



IESP – Workshop

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European Academy of Sciences and Arts

Sustainable Development Goals – We are Lacking Dynamics!

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Motivation

In 2016, the international community ratified the UN's Agenda 2030 with its 17 Sustainable Development Goals. All countries committed themselves to implement these goals through globally coordinated national strategies for sustainability until 2030. Already in 2019, we can surmise that due to lacking dynamics most goals will remain unrealized. Prominent examples are climate change, water and biodiversity. IESP dealt with the topic of climate change for the first time during its Wildbad Kreuth workshop in 2013.

Today we need to ask: why is the majority of SDGs being implemented almost tardily? Does this deficit express political inability or display a lacking volition of consumers and producers? What kind of lobbyists would sabotage an implementation of SDGs out of self-interest?

Venue

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Program

12:30 Welcome Reception

13:00 Welcome

13:10 Opening Address
Prof. Dr. Michael von Hauff
TU Kaiserslautern

13:15 **Keynote Talks**

*Prof. Dr. Jürgen Geist,
TU Munich*

**Protection and Use of Water
Resources: Contradiction or
Synergy?**

*Dr. Anastassia Markarieva,
Kurchatov Institute
St. Petersburg*

**Forests and Water:
A Critical Edge in the Fight
for Sustainability**

14:15 Question & Answer Session

15:30 Coffee Break

16:00 Plenary Discussion

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