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## **CALL FOR PAPERS**

#### THEMATIC ISSUE NO. 2/2021:

## POLITICAL SYSTEM – A MOTOR OR A BRAKE IN CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION?

We encourage authors to submit their papers on any related topic of their choice. The journal welcomes research articles, discussions and book reviews. Possible topics include:

- National and international climate change governance
- The degree of responsiveness and the potential of (democratic/undemocratic) political systems and their institutional bodies for adaptation and for bringing a "Copernican turn" in the perception of interests and priorities, their ability to play an active part in mitigating climate change
- Conceivable, feasible and justifiable political means to stop climate change (reform or revolution, democratic or authoritarian path)
- The sustainability of the social model and the achievements of the welfare state in the face of climate change mitigation
- The aspect of human rights, freedom, equality, solidarity, the concept of ownership and the idea of "common" in the promotion of policies and measures to mitigate climate change and its impacts (potential conflict of individual/collective economic and social rights with climate change mitigation policies)
- Potential social impacts of climate change mitigation policies and their implications for inequality (the impact on employment, income, wealth, living standards, welfare and related negative side-effects)
- The problem of legitimacy and the preconditions for political justification / recognition of climate change mitigation policies

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS** 

## 30 June 2021