

## Special session proposal

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2. Session title:

**Natural Resources, Environmental Policies and International Development**

3. Keywords and research fields (JEL Codes): F1, F2, F6, Q2, Q3, Q5

Additional keywords: development, FDI, trade, natural resources, environmental policies

4. Call for papers

Nowadays environmental policies, natural resources exploitation and international development are strongly interconnected. This session welcomes both theoretical and empirical papers that lie at the crossroad of international economics and resource & environmental economics. More specifically, submissions should focus on the interactions between environmental policies and natural resources exploitation and international trade, or between environmental policies and the distribution of firms, production factors and income.

### Paper Submission Procedure

Full papers may be submitted via the conference maker by March 25, 2019. Please indicate that your submission is for the Special Session “**Natural Resources, Environmental Policies and International Development**”. Authors are allowed to submit several papers to this special session, however only one paper will be accepted per presenting author. All submitted papers will be peer reviewed according to a high-quality and fast referee process. Authors will be notified whether their paper is accepted for presentation at the special session not later than April 6, 2018. Special session presenters are expected to discuss one other paper during the session. The discussant assignments will be made by the conference organizers at a later date.

Papers must be in English and must include a cover page with the following information:

- An abstract of up to 500 words, with JEL classification and no more than 5 keywords
- Authors’ full name and affiliation
- Contact details for corresponding and presenting author (address, phone, e-mail)

### Important dates

- Deadline for paper submission: March 25, 2019
- Deadline for notification of paper acceptance: April 6, 2019
- Deadline for early registration and payment: May 3, 2018

If you have questions please contact **the conference organizers** ([Infer2019@vub.be](mailto:Infer2019@vub.be)).

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