

IMPORTANT DATES

DUE DATE FOR PAPER
SUBMISSION

FEBRUARY 15, 2025

SUBMISSION ACCEPTANCE
DECISION

FEBRUARY 25, 2025

DEADLINE FOR CONFERENCE
REGISTRATION

MARCH 05, 2025

Conference Date: March 29, 2025

GUIDELINES

1. Authors are invited to submit their research papers to: 2ndconferenceapaea@gmail.com

2. All invited papers will be presented at the parallel sessions and each paper will have an assigned discussant. Each presenter will have 20 minutes to present his/her paper; a discussant will discuss the paper for 7 minutes; and 3 minutes will be allocated for additional questions & answers session.

Guidelines for writing the manuscript:

Word limit: Maximum 2,500 words. Each paper can only have a maximum of 4 tables/figures combined. In preparing your manuscripts, follow recent papers published in Energy Research Letters and Asian Economics Letters. Suitable papers will be considered for publication in either of these two journals.

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

In collaboration with the Asia-Pacific Applied Economics Association (APAEA), Australia, the School of Humanities, Social Sciences & Management (SHSS&M), Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Bhubaneswar, India, is delighted to be hosting the 2nd International Conference and Call for Papers on the theme of "Sustainable Energy Economics in the Asia-Pacific Region" on March 29, 2025.

REGISTRATION

There is no registration fee for the conference. Please be advised that travel and accommodation arrangements are the responsibility of each participant. The organizers will not be able to provide these services. We recommend that attendees plan their travel accordingly and consider nearby accommodation options to ensure a comfortable stay. Only one author per paper shall be designated as the presenter. Further, morning refreshments and working lunch will be provided for all attendees on the conference day. We appreciate your understanding and look forward to welcoming you.

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CALL FOR PAPERS

Sustainable energy economics in the Asia-Pacific region is crucial for addressing rising energy demands and environmental challenges. As one of the most dynamic economic areas globally, the region faces significant pressure to transition from fossil fuels to renewable energy sources. Countries like China and India are leading this shift, with China investing over \$80 billion in renewable energy in 2020, particularly in solar and wind technologies. India aims to achieve 500 GW of renewable energy capacity by 2030, promoting energy security and reducing carbon emissions. By prioritizing sustainable energy economics, the Asia-Pacific can not only meet its growing energy needs but also contribute to global efforts to combat climate change, ensuring a more resilient and sustainable future for the region and the world. The conference intends to investigate important matters on energy sustainability in the Asia-Pacific area, acknowledging the paramount significance of this objective. For this call for papers, we are looking for empirical research or policy-oriented observations (no more than 2,500 words).

KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

Prof. Paresh Kumar Narayan is a professor at Monash University and President of Asia-Pacific Applied Economics Association (APAEA). He serves as Editor-in-Chief of the *Emerging Markets Finance and Trade* and Managing Editor of *Bulletin of Monetary Economics and Banking*. Paresh is also a Distinguished Professor at the Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad, and an adjunct Professor in several universities around the world. Paresh's research interests are in Applied Econometrics and Financial Markets. He has published over 400 papers in international refereed journals, which have accumulated over 40,000 citations with an h-index of 96. He has the distinguished title of a high cite researcher over 6 consecutive years (2017-2022) and listed among top 2% economists by Stanford University amongst 9 million researchers globally. He is an advisor to several institutions and Governments in the Asia-Pacific region, is a global speaker.

TENTATIVE TOPICS:

- Integration of Renewable Energy Sources
- Smart Grids and Energy Management Systems
- Sustainable energy consumption
- Energy consumption and pricing
- Energy Finance
- Energy Resilience
- Financing Mechanisms for the Green Energy Sector
- Impact of Urbanization on Energy Demand
- Cross-Border Energy Trade and Cooperation
- Technological Innovations on Energy Production
- Economics Environmental Impacts of Energy Production
- Influence of Consumer Behavior on Energy Consumption
- Role of Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs) in Energy Finance
- Integrating Energy Policies with SDGs