

Call for Papers

The WFE's Global Meeting on Sustainability 2025

June 5, 2025
Singapore

The World Federation of Exchanges (WFE) invites the submission of theoretical, empirical, and policy research papers on issues related to the **role of capital markets in the pursue of sustainability and ESG goals**. Based on their relevance, originality and academic rigour, the WFE Academic Advisory Group will select papers to be presented at the WFE 2nd Annual Global Meeting on Sustainability, which will be hosted by **Singapore Exchange (SGX)** in Singapore, on the **5th June 2025**. The paper will be assigned an industry discussant.

With this initiative, the WFE aims at strengthening the collaboration between academic research and the industry by discussing original research and exchanging ideas on the role of capital markets in sustainability and ESG. By bringing academia and industry together in a mutually enriching conversation, the conference aims to stimulate the generation of new ideas and approaches to these topics.

Within the context of capital markets and ESG, topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- The impact of ESG disclosure and reporting standards
- Sustainable and climate finance
- Environmental economics and climate change
- Corporate governance
- Carbon markets
- Energy transition
- Supply chains
- Exchange-traded products (green bonds, green sukuk, green derivatives, water futures, carbon markets derivatives, etc.)
- Tokenisation

Paper submissions

Submissions should consist of a full paper sent in PDF format to callforpapers@world-exchanges.org, to be received no later than **Monday, 3rd March 2025**. Papers should be in English and include an abstract. Authors of accepted papers will be notified by 4th April 2024. Final versions of the selected papers are due by 3rd May 2025.

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Practical information

Attendance to the conference is by invitation only and typically limited to WFE members, affiliates, long-term partners, academics, and special guests. Academics who wish to join the conference are welcome and should send their request to research@world-exchanges.org.

Additional information on the conference and its programme will be available at the WFE website <https://www.world-exchanges.org>.

Queries can be directed to research@world-exchanges.org.