

## WEBINAR

# Border Carbon Adjustments in the EU – Conceptual Stakeholders Meeting

**\*\*\*Draft Agenda\*\*\***

**Date:** June 9, 2020

**Time:** 15:00 – 17:00

**Location:** Zoom Video Conference (details provided upon registration and approval)

As the EU considers its most ambitious decarbonization targets yet under the European Green Deal, many consider a border carbon adjustment essential to sustain Europe's continued leadership in a world of asymmetrical climate efforts. Technical and administrative details need to be resolved for such a policy to become reality, and that will be complex. In the workstream on 'Border Carbon Adjustments in the EU', ERCST will carefully analyse the options to consider when designing a BCA, with the objective of creating 2-3 BCA proposals that could be implemented at the EU level.

This is the third public meeting for ERCST's workstream on 'Border Carbon Adjustments in the EU'. The intention of these meetings is to facilitate discussion among a variety of stakeholders on the objectives, concerns, and options that should be considered when designing a BCA in the EU. This session will focus on possible alternatives for BCAs, such as carbon contracts for difference (CfD) and a consumption charge (CC). This session features a panel conversation with leading thinkers on the issues and offers an opportunity for interaction with policy makers and stakeholders. It will start with presentation of Andrei Marcu, Michael Mehling and Aaron Cosby followed by the discussion.

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| 15:00 – 15:10 | <b>Welcome and introduction</b>   |
| 15:10 – 15:30 | <b>Presentation on BCAs and alternatives</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A. Marcu, ERCST</li><li>• M. Mehling, ERCST</li><li>• A. Cosby, ERCST</li></ul>          |
| 15:30 – 16:45 | <b>Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• C. Fischer, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam</li><li>• S. Droege, SWP</li><li>• O. Sartor, Agora Energiewende</li></ul> |
| 16:45 – 17:00 | <b>Concluding remarks on next steps and end of the meeting</b>  |