

June 3, 2026

# ONE-DAY INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

## Sustainability Science and the Agenda 2030.

### The Psychology of Sustainability and Sustainable Development framework for Social Acceptance: Contributing to a Sustainable Sustainability **MANUREFINERY Horizon Project**

Wednesday, June 3, 2026 | 8:30

School of Psychology

University of Florence, Italy

Room 11, via della Torretta, 16, Florence, Italy

#### Program

#### 8.30 | 9.00 REGISTRATION

#### 9.00 | 9.30 INSTITUTIONAL GREETINGS – University of Florence, Italy

**Vanna Boffo**

Director of the Department of Education, Languages, Intercultures, Literatures and Psychology, University of Florence, Italy

**Caterina Primi**

Dean of the School of Psychology, University of Florence, Italy

#### 9.30 | 10.10 Keynote Lecture

**Sustainability Science, Sustainable Development and Social Acceptance of Innovation as a Key Challenge**

**Marc A. Rosen**

Full Professor of Mechanical Engineering

Faculty of Engineering and Applied Science, University of Ontario

Institute of Technology, Oshawa, Ontario, Canada

10.10 | 10.30

Discussion

#### 10.30 | 11.10 Keynote Lecture

**Psychology of Sustainability and Sustainable Development and Social Acceptance**

**Annamaria Di Fabio**

Responsible for the Special International IAAP Project “Promoting Decent Work for All”, International Association of Applied Psychology (IAAP)

Full Professor of Work and Organizational Psychology, Psychology of

Sustainability and Sustainable Development

Department of Education, Languages, Intercultures, Literatures and

Psychology (Psychology Section), University of Florence, Italy

11.10 | 11.30

Discussion

#### 11.30 | 12.10 Keynote Lecture

**MANUREFINERY Horizon Project and Social Life Cycle Assessment**

**Giampaolo Manfreda**

Emeritus Professor of Sustainable Energy

Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Florence, Italy

12.10 | 12.30

Discussion

#### 12.30 | 14.00 Lunch Break

#### Scientific Committee

**Annamaria Di Fabio** (President)

(University of Florence, Italy)

**Daniele Fiaschi**

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**Giampaolo Manfreda**

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**Marc A. Rosen**

(University of Ontario Institute of Technology, Canada)

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#### 14.00 | 14.40 Keynote Lecture

**MANUREFINERY Horizon Project: Advancements and Challenges**

**Daniele Fiaschi**

Professor of Renewable Energy and Energy Systems

Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Florence, Italy

14.40 | 15.00

Discussion

#### 15.00 | 15.40 Keynote Lecture

**Sustainable Work and Organizations: Rethinking Performance, People Development, and Evaluation in the Digital Era**

**Marco Giovanni Mariani**

Full Professor of Work and Organizational Psychology

Department of Psychology, University of Bologna, Italy

15.40 | 16.00

Discussion

#### 16.00 | 16.40 Keynote Lecture

**Contestualized Well-being in Workplace: A strategic research path for Sustainability**

**Gabriele Giorgi**

Full Professor of Work and Organizational Psychology

European University of Rome, Rome, Italy

16.40 | 17.00

Discussion

#### 17.00 | 18.00 Round Table

**Sustainable Development, Innovation and Social Acceptance**

**Chairs: Marc A. Rosen** (University of Ontario Institute of Technology, Canada) & **Annamaria Di Fabio** (University of Florence, Italy)

**Participants:**

**Simone Ferri Graziani** (Coldiretti Livorno; Agricultural Entrepreneur, Florence, Italy)

**Gabriele Giorgi** (European University of Rome, Rome, Italy)

**Giampaolo Manfreda** (University of Florence, Italy)

**Marco Giovanni Mariani** (University of Bologna, Italy)

**Letizia Palazzeschi** (University of Florence, Italy)

**Loredana Torsello** (Consortium for the Development of Geothermal Areas COSVIG, Italy)

#### 18.00 | 18.30 Final Reflections and Conclusions

**Marc A. Rosen & Annamaria Di Fabio**



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