

2023 Italy(Padova)- China(Guangzhou)
SMART GREEN ECONOMY & COOPERATION Conference
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Invitation

Dear Guests,

We are cordially invited you to attend 2023 Italy (Padova)-China(Guangzhou) Smart Green Economy & Cooperation Conference on exploring green economy partnership opportunities between China and Italy. This half-day seminar will take place **on Monday June 5th, 2023 at 10:00am at Archivio Antico at the Palazzo Bo, University of Padova in Padova, Italy.**

China and Italy have a long-standing friendship and partnership. there are promising areas for China-Italy cooperation on green economy such as renewable energy, sustainable transportation, circular economy etc. This event aims to bring together government officials, business leaders, and experts from China and Italy to discuss specific projects, share best practices, and forge new partnerships.

The conference agenda features:

- Keynote speeches by government and billion-sized companies' leaders from China and Italy on green economy cooperation and partnership potential
- Panel speeches with case studies on ongoing and potential initiatives for cooperation
- Networking session to connect Chinese delegation and Italian participants

This event is jointly organized by China Council for the Promotion of International Trade Guangzhou Committee (a Chinese official investment and trade promotion organization of Guangzhou municipality), Green Economy Confederation, Department of Economics and Management *Marco Fanno* - University of Padova and EnviroVest.

It's much appreciated if we can receive your confirmation by May 15th, 2023 to terzamissione.economia@unipd.it

We look forward to welcoming you to this meaningful exchange on green cooperation.

Yours sincerely,



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Organizers.

- **China Council for the Promotion of International Trade Guangzhou Committee (CCPIT)**, an official investment and trade promotion organization of Guangzhou municipality. It has 11 branch offices, 30 industrial committees, and over 6,000 member enterprises. CCPIT Guangzhou also owns Guangzhou World Trade Center. Every year it organizes Guangzhou business delegations to go abroad, receive inbound delegations, and organize exhibitions and conferences in the hope to strengthen exchange and cooperation with other countries and regions in the fields of trade, investment and technology.
- **ANIMA Green Economy Confederation (GEC)**, an industry confederation focusing on the development of green ecological and related industries between Europe and China, providing Italian companies with broader market opportunities in China. GEC was co-founded in Milan by Italy industrial confederation **ANIMA**, a federation of the Italian Associations of Mechanical and Engineering Industries founded in 1914, representing all major Italian machinery and engineering companies. and China **EnviroVest** Group.
- **University of Padova**, a world renowned and pioneer of science with over 800 years of history。University of Padova and EnviroVest have cooperated since February 2021 under the Smart Green Industry-University-Research Strategic Partnership Agreement signed between **EnviroVest** and **SMACT**, a Competence Centre supported by the Italian Ministry of Economic Development, led by the University of Padova with eight other universities in North-East Italy.
The Department of Economics and Management *Marco Fanno* is one of the 150 best departments in the world in Economics and Econometrics according to the QS World University Rankings, which internationally measures the quality of the university system. The Department has been awarded the “Departments of Excellence” seal and is confirmed as one of the 18 Italian departments of economics and statistics to receive funding for the five-year period 2023 – 2027.
- **EnviroVest**, a global environmental services company based in China with presence in China, Europe and US, focusing on waste treatment and recycle. Over years, EnviroVest has established green cooperation program with ANIMA, SMACT, University of Padova and numbers of Italian companies, successfully invested and promoted Italy businesses to China.





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Distinguished Guests.

Italy.

- Mayor Office of Padova: Mayor of Padova
- ANIMA GEC
- University of Padova
- China Italy Smart Green Industrial-University-Research Cooperation Program
- Selected well-known Italian companies

China.

- Mayor Office of Guangzhou: Deputy Mayor of Guangzhou
- China Council for the Promotion of Investment and Trade Guangzhou committee
- GAC (Guangzhou Automobile Group) Business Co., Ltd.: Chairman of the Board
- EnviroVest Industrial Co., Ltd.: Chairman of the Board
- Selected investors and billion-sized companies' leaders from Guangzhou



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