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Research Activities

(2022-2024)

General Assembly

San José, 17 October 2024

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CIRIEC Research & outputs

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RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

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SCIENTIFIC COMMISSION

PUBLIC ENTERPRISES / PUBLIC SERVICES

President: Eoin Reeves, University of Limerick (Ireland)

WORKING GROUPS

1. Public Enterprises and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

Coord: Eoin Reeves (IE) & Christina Schaefer (DE)

- **“Decarbonizing electricity: A key role for State-owned power companies”**
Hybrid seminar in Brussels, 27.10.2023
- **“Public Enterprises and SDGs”**
Panel 22 at the 2004 Conference of International Research Society for Public Management (ISRPM) in Tampere (Finland), 16-18 April 2024 org. by Dorothea Greiling



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2. Governance and accountability (Govern-ability) of multiple values of municipal corporations (MCs)

Coord.: Daniela Argento (SE), Giuseppe Grossi (SE), Anna Thomasson (SE), Marieke Van Genugten (NL)

- Online **workshop** 21-22 September 2023
- **Call for papers** for a special Issue of the “*International Journal of Public Sector Management*” with 4 Coord. as Editors
Deadline: 31 May 2024, currently second round of reviews



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OTHER ACTIVITIES

- XXth Milano Economy workshop: ***"Knowledge creation, public entrepreneurship and social justice"***, 23-24 June 2022, Milano and hybrid
- Call for papers for a APCE special issue: **"Cost-Benefit Analysis and Policy Evaluation for the Next Generation"**, Eds: Chiara, F. Del Bo & Massimo Florio (Università di Milano, Italy)
Deadline: June 2024

Annals of Public and Cooperative Economics
Annales de l'économie publique, sociale et coopérative

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SOCIAL AND COOPERATIVE ECONOMY

President: Marie J. Bouchard, Université du Québec à Montréal (Canada)

WORKING GROUPS

1. Gender Issues and Social Economy

Coord.: Juan F. Alvares (CO), Marie J. Bouchard (CA), Carmen Marcuello (ES)

■ **EVENT:**

- 4-6 July 2023: 9th International Research Conference on Social Economy, Subtheme N° 10 **Gender and SSE**, Seoul (South Korea)

■ **PUBLICATIONS:**

- Spring 2024: book on **SSE and gender in Spain and Latin America** with the cooperation of OIBESCOOP, CIRIEC-España & CIRIEC International (12 chapters from 11 countries)
- July 2024: **Special issue** in the Revista de Economía Pública, Social y cooperativa” de CIRIEC-España (11 articles by 32 authors)
- Forthcoming spring/summer 2025 : **APCE special issue** on “Gender approaches of Social Economy and State-Owned Enterprises” ; call for papers closed on 1 June 2024; first round of reviews under way



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2. SSE Utopias and Imaginary Narratives

Coord.: Alexandrine Lapoutte with Eric Dacheux, Timothée Duverger (FR)

■ **EVENT:**

- 4-6 July 2023: 9th International Research Conference on Social and Solidarity Economy, Subtheme No. 9: **SSE Utopias and Imaginary Narratives**, Seoul (South Korea)

■ **PUBLICATION:**

- Late 2024 – early 2025: publication of an online book **“CIRIEC Study Series”**: 10 contributions from the WG by the end of 2024

■ **2025: DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES**

- early 2025: workshop
- 10th CIRIEC Research Conference on Social Economy, 27-29 Oct. 2025 and Global Forum for Social and Solidarity Economy (GSEF), 29-31 Oct. 2025 both in Bordeaux (France)



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ONGOING ACTIVITIES

- **Statistics on Cooperatives and Social and Solidarity Economy**

Coord.: Marie J. Bouchard (CA), Ilcheong Yi (KR, UNRISD/UNTFSSSE)

- **Impact Measurement for the Social and Cooperative Economy**

Coord.: Marie J. Bouchard (CA) & Damien Rousselière (FR)

- **European Expert Group on Social and Solidarity Economy (GECES)**

Rafael Chaves (2018 to 2024)



SCIENTIFIC COMMISSION SOCIAL AND COOPERATIVE ECONOMY

ANNALS OF PUBLIC AND COOPERATIVE ECONOMICS SPECIAL ISSUES

- 2022: **“Impact Measurement in the Social Economy”**
Eds: Marie Bouchard (CA) and Damien Rousselière (FR), Vol. 93(2)
- 2023: **“Farmers’ Organisations and Sustainable development”**, Eds: Wanglin Ma (NZ), Marco Marini (IT) and Dil B. Rahut (JP), Vol. 94(3)
- Work in progress: **“Gender approaches of Social Economy and State-Owned Enterprises”**
 - call for papers closed on 1 June 2024; first round of reviews
 - forthcoming spring/summer 2025

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INT'L SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL (2025-2027) NEW TRANSVERSAL WORKING GROUP

Proposal by Dorothea Greiling

Measuring the **SDG** impact in the Public and Social & Solidarity Economy

- Thematic subgroups on specific topics: e.g.
 - Understanding the PE/SSE specificities that favor SDG implementation and measurement: mission of general/collective interest, participative and/or democratic governance, transparency and accountability
 - PE/SSE contributions to specific sectors (e.g., agriculture, energy, health, housing, tourism), fields of actions (climate change, circular economy) or to specific SDGs (poverty reduction, gender equality, responsible consumption and production, etc.)
 - Ecosystemic perspective to SDGs: territorial approaches, cross-sectoral partnerships and collaborations
 - Measurement issues: identifying appropriate indicators (e.g., SDPI), scaling from micro to macro impact measurement

PUBLICATIONS

**LINKED TO CIRIEC RESEARCH ACTIVITIES
(2022 TO 2024)**

SPECIAL PUBLICATIONS FOR CIRIEC'S 75TH ANNIVERSARY IN 2022

- ***“CIRIEC 1947-2022: 75 years of reflection and action in favor of general interest and economic democracy”***, Ed. Ludo BETTENS, Institut d’Histoire ouvrière, économique et sociale (IHOES Asbl)
- ***“The Economy of the Collective Interest: 75 years of scientific research”***, by Bernard THIRY and Philippe BANCE (dir.), Ed. CIRIEC
A scientific book, compiling scientific articles by key CIRIEC personalities over the course of its history.



CIRIEC Studies Series

(in open online access, REPEC indexed)

2022, No. 3

***NEW PERSPECTIVES
IN THE CO-PRODUCTION OF PUBLIC POLICIES,
PUBLIC SERVICES AND COMMON GOODS***

Edited by Philippe Bance, Marie Bouchard
and Dorothea Greiling

11 chapters & conclusions

by 21 authors from 8 countries





WORKING PAPERS

6 in 2022, 7 in 2023 & 6 already in 2024

Examples:

- **Sovereign Wealth Funds' investments and climate change**, L. Stanley, F. Castañeda, N. Segovia – 24/06
- **Housing bonds and their role for limited-profit housing associations in Austria**, C. Barna, A. Rebeleanu, A. Zbucnea, S. Stănescu - 24/04 – KOESSL G. (also available in DE) - 24/05
- **Concrete Utopias in Marseille (France): When the Social and Solidarity Economy (SSE) inspires**, N. Richez-battesti, N. Cairo-crocco M. - 23/04
- **Democracy and Social and Solidarity Economy (SSE) – The example of mutual health insurance in France**, Y. Lucas - 23/03
- **From personalization to institutionalization of the Social and Solidarity Economy (SSE) at the United Nations. Between innovation and continuity of bureaucracy**, M. Pouzoulet (also available in FR) - 23/01
- **From “Social Impact” to “Social Value”. A holistic approach to the SSE Worth’ Measurement**, A. Bassi - 22/06
- **The Socio-Economic Impact of Public Policies in the Space Sector in Italy**, M. Florio, P. Castelnovo, V. Lupi, V. Morretta, D. Vurchio, L. Zirulia, S. Di Ciaccio, M. Piermaria - 22/01



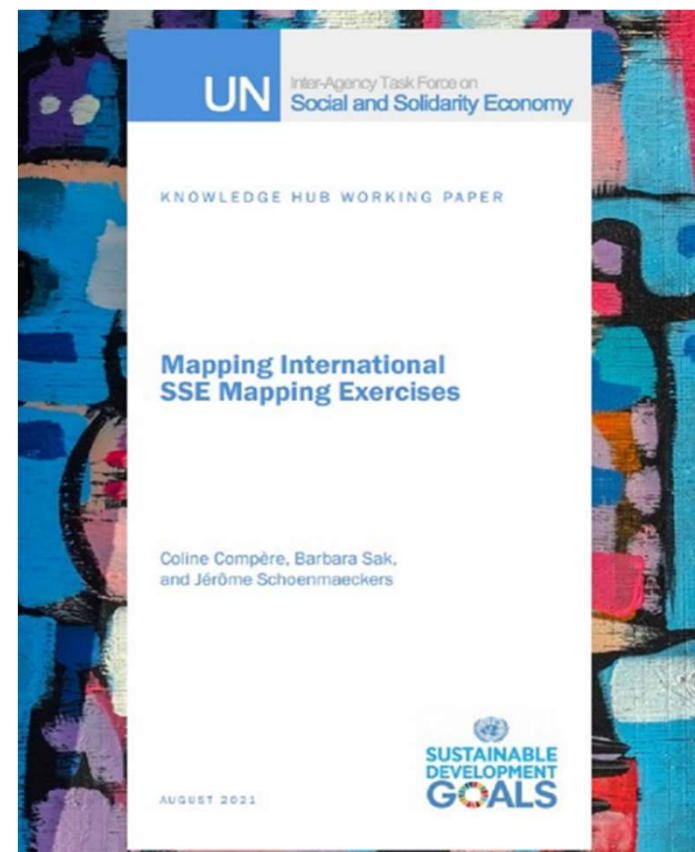
STUDIES / REPORTS

Dissemination activities around past publications

GLOBAL MAPPING OF SOCIAL SOLIDARITY ECONOMY (SSE) STATISTICS.

CIRIEC

in collaboration with the United Nations
Task Force on the Social Solidarity Economy
(UN-TFSSE)



Study **updating data** on the economic presence and the representation of social economy and social enterprises in the EU and its 27 Member States.



Main CIRIEC Researcher

Rafael CHAVES

(CIRIEC-España & University of Valencia)

6 CIRIEC members carried out the national studies in **Austria, Belgium, France, Ireland, Spain and Sweden.**

**CIRIEC EVENTS
&
CO-ORGANIZED EVENTS**



MAJOR CIRIEC EVENTS

- International **Symposium** Social Economy Institute – CIRIEC
Facing the (G)LOCAL Emergencies: Ensuring the supply of vital goods and services through the Social Economy and state-owned enterprises
Thessaloniki (Greece), 22-23 May 2023
 - 9th International CIRIEC Research **Conference** on Social Economy
Building Forward better: Social and solidarity Economy for a peaceful and fair world
Seoul (South Korea), 4-6 July 2023
 - 34th CIRIEC International **Congress**:
What strategies for a territorial and human development?
San José (Costa Rica), 16-18 October 2024
 - 10th International CIRIEC Research **Conference** on Social Economy
SSE's role in the socio ecological transition
Bordeaux (France), 27-29 October 2025
- Call for papers open till 15 January 2025



CO-ORGANIZED CONFERENCES/SEMINARS (2022-24):

- ***Decentralisation of healthcare: European Experience***
DULBEA, in collaboration with Solidaris & CIRIEC
Brussels (Belgium), 16 November 2022
- Co-organization with **UNTFSSSE** (UN Inter-Agency Task Force on Social and Solidarity Economy) of a virtual session organized as part of the Dakar (Senegal) Forum of the GSEF (**Global Forum for Social and Solidarity Economy**)
Dakar (Senegal), 1-6 May 2023
- **Additional costs of regulation in the insurance sector**
International seminar organized by CIRIEC Austria, CIRIEC Belgium & CIRIEC France
Paris (France), 11 September 2023



CO-ORGANIZED CONFERENCES/SEMINARS (2022-24):

- **African Forum for the Social Solidarity Economy**
(FORA'ESS) in collaboration with CIRIEC International
29 May - 1 June 2024 , Yaoundé (Senegal)
- ***Les entreprises publiques, actrices du développement durable et de la transition***
CIRIEC-France & CIRIEC International Conference
7 June 2024, Paris (France)
- ***Public and SSE players: Contributing to fair sustainable development***
CIRIEC-France & CIRIEC International Conference,
8 November 2024, Cité du développement durable, Paris (Nogent-sur-Marne),
France



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