

Call for Visiting Researchers

“Research interactions and Capacity Building in the Global South Centers”

Organized by

**The collaborative program “Women in Environmental Economics for Development”
(WinEED)**

at

Environment for Development Initiative (EfD) February 10th, 2022.

This project aims at strengthening the network of women researchers in environmental economics through Women in Environmental Economics for Development (WinEED) and spread more knowledge on gender equality within EfD centers in the global south.

This is an open call for two (2) women researchers on topics of the intersection of environmental economics, gender, and development¹. They will visit the EfD Centers in the global south regions (Nigeria and China)². The two (2) selected researchers will visit one of the EfD Centers for a week jointly with María López Uribe -WinEED leader-. The two centers to visit in 2022 are EfD Nigeria and EfD China. During their visit, invited researchers are expected to present some of their ongoing researcher and keep important interaction with local researchers and students. At the end of their visit, local and invited researchers will submit a research proposal on a topic of mutual interest³.

EfD and WinEED will cover flight tickets (cheapest route from the country of origin) and accommodation during the stay.

Women in Environmental Economics for Development (WinEED) is a network of women economists associated with Environment for Development (EfD) centers around the world. Founded by Drs. Pamela Jagger, Erin Sills, and Rohini Somanathan. WinEED aims to provide information, resources, and support for academics, at all stages in their careers, in the Global South working at the interface of environment and development research, at all stages of their careers. Visit us: <https://www.efdinitiative.org/women-environmental-economics-development-wineed>

¹ This is an open call, however, priority will be given to researchers who are affiliated to the EfD network.

² The project covers transportation costs (from your resident country to the EfD center and back), accommodation and food for one week. The budget of the proposal does NOT cover visa expenses of the selected researchers.

³ We encourage researchers to include in their proposal a comparative analysis between the regions.

RESEARCHER PROFILE

- Master's degree with a strong background and experience in research.
- Doctoral degree students or researchers who have obtained a PhD in a related field.
- The scope of their research must be related to environmental or development economics and should be of interest to the EfD center to visit (See website: <https://www.efdinitiative.org/>).
- Time available for international visits during 2022 and no entry restrictions to the countries to visit.
- Ability to speak and write in English under European standards (C1 or C2).
- We will prioritize the region of origin in the selection process. All invited researchers must come from the Global South.
- Although this is an open call, priority will be given to researchers who are affiliated to an EfD center.

For the selection process, candidates must send their **CV, a motivation letter, and a summary of an ongoing research project (max 500 words) to the email: convocatorias.invest.economia@gmail.com, indicating in the subject: Call to Visiting Researchers- WinEED.** All documents should be sent in a single file in pdf format. Candidates must include in their motivation letter the EfD center they are interested to visit (Nigeria or China).

SCHEDULE:

- ⇒ Open call for the two invited researchers: February 10th, 2022.
- ⇒ Reception of candidate information: from the opening until March 14th, 2022.
- ⇒ Selection of the two invited researchers: April 19th, 2022.
- ⇒ First visit: China. Expected dates: June 27th to July 3rd, 2022.
- ⇒ Second visit: Nigeria. Expected dates: October 3rd to October 7th, 2022.

CONTACT AND PARTICIPATION

Participation in the call is free and we encourage all women researchers to participate. If you have questions related to the call, please contact Maria Del Pilar Lopez Uribe, WinEED leader (m.lopezu@uniandes.edu.co).