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Finding collective hope at IST26

Now back at our quiet desks, we already feel nostalgic, thinking back about what felt like an energetic 17th IST!

It was a great pleasure to welcome more than 650 sustainability transitions researchers and practitioners to Zurich. This year's IST broke new ground, attracting many first-time attendees and receiving over a thousand abstracts across an extensive variety of proposed tracks and sessions. While this reflects a vibrant and growing community, it also came with new challenges and tough decisions. In the end, this year's conference featured nearly 550 presentations across 18 tracks, 19 special sessions, two plenaries and four semi-plenaries - not to mention the many discussions and encounters over coffee and drinks. We were certainly not the only ones who left the conference feeling exhausted yet coupled with a sense of accomplishment.

Like many of you, we have been reflecting on this year's theme, 'hope', in a world characterized by intersecting challenges, such as environmental crises, democratic backsliding, concentrating power and wealth, and geopolitical conflicts. What became apparent to us is that hope cannot be expected from the individual but needs to be cultivated as a community. Three things sparked hope in us during the conference.

First, during this year's Early Career Researcher Day, Viktoria Cologna reminded us that, despite what many might expect, scientists remain among the most trusted professionals in society. We are still in a unique position to instigate and support change, both within our community and beyond. We should use this privilege wisely.

Second, despite mounting pressure on the academic system, including funding cuts and declining political interest in sustainability, this year's IST showed that STRN continues to grow. Strong interest in novel topics like law and justice, critical perspectives and post-growth perspectives on transitions, as well as new methodological approaches, illustrated our community's motivation to grow and evolve.

Lastly, the conference showed again that STRN strives for impact. Among others, this was reflected in the great interest in Marko Hekkert's and Veena Srinivasan's keynotes. Marko highlighted the need to translate scientific theory into practical outputs that policy makers can leverage in their everyday work. Veena emphasized that acting as knowledge brokers requires leveraging our positionality in the system that we are striving to change. The plenary left us to contemplate how we can balance gathering deep contextual insights, building theory and achieving real-world impact.

Throughout the 14 months that went into organizing the conference, we were greeted with sincere understanding and cooperation from the community. We deeply cherish the experience of growing into a close-knit team and having a lot of fun organizing the conference together. On behalf of the organizing committee, we want to extend our gratitude to everyone who contributed to this year's IST - organizers, presenters, and attendees alike. Special thanks to those who made the extra effort to come to Zurich, first and foremost to colleagues who had to apply for visas and travel overseas.

Now, it is time to move from hope to action. We very much hope to see many of you at IST27 in Brazil under the theme 'Building Bridges'!

IST 2027

Dear STRN community,

We are pleased to announce the Call for paper tracks and special sessions for the International Sustainability Transitions (IST) Conference 2027, to be held in Balneário Camboriú, Brazil, from June 28 to June 30, 2027.

We invite the community to take an active role in developing an engaging and diverse program! As a first step, we invite the STRN community to submit proposals for paper tracks and special sessions. We particularly encourage proposals for interactive sessions and other practice-oriented participatory formats. A separate call for abstracts will follow in November, at which point authors will be able to submit abstracts to the selected tracks.

Proposals should address a broad range of research topics and perspectives. They may specifically address questions related to the conference's theme of "Building Bridges" and/or speak to established or emerging research themes that reflect the STRN thematic groups, the research agenda or any exciting new contributions to the field of transition studies.

Paper track

A paper track is a collection of paper presentations on a specific topic. A track may have several sessions, depending on the number of contributions accepted to the track. A track may consist of full papers (submitted in advance), speed talks (with less time per paper), or a mix of the two formats. Track proposals can also include other session formats, such as poster presentations, interactive sessions or final panel discussions, if indicated. Track proposals should be coherent in content and describe key questions and perspectives.

If selected, the paper tracks will be published online as part of the "call for papers". Track proposers are expected to contribute to reviewing contributions proposed for their track to ensure the coherence and high quality of the contributions, assist the conference hosts in organizing their tracks and sessions, invite discussants, and act as session chairs.

Special sessions

Proposals for special sessions also need to describe a coherent theme, but special sessions may have different formats, such as panels, debates, policy dialogue sessions, or other alternative formats. The proposals also need to include a description of the participants in the sessions. Special sessions will be no more than 90 minutes.

Proposal criteria and review process

All proposals should be organized by at least two people, ideally representing two different research institutions.

Proposals should be about 500 words, with a short title and a brief description of the questions and research topics you want to raise, including a reflection on the topic's relevance for transition research. Proposals also need to indicate the kinds of contributions sought (full/short papers/other/final panel discussion) and the format you are proposing (particularly for special sessions).

All proposals will be assessed against the following criteria:

- Alignment with STR and STRN's thematic groups
- Relevance to STR
- Scientific quality
- Coverage of different research themes

To ensure a diverse balance of topics and high-quality contributions, approved paper tracks will be allocated a fixed number of sessions.

Proposal submission

Please submit your proposal to ist2027@univali.br. The deadline for submission is Sunday, October 18, 2026. Organizers will be notified of the acceptance of their proposals by mid-November 2026.

If you have any questions, please reach out to the organizing team at ist2027@univali.br.



STRN PhD Theory School 2027

Applications are now open for the 2027 STRN PhD School: From theory to impact: Actors, agency and the politics of change in sustainability transitions, taking place at Chalmers University of Technology in Gothenburg, Sweden, from 8–12 February 2027.

Hosted by Ingrid Johansson Mignon, Hans Hellsmark and colleagues, the School will bring together PhD researchers to engage with questions of actors, agency and the politics of change in sustainability transitions.

Confirmed speakers include Ingrid Johansson Mignon, Hans Hellsmark, Anna Bergek, Ksenia Onufrey, Eugenia Perez Vico, Anders Hyllmö, Hanna Cardol and Amanda Bankel.

Key dates

- Application deadline: Friday, 30 October, 2026
- Notification: mid-November, 2026

Application requirements

Applicants must complete the online application form and provide the information and supporting materials requested as part of the application. Participation in the PhD School is free of charge. Participants are responsible for arranging and covering their own travel and accommodation. Three €500 travel grants are available and can be applied for as part of the application.

Upon successful completion of the PhD School, participants will receive a certificate indicating 100 workload hours, equivalent to 4 credits.

Apply via this [form](#)!

Further information about the PhD School is available on the [STRN website](#).

We look forward to receiving your application!



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Iscte joins STRN as its newest institutional member

STRN is pleased to welcome Iscte – University Institute of Lisbon as its newest institutional member, represented by Nuno Bento of DINÂMIA'CET-Iscte. Iscte brings an interdisciplinary community working across economics, sociology, social psychology, management, technology, architecture and environmental studies, with research spanning key systems such as energy, transport, housing and food. Iscte also hosted IST25, the first on the Iberian Peninsula!

The Institute's PhD in Transitions to Sustainability reflects this breadth, combining research and teaching on socio-technical change, public policy and the societal dimensions of sustainability. Through its membership, Iscte will contribute to STRN's international exchange, doctoral training and collaboration on the transformation of production and consumption systems.

We warmly welcome Nuno Bento and colleagues!

Reports from IST 26

GeoST at IST

At the 2026 IST conference, the GeoST thematic group hosted a vibrant set of activities and exchanges. The GeoST session track was running across the full conference and hosted sessions covering a broad thematic range from 'geographies of valuation' to 'understanding transitions in non-core regions' to a well-attended special session on 'the global' in sustainability transitions.

Right after the conference, we had the pleasure of bringing together researchers from the IST conference and Swiss experts on regional development and innovation policy in a joint GeoST TG / ROREP Workshop on Regions in Transition. Through short inputs, breakout discussions, and collective reflection, an international group of experts explored how regions can mobilize multi-scalar networks to foster more sustainable development pathways.

Topics ranged from local value chains and endogenous development to challenge-oriented regional transformation to integration into global cleantech value chains. A big thank you to all participants for the inspiring discussions, critical reflections, and valuable perspectives. The exchanges at the IST have shown that the GeoST community keeps thriving and contributing highly relevant conceptual and empirical perspectives on how and where sustainability transitions come about.

Christian Binz, in the name of the GeoST thematic group

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Multi-System Dynamics at IST

The Multi-System Dynamics (MSD) thematic group had an active presence at this year's IST conference. The MSD track received a high number of submissions, which resulted in six sessions with 27 presentations. Topics included the geography of MSD, underground resources, the role of business models in MSD, MSD and the acceleration of transitions, policy interdependencies, system entanglers in multi-system innovations, and bottom-up multi-system integration. Across the sessions, discussions in the track contributed to a deeper understanding of how systems can be coordinated via resources, policy and actors, as well as reflected a broadening of the empirical and methodological base within the field.

Meike Löhr and Ksenia Onufrey were also invited to the IST Early Career Researcher (ECR) Day to present and discuss "Developing a new research theme: Lessons from the thematic group on Multi-System Dynamics." About 30 ECRs joined a very lively and engaging debate.

It covered how a new theme can be built through workshops, conference tracks, a special issue and a growing network, and how ECRs can actively shape emerging research topics and communities.

Both activities confirmed strong interest in MSD research and exchange within the STRN community. We look forward to continuing the conversation at upcoming exchanges and workshops, and we welcome anyone interested in joining the thematic group.

By Meike Löhr and Ksenia Onufrey

Reflections on IST'26 from the NEST community

As co-representative of NEST (the Network for Early Career Researchers in Sustainability Transitions), I recently asked early-career researchers to reflect on their IST'26 experience. Below are some of their highlights from the week, including the Early Career Researcher Day.

On the sessions:

"The openness, honesty, and genuinely human interaction in Merin's and TK's workshop [Evolving with the world, during ECR day] were exceptionally enriching for me." - Birgit Knauer, MSc student, Hochschule Coburg

"The semi-plenary on scaling was one of the best sessions I have seen at a conference... [it] made me want to start another PhD on what was discussed. Exciting!" - Max Halbwachs, PhD student, Halmstad University

"At the Special Session 'Centering Our Voices: A Space for Women, LGBTQIA+, Non-Binary & Gender-Diverse Scholars in Sustainability Transitions', I felt like I was in a safe space to critically discuss the diversity problems in the sustainability transitions research community and be part of the movement for change." - Belinda Li, PhD student, Simon Fraser University

On the ECR day keynote:

"...I also really appreciated the speaker sharing their career trajectory during the lecture, which is helpful to see the failures and hardships behind the titles and grants, and to also learn that the academic journey is not as linear as it looks in CVs and there are many paths forward after a PhD." - Aditi Daeyi, PhD student, Lund University

"I really liked the talk on trusting science, it was very nice and it felt good to have such a famous researcher taking time to talk to us young researchers." - Anonymous PhD student

On getting feedback:

"I got a lot of valuable feedback (and more questions) on my doctoral research, especially when I presented it during a speed talk. The question about the conceptual framework really made me rethink my approach to the draft paper." - Anonymous PhD student

"I truly appreciate the time and effort everyone took for the Research Paper Development Workshop. I felt encouraged and supported because people were there to help." - Anonymous PhD student

On connections and community:

"I enjoyed the [NEST] 'modellers lunch' as an informal meet up of researchers with similar interests yet different perspectives." - Zack Klockar, PhD student, NTNU/SINTEF

"Based in Australia, this is the only occasion each year when I am really able to immerse myself in the IST community." - Simon Wright, postdoc, Charles Sturt University

"...It was heartening to see an academic community that is equally rigorous as it is friendly among its scholars. It made me hopeful for exploring further graduate studies in the field knowing I could have a community like this to grow into." - Anonymous prospective PhD

Thank you to everyone who took the time to respond. If you're an early-career researcher who wants to stay connected between conferences, you can find NEST at <https://transitionsnest.wordpress.com/>.



Arts-based webinar series

Following our first webinar last spring, the Ju-St Arts-based methods circle, the Arts Science, and the Urban Transitions and Transformations groups, are pleased to announce a webinar series throughout the 2026–2027 academic year exploring arts-based methods and arts science contributions to sustainability transitions. We will be communicating through the groups' mailing lists and STRN social media. Stay tuned!



NEST Webinar

We, the NEST Webinar team, are happy to invite you to the next NEST webinar on November 5th, 12:00 CET. This time, we invite Pieter Jelle (PJ) Beers (he/him), a researcher, lecturer and consultant at DRIFT and professor of New Business Models for Agriculture & Food Transition at HAS Green Academy.

PJ will share insights into "Transformative Business and Sustainability Transitions: Reflections from the Dutch agrifood transition". He has already published "Transformative business and sustainability transitions: A framework and an empirical illustration" with Springer Nature. As always, there will be some time to ask questions to our presenter after his presentation.

We hope to see many of you at the webinar. Please register [here!](#)



News from EIST

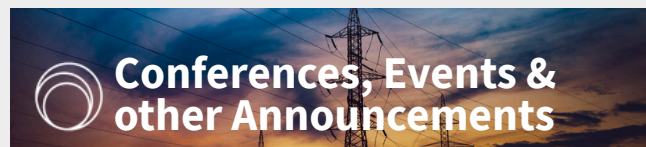
Special issue on “Governing Contested Pathways: Industrial Policy and Sustainability Transitions”

Sustainability transitions research has extensively examined socio-technical transitions and their dynamics, and more recently begun to engage with comparative politics, yet paid little attention to how state actors and other political forces condition these shifts through industrial policy. Meanwhile, industrial policy research frequently defaults to growth, competitiveness and technological upgrading, sidelining the socio-technical dynamics, systems thinking and ecological constraints that underpin industrial transformation. Attending to the contested middle ground where these agendas meet, this special issue seeks to integrate the two fields conceptually, theoretically and empirically, exploring the pragmatic intersections of industrial policy and sustainability transitions.

The guest editors are Dr Viktor Skyрман, Dr Rosie Collington, Prof Paavo Järvensivu, and Dr Johan Rootzén.

The submission deadline is 1 April 2027

More information can be found [here](#)!



Conferences, Events & other Announcements

Towards a post-sustainability society?

International Conference of Soziologie und Nachhaltigkeit (SuN) – Journal for Socio-Ecological Transformation Research, 16–18 March 2027, TU Dortmund University, Germany.

Researchers are invited to submit contributions addressing sustainability transitions against the background of a post-sustainability backlash. Abstracts of no more than 250 words are due by 15 November 2026 and should be sent to veranstaltungen.us.fk17@tu-dortmund.de.

Full call can be found [here](#)!

23rd ERSCP comes to Lisbon in 2027 — abstract submissions now open

From 23–25 June 2027, Lisbon will host the 23rd edition of the European Roundtable for Sustainable Consumption and Production (ERSCP), organized by LNEG and NOVA FCT. Established in 1994, ERSCP is a leading forum for researchers, policymakers and practitioners working on the transition to sustainable consumption and production.

Under the theme "Towards a Sustainable Circular Society," the conference brings together knowledge, experience and policy initiatives grounded in cutting-edge trans- and interdisciplinary research, organized across 10 thematic tracks. The goal: to accelerate the shift away from linear models of production and consumption towards approaches that narrow, slow and close resource loops, regenerate ecosystems, and redesign economic systems for long-term resilience.

Abstract submissions are now open, and all accepted abstracts will be published in an ISBN Book of Abstracts.

This is your chance to share your research with an international community — in Lisbon, next summer. More info and submissions: <https://erscp2027.lneg.pt>



PhD Theses

Cremaschi, A. (2024) Transiciones a la sustentabilidad en el sistema de semillas de Argentina [Sustainability transitions in Argentina's seed system]. PhD thesis. Universidad Nacional de La Plata.

This thesis examines sustainability transitions in Argentina's seed system, focusing on alternatives to corporate concentration, declining biocultural diversity and unequal seed access. Combining sustainability transitions theory, knowledge co-production and epistemic justice, it develops a heuristic framework to assess transformative potential. Through documentary analysis, interviews and seven case studies, it identifies three transformation pathways: technological fixes, biocultural memory and co-production. It also analyses structural barriers and the emergence of an international open-source seed niche. Findings highlight co-production's transformative promise, while stressing that inclusive participation, recognition of farmers' knowledge, stronger networks and supportive policies are essential for more just and sustainable transitions.

Etienne, E. (2025). Villages under pressure : maintaining solar mini-grids in Senegal and Kenya. Promises and accountability surrounding small-scale development infrastructures. PhD thesis. Université Grenoble Alpes.
<https://doi.org/10.70675/c4334783z556bz4585zb5f6zf430fa7fe190>

Solar mini-grids for rural electrification are proliferating across sub-Saharan Africa, supported by major international actors and African states. Despite significant financial and technical commitments, the long-term sustainability of these decentralised solutions remains uncertain. Indeed, the few studies that have examined mini-grids over time show that their effective lifespan rarely reaches ten years. Drawing on a study of mini-grids in Senegal and Kenya, this thesis analyses the interactions among stakeholders through the lens of promises and accountability.

Publications

We are happy to introduce the most recent issue of EIST! The full list of papers is featured below.

Teis Hanson, Editor-in-Chief

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