
15 July 2023, Saturday (1:10 pm- 2:55 pm)

Session 2B: Energy and Environment

Moderator: Shu Tian, ADB

The Effect of Electrification on Socio-economic Wellbeing and Environmental Outcome:
Evidence for Laos

- Ricardo M. Sousa (University of Minho, Portugal), Phouphet Kyophilavong (National University of Lao), [Chowdhury Abdullah-Al-Baki*](#) (Linköping University), [Gazi Salah Uddin*](#) (Linköping University), and Donghyun Park (Asian Development Bank)
- Discussant: Hai Le Vu

Direct, Indirect and Induced Economic Impact of Renewable Energy Deployment

- [Pooja Sharma*](#) (Daulat Ram College University of Delhi) and Mukesh Anand (National Institute of Public Finance and Policy)
- Discussant: Chodhury Abdullah-Al-Baki

Investment in Renewable Energy, Environmental Pollution, and COVID-19: A Firm-Level Empirical Evidence from the People's Republic of China

- [Hai Le Vu*](#) (Asian Development Bank Institute) and Dina Azhgaliyeva (Asian Development Bank Institute)
- Discussant: Pooja Sharma

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