

Lehrstuhl für Wirtschaftliche Staatswissenschaften,

insbesondere Energiewirtschaftslehre

Staatswissenschaftliches Seminar
Mikroökonomik, Institutionen und Märkte



Model UNFCCC – Climate Change Strategy Role Play

Topics in Energy, Resources, Environment and the Economy A or
Selected Issues in International Management 3 (for CEMS Students)

Summer Term 2019

The objective of this course is to understand Climate Change and the challenges it poses for humankind, to gain insight into the process of international climate negotiation, understand the connections between Climate Change, politics, society and economy and finally enhance your negotiation skills.

These objectives shall be achieved by using a varying course structure that includes:



An Innovative Didactic Concept:

Learning by Experiencing



Lectures:

Learning about Climate Change through experts from science, politics and business.



Teamwork:


Teaming up and adopting the role of a country delegation.

Researching on your country's background and develop your own negotiation strategy.



Simulation Role-play:

Experiencing the complexity of international climate negotiations in a 2,5 day close-to-reality roleplay together with students from all over Europe.

Schedule (tentative)	<p><u>Introductory Meeting:</u> March 20th, 15:00 to 16:30 at the <u>Institute of Energy Economics, ewi, Vogelsanger Str. 321a, 50827 Cologne</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduction and Organizational Issues <p><u>Lectures and Guest Speakers: (ewi KFR 1)</u> Thursday March 21th, 2019 (13:00-17:00) Friday, March 22nd, 2019 (10:00-17:00) Monday, March 25th, 2019 (10:00-17:00) Wednesday March 27th, 2019 (13:00 to 17:00) Thursday, March 28th, 2019 (13.00-17:00)</p> <p><u>Exam:</u> Tuesday, April 9th (Room and time tbd)</p> <p><u>Presentation Days:</u> Friday, April 17th, 2018, 13:00-17:00</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation of background papers by each delegation/group. <p><u>Workshop and Feedback Position Papers:</u> Tuesday, April 30th, 2019, 13:00-15:00 (ewi KFR 1),</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Preparation for the negotiations <p><u>Negotiations/Roleplay:</u> Friday-Sunday, May 10-12th, 2019 at University of Cologne (Wiso Gebäude)</p>
Allocated Modules	The course can be chosen by Economics Master students with the specialization in Energy Economics, Political Science students, students in the Master of Environmental Science program (IMES), students enrolled in the Master in Managements (CEMS students), and Incoming students from other Universities.
Credits	6
Mode of examination and grades	Exam type: <u>portfolio</u> . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Written exam ▪ Background paper (and its presentation) ▪ Position paper ▪ Reflection paper
Language	English
Lecturer	M.Sc. Johanna Bocklet
Cooperation Partners	Model UNFCCC is hosted by CEMS and supported by various corporate partners. 

General Requirements

The participants are required to successfully pass a written exam, submit various papers (background paper, position paper and reflection paper) as a group (each individual's contribution needs to be indicated in order to receive individual's grades) and actively take part in the final strategic role play. The participants are expected to gain an in-depth insight into their role to be able to represent their delegation/NGO or lead the discussion as a chair. Furthermore, students should deal critically with the contributions of other participants. Active participation in the lectures is expected.

Application

Due to the interactive nature of the course, the number of participants is limited to 20 students. If you are planning to take the course, therefore please register during the first registration period using KLIPS and by EMAIL. After signing up for the course on KLIPS, please send your name, degree program and nationality/home university (needed for the role allocation) to Johanna.bocklet@uni-koeln.de. The registration for examination will be done during the first introductory meeting and is binding. Students who do not participate in the exam or do not hand in all their papers will receive a failing grade.

Organisation

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Please do not hesitate to contact me in case of further questions.