

March 2021 newsletter



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# CAP trilogues: What green ambitions can still be salvaged?

After almost three years since the European Commission tabled its legislative proposals for the Common Agricultural Policy (CAP) in June 2018, decisions on the reform are taking shape in trilogue negotiations between the Commission, the European Parliament and the Council of the EU.

Drawing on the co-legislators' negotiating positions, a new briefing from IEEP considers some of the issues of greatest concern for lifting the environmental and climate performance of the policy.

Read the briefing

### Latest from IEEP



# How green is the future of EU trade?

The EU's new trade policy strategy is said to be designed to address the modern challenges of our times. But does it deliver

for climate and the environment? **<u>Read the</u>** <u>**analysis**</u>



Greening bank deposits: A key opportunity for implementing the European Green Deal

During the COVID-19 pandemic, bank deposits have increased rapidly in the EU. This is linked with the uncertainty caused by COVID-19. How can public institutions help align consumption decisions to the EU's climate ambitions? **Find out more** 





### Event | Advocating for Green Taxation: Stakeholder workshop

IEEP is organising a stakeholder workshop to explore experiences of successful advocacy for green taxes and other market-based instruments in the EU, and to present a new Green Tax Advocacy Toolkit. <u>Register</u>

### Event | COVID-19 recovery and Aid for Trade: Opportunities for sustainable economic development and transition to circular economy

This webinar explores the interlinkages between Aid for Trade, sustainable recovery and circular economy, sharing experiences and tools for countries to boost their recovery. <u>Register</u>

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### Think2030

Launched by IEEP and its partners in 2018, <u>Think2030</u> is an evidence-based, non-partisan platform of leading policy experts from European think tanks, civil society, the private sector, and local authorities. In a follow up to the second Think2030 conference organised in November 2020 by the Ecologic Institute and IEEP, the platform will be releasing several policy papers, including:



Delivering a sustainable, durable and inclusive recovery for Europe

This paper takes the scientific, environmental and health arguments in favour of a green recovery and achieving climate neutrality by mid-century as a given, with the aim of focusing primarily on the additional economic and employment arguments that support the development of a recovery strategy that is aligned with the EU's climate and environmental goals. **<u>Read the Think2030 paper</u>** 

### Upcoming Think2030 events

30 March 9:00-10:00 CET Delivering a sustainable, durable and inclusive recovery for Europe

### Think Sustainable Europe



The idea generator behind the Think2030 platform, <u>Think Sustainable Europe</u> is a coalition of sustainability think tanks, including (IEEP), BC3, Ecologic Institute, the Green Tank, IDDRI, IISD, SEI and TMG. The group's aim is to provide policymakers across the continent with sound, science-based analysis and recommendations.

### Latest from TSE members

Ecologic: Water and agriculture: Towards sustainable solutions and Implementing New EU Climate Targets: Why Member State responsibility must continue

IDDRI: Aligning financial flows with the Paris Climate Agreement: Assessing the emerging institutional architecture in global climate governance

SEI: Decarbonising electricity: how collaboration between national and city governments will accelerate the energy transition

TMG: <u>To protect ecosystems</u>, invest in women's capacities!

The Green Tank: <u>The open "wounds" of the</u> <u>EU Climate Law</u>

IISD: <u>Will Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala Usher in a New</u> <u>Era for Gender Equality in Trade?</u>

**BC3**: <u>La restauración de los ecosistemas</u> forestales mediterráneos y el ciclo del agua: <u>un problema complej</u>



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