

Webinar 1 - Community Acceptance: First explorations of regions

Speaker bios:



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Elisabeth studied psychology, business administration and marketing. For her PhD thesis she received an award from Südwest Metall as an outstanding contribution to research. Further work experience includes consulting of private and public organizations and journalism as well as university lectures. Since June 2009 at the Fraunhofer ISI as senior scientist and since March 2019 coordinator of the Business Unit Actors and Social Acceptance in the Transformation of the Energy System. Her work focuses on the human perspective on a changing energy system. She is the main contact for societal issues around the energy transition for the institute.



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Ana is a sociologist and a senior research fellow at the Institute of Social Sciences of the University of Lisbon. She works mainly in social studies of science and technology and has conducted research on multiple issues, including the acceptance of energy infrastructures, climate change risks, public engagement with science and science communication.



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Sabine is a trained psychologist and social researcher at Fraunhofer Institute for Systems and Innovation Research ISI within the Competence Center "Energy Technologies and Energy Systems". She holds a PhD in social, environmental, and economic psychology. As senior scientist, her research focuses on the human factors of the energy transition, such as behavioral changes, attitudes and acceptance of technologies and policies. She has a special research interest in energy justice and the impact of the energy transition on marginalized groups.