Call for Submissions

Special sessions: Regional Science, Climate Change, Environmental Footprint

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Recent decades have witnessed an increase in the frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and the latest report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change predicts that this trend will continue. Climate change affects many aspects of society that are of great concerns to Regional Scientists including trade, migration, agriculture, industry location, labor productivity and transportation. These activities both contribute to greenhouse gas emissions and are affected by climate change. Furthermore, environmental accounting (air emissions, water use, land use, etc...) embedded in the production process and supply chain has experienced increasing attention by scholars, private companies and governments interested in taking stock of this impact, allocating responsibility between consumers and producers and providing relevant sustainability strategies.

We are seeking abstract submissions that address any aspect of regional science contributions to the impacts of climate change, to environmental footprint or strategies for mitigating and adapting to climate change. If you would like to contribute to this stream of sessions, please submit your abstract online on the NARSC submission portal and then email the title, abstract, PIN, author information and contact details to us as soon as possible.

The deadline for abstract submission is July 3, 2023. Please forward this announcement to colleagues that may be interested. We look forward to seeing you in San Diego!

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