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# Sustainability in business and economics

*A two-day workshop on sustainability in Prato, Italy  
22-23 June, 2015*

Monash Business School  
will be hosting a two-day  
workshop on Sustainability  
at the Monash University  
Prato Centre (near Florence,  
Italy) on 22-23 June 2015.

The goal of this workshop is to make  
research connections, strengthen  
existing ties, and stimulate new ideas.

The workshop will have two streams, one  
focused on economics and the other on  
business, with some overlap to explore  
potential areas of synergy between the  
two groups. The economics sessions will  
cover a broad spectrum of themes on  
environment, resources, and sustainability  
economics whilst the business sessions  
will cover topics relating to transforming  
business practice for sustainability.

The workshop will bring together a  
core group of Monash staff and a  
select group of researchers from North  
America and Europe with expertise  
and interests in similar topics.

Papers in the economics stream will  
cover topics such as modeling and  
experimental approaches in the areas of  
resource management, environmental  
regulation, and food security.

Papers in the business stream will  
cover topics such as sustainable  
operations and supply chains,  
sustainable agriculture, social business  
and sustainable development.

The overall aim of this workshop is to  
explore potential for mutually beneficial  
research collaboration to deepen existing  
research relationships and forge new links.

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