

# Newsletter

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## Editorial by



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The editorial board of EIST has recently welcomed Prof. Taran Thune (University of Oslo), Dr. Georgios Papachristos (EC Joint Research Centre, Seville), and Dr. Ping Huang (Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen) as new Associate Editors, while the duties of Prof. Floor Alkemade (Eindhoven University of Technology) and Dr. Luís Carvalho (University of Porto) are ending soon.

Similarly, I have replaced Prof. Bernhard Truffer (EAWAG) as Editor-in-Chief after he had held this position for the previous four years. Luckily, the new editorial board has taken over at a moment when EIST has grown in prominence and consolidated its position as the flagship journal for the interdisciplinary research community on sustainability transitions. With thanks to the outgoing editorial team for laying a strong foundation, I look forward to working with the editors, reviewers, and you – the authors – to further sharpen EIST’s intellectual leadership and societal relevance.

In its development so far, EIST has ridden a favourable tailwind. Sustainability transitions have occupied a central place on academic, policy, and public agendas, opening doors to funding, institutional support, and cross-disciplinary interest. Yet the winds are shifting. Questions of competitiveness and security are increasingly commanding the spotlight in political and economic debates. As an example, one should look no further than the draft proposal for the 10th Framework Programme intended to replace Horizon Europe by 2028, where there is a move towards more solution-focused and technology-specific ‘moonshots’ at the expense of the current, more challenge-focused ‘missions’. This illustrates how the pursuit of strategic autonomy influences both the objects we study and the sources of our research funding. In this evolving context, journals like EIST must also respond: we cannot assume that the discourse around sustainability transitions will remain uncontested or dominant, and we must creatively engage with these emergent priorities.

In my view, moving forward, EIST should retain its orientation as the core journal for research on innovation and socio-technical change, grounded in deep engagement with technological, institutional, social, and material dimensions of transitions. At the same time, we must not shy away from addressing the issues outlined above, including where and how they intersect or conflict with sustainability goals. This will be one important contribution to ensure that EIST remains a space for critical, plural, and rigorous scholarship on socio-technical change, innovation, and sustainability transitions.

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## Get to know our new steering group members

We are pleased to introduce the newest members of the STRN Steering Group. Below you will find short profiles highlighting their research interests and the roles they will play within the STRN community.

**Darren Sharp:** I am a Senior Research Fellow at the Monash Sustainable Development Institute and leader of the Net Zero Precincts project in Melbourne, Australia. My research focuses on the governance of sustainability transitions and uses participatory methods to empower diverse stakeholders through urban experimentation, living labs, grassroots innovations, and urban futuring. I'm delighted to join the STRN Steering Group and look forward to contributing by sharing regional insights and fostering collaborations with universities, city networks, and civil society to strengthen STRN's global presence in the Asia-Pacific region. I am also keen to support ECRs through international workshops and PhD School to advance interdisciplinary learning and impact.

**Leonard Frank:** I am a postdoctoral researcher at the University of Freiburg, Germany. Setting out from a background in political science and human geography, my research focuses on the governance of sustainability transitions, with a particular emphasis on public policy and regime destabilisation processes in agricultural and energy systems. I am honoured to join the STRN Steering Group and will strive to strengthen cooperation between different Thematic Groups and their link to the SG. As a recent NEST alumnus, I am also happy to further serve this community and bring a slightly different early career research perspective to the table.

**Maria Altunay** and **Maja Svanberg**: Maja is a PhD student at Chalmers University of Technology, using computational methods to study innovation policy for decarbonization in the context of the Swedish process and manufacturing industries. Maria is also a PhD student at Chalmers University of Technology with an interest in actors, institutions, and policymaking in sustainability transitions and the interplay between policy change and technological change. Together, they have a bidirectional role, as they represent the early career researcher community NEST within the STRN steering group and vice versa. As such, they aim to continue facilitating the building of community among early-career researchers and act as a link to the broader STRN community. If you are a PhD student, post-doc, or similar, looking to get involved, please do not hesitate to reach out!



IST26 is already taking form, with more than 50 paper-track and special-session proposals submitted! Thank you to everyone who contributed. The organising team is now reviewing all proposals and will be in touch in the coming weeks to share decisions and coordinate next steps.

The call for abstracts is tentatively scheduled for January 2026. Stay tuned for updates: <https://www.transitionsnetwork.org/ist-2026/>



## Carleton University becomes the first North American institutional member of STRN

Carleton University has become the first North American institutional member of our network. Located in Canada's capital of Ottawa, Carleton connects world-class researchers, industry leaders, and over 30,000 students to tackle the most pressing global concerns. Building on past achievements in the field, this milestone cements Carleton's position as North America's leading cluster for transitions research, policy engagement, and training.

*"Carleton researchers have made prominent contributions to the field for more than a decade, helping to shape how policy practitioners and experts think about and seek to realize pathways to more sustainable futures," said Daniel Rosenbloom, Ivey Research Chair in Sustainability Transitions at Carleton. "Joining STRN as its first North American institutional member underscores both the university's leadership and its ongoing commitment to advancing transition research and action."*

Carleton has long been a pioneer in sustainability transitions. In 2009, it launched a flagship interdisciplinary graduate program in sustainable energy, bridging engineering and policy to train new leaders in energy transitions. Chancellor's Professor James Meadowcroft, former Canada Research Chair in Governance for Sustainable Development, helped establish the politics and governance of transitions as a core area of study within the network and later developed the governance approach that informed the creation of Canada's Transition Accelerator in 2016. Carleton has also anchored major national initiatives, including Efficiency Canada (2018),

the country's leading voice for an energy-efficient economy. In 2019, Carleton brought the STRN's annual flagship event, the International Sustainability Transitions (IST) Conference, to North America for the first and only time to date. More recently, in partnership with the Ivey Foundation, the university established the first endowed research chair dedicated to the field in North America (2024).

Today, Carleton brings together a critical mass of scholars advancing research and practice across multiple dimensions of sustainability transitions, including but not limited to:

Kristen Schell, Canada Research Chair in Uncertainty-Informed Net-Zero Energy System Modelling;

Reza Kholghy, Canada Research Chair in Particle Technology and Combustion Engineering (industrial decarbonization);

Elie Azar, Canada Research Chair in Sustainable Buildings and Communities;

James Meadowcroft, Chancellor's Professor, former Canada Research Chair, and Principal at the Transition Accelerator;

Alexandra Mallett, Associate Professor in Public Policy;

Daniel Rosenbloom, Ivey Research Chair in Sustainability Transitions;

Cameron Roberts, Adjunct Research Professor and Senior Research Associate in Sustainability Transitions;

Brendan Haley, Adjunct Research Professor and Senior Director of Policy Strategy at Efficiency Canada.

*"Carleton's membership in STRN is both a recognition of past achievements and a platform for future impact," said Rafik Goubran, Vice-President (Research & International) and Chancellor's Professor. "With global sustainability challenges intensifying, our community of scholars, students, and partners is committed to advancing the knowledge, solutions, and collaborations needed to drive system change."*

With Carleton's membership, STRN deepens its global presence to include a strong North American institutional partner. This step comes at a time when the network is experiencing growing uptake globally, with new regional hotbeds emerging in Asia and Latin America.



## Report from the recent STRN Method School

The 2025 STRN Methods PhD school was held last month at the Austrian Institute of Technology (AIT), Vienna, from November 17th to 20th. From around 50 applications, 23 participants from Europe and South Africa took part. A range of academic backgrounds, from engineering to sociology, was represented. The theme of the school was: Mixed-methods: combining qualitative and quantitative transitions modelling. The theme was addressed through two sets of sessions: combining quantitative simulation methods with qualitative analysis, together with sessions on Agent-Based Modelling. The participants presented posters of their PhD themes and took part in group discussions and a world café, looking at the role of researchers as well as the applications of the methods introduced.

The organisers of the school, Klaus Kubeczko (AIT) and Jonathan Köhler (Fraunhofer ISI), would like to thank all the speakers who joined the school: Floor Alkemade, Julia Wittmayer, with lectures from AIT researchers Sabin Roman, Thomas Schergell, Anna Wolfmayr, Martina Neuländer, and Theresa Bürscher, as well as organisation from Katharina Jäger. We would also like to thank Adriaan van der Loos and the STRN team for their support in organising the PhD school.

## Call for abstracts for the upcoming NEST Conference from 28 - 29 March, 2026 at IIT Delhi

The NEST community invites you to join their upcoming 11th NEST conference, taking place from 28 - 29 March 2026 at the School of Public Policy, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi, India. The theme of this year's conference is 'Interlinked Transitions: From Global Visions to Local Realities'. We invite early-career researchers (doctoral candidates and scholars within three years of completing their PhD) to apply to the next edition to share their research findings. Applications close on 10 December 2025. A limited number of scholarships are available to support up to 30 international and domestic participants from the global south with travel and accommodation assistance.

Please share this information widely in your networks.

More information can be found here: <https://sites.google.com/view/nest2026>

Submission deadline: **10th December 2025**

**11th Annual NEST Conference**

**Interlinked Transitions:  
From Global Visions to  
Local Realities**

**28-29 March, 2026**

**School of Public Policy  
Indian Institute of Technology  
Delhi, India**

Scan for more details!

For any queries, get in touch - [nestconference26@gmail.com](mailto:nestconference26@gmail.com)

## New Policy Brief Highlights Demand-Side Solutions for Sustainability Transitions

A new Policy Brief titled "Demand-Side Solutions for Tensions in Transitions" synthesizes findings from four awarded papers and the dedicated special session debate at the recent International Sustainability Transitions (IST'25) Conference in Lisbon, offering policy recommendations to overcome major challenges in sustainability efforts.

The brief tackles four critical pressure points in transitions—trade-offs (speed-scale-scope), resistance, lock-ins, and equity—showing how demand-side solutions can help for a safer, more sustainable world.

Think social change is slow? The new brief provides evidence that social and technological innovations grow at similar speeds—about 30 years from 10% to 90% market share. It reveals how fairness and lived experience boost acceptance, why the digital rebound demands policy intervention like interoperability, privacy rules, and audits beyond “efficiency,” and how inequity (e.g., heavy housing costs) stalls momentum. Open it to turn resistance into readiness, guard against lock-ins, and deliver fair, inclusive transitions.

Read the full policy brief online: <https://www.dinamiacet.iscte-iul.pt/post/new-policy-brief-demand-side-solutions-for-tensions-in-transitions>

## News & Events from the Thematic Groups

### Update from TG on Equity and Justice in Transitions (Ju-ST)

After the TG on Equity and Justice in Transitions (Ju-ST)'s first in-person meeting in Lisbon, we met again virtually on Nov. 17. Through a bottom-up process within Ju-ST, three circles were founded - reading & reflection, opportunities, and art-based methods – and have begun their community-run activities. More information will follow soon on the Ju-ST TG STRN page.

To keep in the loop and connect with the Ju-ST TG community, please sign up for our mailing list - all instructions are on our [Ju-ST TG STRN page](#).

### Overview of recent and planned activities of the Agro-Food Thematic Group (AFTG)

The Agro-Food Thematic Group (AFTG) is engaged in a variety of activities. If you want to be involved in any of these, please contact Boelie Elzen (boelie.elzen@wur.nl).

#### SISA-4 Publications

In October 2024, the SISA-4 workshop (System Innovation for Sustainable Agriculture) was held in Kassel, Germany, supported by IST. We are now working on two sets of outlets to publish a collection of papers from this workshop. The first outlet is a Special Issue of the EIST journal on the topic of “Transitions towards nature-based approaches in agriculture and food systems”. Sabine Neuberger, Christine Hvitsand, and Hens Runhaar are the guest editors for this.

The second outlet is a ‘Special Section’ for the Eurochoices journal on the topic of “Stimulating Agro-Food Transitions - Lessons Learned and Ways Forward”. Guest editors for this are Boelie Elzen, Claudia Coral, and E. Grace Leonnig.

#### SISA-5 Workshop

### *SISA-5 Workshop*

At the Lisbon IST conference, a well-attended meeting was organised with people interested in the AFTG. One of the items discussed was the organisation of the next SISA workshop. To actually realise this, we ask you to let us know whether you would like to be involved in the organisation, either as a member of the preparatory group and/or to host the workshop. If there is sufficient interest, we will organise an online meeting to kick off the process.

### *AFT Research and Action Agenda*

We have taken the initiative to develop a Research and Action Agenda on Agro-Food Transitions. It consists of various steps and forms of collaboration. In the course of next year, we plan to share a draft within the AFTG community to obtain feedback for developing a 'final' version that we intend to publish. If you want to be involved in the earlier steps, please reach out to [bettina.koenig@uni-kassel.de](mailto:bettina.koenig@uni-kassel.de).

### *IFSA 2026 Special Session*

In recent years, AFTG members have attended a variety of gatherings on agro-food transitions, including IFSA, FSD, ESEE, IST, and SISA workshops. One thing that strikes us is that there are usually many contributions on new, local, or regional change initiatives, but hardly any on transforming farming systems at large. We therefore feel that the 'Scaling of Agro-Food Niches' should be moved higher on the research agenda of various research communities. To stimulate this, we have submitted a proposal to organise a Special Session on this topic for the 2026 IFSA conference (International Farming System Association;

<https://ifsa2026.sciencesconf.org/resource/news?lang=en>).

If it is accepted and if you are planning to attend this conference, you are welcome to join. The proposal is set up to have an active engagement from the audience.

### *Online webinars*

We feel that a webinar series could be useful to have frequent exchanges on content between the members of our community. Given our diagnosis under the previous point, a webinar series on 'Scaling of Agro-Food Niches' might be a useful start.

This will only fly, however, if one or two people take responsibility to organize this. If you would like to be involved in this, let us know. Committing to organizing two or three webinars might already be a useful first step.

### *AFT Repository*

At the SISA-4 meeting, a suggestion was made to build a repository of Agro-Food Transitions. This could distinguish various clusters of research, main lessons and findings, as well as unknowns and topics for further work. Many attendants felt that this would be useful, but people felt unable to invest the time needed to launch such an endeavour.

If you want to play a role (either big or small) in trying to launch such an initiative, let us know. If there is sufficient enthusiasm, we will set up a meeting to explore this further.

### *Google Groups communication*

To facilitate communication between the group's members, we have created a Google Groups list. Anyone can send a message to all members of the group (presently about 70 persons) by simply sending an email to the following address:

[strn-aftg@googlegroups.com](mailto:strn-aftg@googlegroups.com). If you want your name to be added to the list, send us an email.

## Thematic group on Digitalization and Sustainability Transitions

During the autumn, our thematic group has organized two reading group sessions, a format we plan to continue with in the new year. Our next event is a webinar on Thursday, 11 December at 2 pm CET with the title 'Smart, public, sustainable? How public utilities navigate digitalisation and sustainability challenges'. All are welcome to attend!

Join our mailing list for more information about the webinar and other events:

<https://groups.google.com/g/strn-digitalization>

## Update from the thematic group on the Geography of Transitions GeoST

Members of the GeoST group are organizing a special session track at the 2026 Geolnno conference in Budapest on "The Geography of Innovation and Transitions in the context of Nature-Society Interactions". This session, organized by Camilla Chlebna, Markus Steen, Svein Gunnar Sjotun, and Sebastian Losacker, offers a great opportunity to follow up on the discussions from the GeoST webinar series 2025. If you are interested in learning more about the session and/or the ongoing activities around Nature-Society interactions in the GeoST community, please get in touch with Camilla Chlebna (chlebna@zsi.at).

We are also discussing ideas for the next webinar series in 2026; more information will follow soon. And new contributions have recently been published in our working paper series (<https://geist-wp.com/about/>). If you are interested in publishing your ongoing work there, feel free to reach out to Johan Miorner (johan.miorner@keg.lu.se).

Link: 2025 GeoST webinar series:  
<https://www.transitionsnetwork.org/thematic-groups/geography-of-sustainability-transitions-geost/geost-webinar-series/>



## Updated procedures regarding authorship changes in EIST

Elsevier has implemented changes to its procedures regarding changes to authorship and authorship contributions after the first submission. The bullets provided by EIST's journal manager at Elsevier summarize the updated procedures:

- We have recently introduced a new form for authors to request changes to authorship and authorship contributions.
- Previously, corresponding authors were required to submit such requests to the journal editor, along with written confirmation from all authors and a justification for the changes.
- The implementation of this new form will enable change requests to follow a standardized process, containing all the necessary information by default, making them easier to assess, monitor, and report.
- Changes to the authorship section in all standard Guide for Authors has been updated to include a link to the new form.
- Additionally, authors will be notified about this form when submitting their revisions in Editorial Manager.
- When authors fail to upload this form, the check integrity team can reject the submission.
- This strict enforcement is implemented under the guidance and support of the Legal team and is essential for maintaining integrity practices that safeguard journals against harmful ethical misconduct.

As you can see, it is extremely important to use the form in case of any change to authorship or authorship contributions. If the form is not used, the paper will be rejected automatically before reaching the handling editor. Unfortunately, we have had several cases of this problem already.

## Call for papers EIST special issue on “Stimulating local co-creation of innovations for sustainability”

This special issue will explore how local co-creation projects can produce niche innovations that contribute to socio-technical transitions that are perhaps less comprehensive than systemic innovation, but more impactful than innovation at the individual level. It is well-established in the socio-technical transitions literature that grassroots initiatives and social networks are important factors in supporting niche innovation. However, there has been little attention specifically paid to strategies of co-creation, defined here as a form of collaborative governance that brings distributed stakeholders together for the purpose of innovation and public value creation. While we know that niche innovation is shaped by local cooperation, strategic management, and multi-level interaction, we know less about the specific governance factors that foster or constrain co-creation for sustainability. To advance this knowledge, this special issue investigates the general and context-specific constellations of governance factors that affect local co-creation of sustainability in countries in all parts of the world.

Guest editors: Christopher Ansell (Department of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley), Eva Sørensen (Department of Social Sciences and Business, Roskilde University) and Jacob Torfing (Department of Social Sciences and Business, Roskilde University)

We invite submissions of articles that deepen our understanding of how governance factors prompt, support or scaffold local efforts to co-create niche innovations that contribute to socio-technical transitions. We define governance factors as political, policy, administrative, or institutional conditions or processes that impinge upon the ability of local actors to organize, collaborate, and successfully innovate. These factors may be structural, strategic, or operational

The guest editors especially welcome contributions that engage with one or more of the following questions and topics:

1. How does local co-creation generate niche innovations that contribute to the achievement of the SDGs or to socio-technical transitions? While we have significant anecdotal evidence that co-creation can lead to niche innovation (Ansell & Torfing, 2021), we lack more systemic or comparative analyses of the nature, scale, and scope of co-creation's innovative potential. We also need to know whether realistic opportunities for local co-creation are limited to certain sectors, countries, and regions or are more widely available.
2. Which governance factors are critical drivers or barriers of successful co-creation? The ability of local co-creation partnerships to emerge, endure and produce niche innovation depends on a broad variety of more or less institutionalized governance factors. Specific case studies are valuable for identifying these factors, but we especially invite analyses that identify common sectoral or regional patterns or that isolate the essential factors operating across multiple cases.
3. Are there specific constellations of governance factors that are critical for fostering successful niche innovation via co-creation? While it is important to identify the most salient governance factors, it is also possible that two or more governance factors may combine to create positive synergistic effects or irreconcilable tensions. Governance factors may combine in ways that suggest different pathways to niche innovation or point to context-specific configurations. We welcome studies that attend to these specific constellations of governance factors.

### *Manuscript submission information:*

Submission Deadlines: November 15, 2025:  
Extended abstract submission  
December 15, 2025: Notification of acceptance of extended abstract  
April 30, 2026: Submission of invited full papers



## SMARTACULAR

Christina Priavolou is pleased to announce the launch of my postdoctoral research project SMARTACULAR, funded by the Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions of the European Union and hosted by the University of Amsterdam.

SMARTACULAR investigates how sustainability transitions in the built environment can be shaped through the integration of global transition frameworks, local knowledge systems, and participatory design practices. By exploring how communities and professionals co-create context-appropriate solutions, the project aims to reveal pathways for more inclusive and place-sensitive transitions in the built environment.

Learn more at [smartacular.eu](http://smartacular.eu). If you are engaged in research or practice related to sustainability transitions, transformative design, or context-based innovation, I would be happy to connect and exchange ideas.



## PhD Theses

Moncreiff, H. (2025). Charting the strategic engagement of oil and gas organisations in low-carbon energy transitions: a study of the North Sea region. <http://dx.doi.org/10.7488/era/6129>

Despite the growing number of oil and gas organisations engaged in energy transition projects and innovation systems, there remains a lack of research into the internal dynamics of how such organisations establish and develop strategies for such engagement, including the influence of politics and institutional contexts. To fill this research gap, the thesis examines two oil

and gas incumbent organisations, drawing from sustainable transitions studies, strategic management, and innovation intermediary literatures, to develop an analytical framework to analyse in an integrated way how niche innovation, embeddedness and organisational dynamics are shaping the strategic responses of oil and gas industry actors. Through such examination a deeper understanding than is currently present in the literature on energy transitions of how internal dynamics and wider technological, organisational and political processes are shaping incumbent engagement is uncovered. Such findings contribute to the concept of bounded engagement of oil and gas actor strategies when seeking to develop low-carbon niches and influence energy system transitions.

This dissertation addresses the governance of the destabilisation of unsustainable, socio-technical regimes in agricultural production, by conceptualising regime destabilisation governance through policy change. It develops approaches to study policy change as a key component of regime destabilisation and its dual function as both outcome and driver of regime destabilisation. It asks to what extent agricultural policy contributes to regime destabilisation in European agricultural production, and which processes and what extent of regime destabilisation are indicated by agricultural policy change. This dissertation presents case studies and comparative analyses of agricultural policy subfields in European multilevel governance. It shows great variations in how agricultural destabilisation governance across policy subfields and governance levels, indicating an incomplete orientation away from incumbent regimes remain incomplete.

## Papers

We are happy to introduce the most recent issue of EIST! The full list of papers is featured below.  
Teis Hansen, Editor-in-chief

### *EIST Volume 56*

Argyrou, A., Chevrollier, N., & Veldman, J. (2025). Legal institutionalism and the role of law in market transformation during sustainability transitions: Exploring alternative ontological perspectives. *Environmental Innovation and Societal Transitions*, 57, 101011. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eist.2025.101011>

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Bennich, A. (2025). Untangling digitalisation: A topic of growing relevance for transition scholars. *Environmental Innovation and Societal Transitions*, 57, 101021. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eist.2025.101021>

Bruehwiler, N., Koehrsen, J., Malin, J., Roysen, R., & Kos, L. (2025). Does religious difference have an impact on the diffusion of sustainable innovations? A mixed-methods analysis of ecovillages worldwide. *Environmental Innovation and Societal Transitions*, 57, 101024. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eist.2025.101024>

Evans, D. M., & Beacham, J. D. (2025). Organising the subjects of responsible consumption: Analysing the locus of responsibility for transitions in the UK food sector (2007–2021). *Environmental Innovation and Societal Transitions*, 57, 101022. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eist.2025.101022>

Envall, F., & Rohracher, H. (2025). Experimenting to remain the same: The politics of smart grid pilot projects in the Swedish energy transition. *Environmental Innovation and Societal Transitions*, 57, 101037. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eist.2025.101037>

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Kunzl, G. (2025). Incumbent firms in sustainability transitions – Different conceptions, heterogeneous roles and ideal types. *Environmental Innovation and Societal Transitions*, 57, 101010. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eist.2025.101010>

Lindfors, A., Kanda, W., Gustafsson, M., & Anderberg, S. (2025). Interactions between sustainability assessment and sustainability transitions research: The benefits of combining approaches. *Environmental Innovation and Societal Transitions*, 57, 101019. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eist.2025.101019>

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Smith, G., & Sarasini, S. (2025). Municipally owned companies and sustainability transitions: Examining municipal parking companies’ roles in governing urban mobility transitions. *Environmental Innovation and Societal Transitions*, 57, 101036. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eist.2025.101036>

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