Surprise at "Hotel de Ville"</b>

<b>Friday, May 22</b>	
<b>08:30-09:00 am</b>	<b>Coffee, Tea &amp; Cookies</b>
<b>09:00-10:00 am</b>	<b>Session VII: Renewable Energy and Antitrust</b>  <b>Tim Meyer</b> , University of Georgia, USA <i>"Local Discrimination and Global Public Goods"</i> <b>Matias Guiloff</b> , Diego Portales University, Chile <i>"The Antitrust Implications of Greening the Chilean Energetic Matrix through Mandatory Renewable Energy Quotas"</i>
<b>10:00-10:15 am</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>10:15-11:15 am</b>	<b>Session VIII: Corporations and Environmental Regulation</b>  <b>Nigar Hashimzade</b> , Durham University, UK <i>"Corporate Environmental Contributions: Can They Sustain the Public Interest Defence?"</i> <b>James Coleman</b> , University of Calgary, Canada <i>"Corporate Regulatory Impact Predictions"</i>
<b>11:15-11:30 am</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>11:30 am-12:00</b>	<b>Session IX: Competition versus Sustainability</b>  <b>Shi-Ling Hsu</b> , Florida State University College of Law, USA <i>"The Law and Economics of U.S. Hog Production: A Research and Reform Agenda"</i>
<b>12:00-12:45 pm</b>	<b>KEYNOTE SPEECH on Competition versus Sustainability</b> <b>Machiel Mulder</b> , Authority for Consumers and Markets (ACM) & University of Groningen, The Netherlands
<b>12:45-13:45 pm</b>	<b>Lunch and Informal Meeting</b>
<b>13:45-14:45 pm</b>	<b>Session X: Cost-Benefit Analysis</b>  <b>Amy Sinden</b> , Temple University Beasley School of Law, USA <i>"The Problem of Unquantified Benefits"</i> <b>Erik Kloosterhuis</b> , Authority for Consumers and Markets (ACM), The Netherlands <i>"Do Environmental Benefits Fit in an Efficiency Defense?"</i>
<b>14:45-15:00 pm</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>15:00-16:00 pm</b>	<b>Session XI: Regulation and Information</b>  <b>Arden Rowell</b> , University of Illinois College of Law, Chicago, USA <i>"A Primer on Environmental Regulation: The United States"</i> <b>Jonathan Nash</b> , Emory University School of Law, USA <i>"Regulation, Prediction Markets, and Public Opinion"</i>
<b>16:00-16:15 pm</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>16:15-17:15 pm</b>	<b>Session XII: Monitoring and Enforcement</b>  <b>Sandra Rousseau</b> , KU Leuven University, Belgium <i>"Non-uniform Implementation of Uniform Standards"</i> <b>Marcelo Caffera</b> , Universidad de Montevideo, Uruguay <i>"Does the Structure of the Fine Matter?"</i>
<b>17:15-17:30 pm</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>17:30-18:00 pm</b>	<b>Concluding Remarks, also on Next Year's Conference</b>
<b>18:00 pm</b>	<b>End of Conference</b>