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Organised by: Resources for the Future

Session Type: Panel Discussions

Session Title

Global impacts of carbon border adjustments – who benefits?

Session Description

RFF will present recent research insights on the design and impacts of a potential US carbon border adjustment policy. These insights will be informed by economic modeling and cover impacts on global and country-level emissions, economic output and fiscal revenues. Four speakers will be invited to comment on the results, covering developing country perspectives (who risk facing trade impacts, but are also central to future industrial value chains) and industrialized country perspectives (who face challenges of pursuing industrial decarbonization targets while wanting to maintain competitiveness). The presentation and reactions will be short (no more than 30 mins in total) to allow time for an interactive discussion with the audience as well. The goal of this discussion is to build a better understanding of the potential impacts of carbon border measures, especially beyond the implementing country, which in turn should lead to better policy design.

Proposed Speakers and Moderator

- Milan Elkerbout, RFF (both presenter and panel moderator)
- Susanne Droege, UBA Germany
- Djedjiga Kachenourad, Agence Française de Développement
- Jan-Yves Remy, University of the West Indies
- Michael Mehling, MIT