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Social Innovations in the Energy Transition

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Message from the Guest Editors

In energy research, attention into the social and behavioral aspects of energy systems is often lacking. It is conducted separately from technical research, or it is only applied in a late stage of technological development. Moreover, novel energy technologies are often not, or are poorly, accepted, and potential users have difficulties to adapt their behavior when this is required for adoption and optimal use. In addition, research shows that institutions often hinder the development and diffusion of energy innovations.

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