

# European Yearbook of International Economic Law 2024: Call for abstracts (and papers)

The editors of the European Yearbook of International Economic Law (EYIEL) welcome abstracts from scholars and practitioners at all stages of their career for the EYIL 2024. This year's Focus Section will concentrate on **International and European Economic Law - Moving Towards Integration?** In the General Section, the EYIEL will address **Current Challenges, Developments and Events in European and International Economic Law**.



For the **Focus Section**, abstracts can cover any topic relating to the interlinkages and integration of economic law with other fields such as labour and human rights, environmental protection or climate change. This could cover developments in the WTO as well as in bi- and pluslateral trade agreements, in investment law or in EU law. We particularly welcome contributions addressing the following aspects:

- Labour, human rights and sustainable development provisions and chapters in FTAs; ? Developments in WTO jurisprudence and other dispute settlement mechanisms relating to the integration of non-trade topics in the WTO;
- Innovations in investment treaty law in relation to sustainable development, environmental law and/or human rights;
- New approaches inside and outside the WTO (e.g. fisheries agreement, environmental goods agreements);
- Comparative analysis of developments relating to interlinkages and integration of economic law in different regions (Europe, North- and South-America, Asia, Africa, Pacific)
- Specific instruments and clauses within agreements integrating and

determining the relationship of trade and non-trade topics, including techniques to counter fragmentation and advance integration/harmonization;

- “Greening” of EU law and European economic law;
- Global value chain regulation and governance models for sustainable production and consumption;
- Dogmatic approaches to systemic integration in international (economic) law.

For the **General Section**, abstracts should address topics of current relevance to European and International Economic Law. Similarly, reviews of case-law or practices and developments in the context of international organisations are encouraged.

Abstracts should not exceed 500 words. They should be concise and clearly outline the significance of the proposed contribution. **Abstracts** together with a **short bio note** should be submitted **until 31 October 2023** via email to [eyiel@leuphana.de](mailto:eyiel@leuphana.de).

Successful applicants will be notified by **31 December 2023** that their proposal has been accepted. They are expected to send in their final contribution by **30 April 2024**.

Final submissions will undergo peer review prior to publication. Given that submissions are to be developed on the basis of the proposal, the review will focus on the development of the paper’s central argument put forward in the abstract.

Submissions addressing particular regional and institutional developments should be analytical and not descriptive. Due to its character as a yearbook, the EYIEL will not publish articles which will lose their relevance quickly. Submissions should not exceed 12,000 words (including footnotes and references), though preference may be given to shorter submissions. They should include an abstract and a biographical note. Submissions need to be in conformity with the EYIEL style guidelines.

The editors of the EYIEL welcome informal enquiries about any other relevant topic in the field of international and European economic law. In case you have an idea or proposal, please submit your enquiry via e-mail to [eyiel@leuphana.de](mailto:eyiel@leuphana.de).