IEWT – PhD Day

In the prelude to IEWT 2027, a PhD Day takes place on **February 9th, 2027** (in **English**). We are looking forward to welcoming PhD candidates in the field of energy economics, system analysis and modeling in Vienna, Austria.

The seminar focuses on:

- Getting feedback from senior researchers and fellow PhD candidates on your in-progress paper
- Discussions on applied methodology and framing of the research questions
- Improving effective paper writing
- Exchanging ideas and networking with PhD candidates

How to participate?

- Submit title and abstract (up to 500 words) by **November 22nd, 2026** (by e-mail to iewt-phdday@tuwien.ac.at).
- You will get a notification of acceptance by **December 20th, 2026.**
- Submit a draft of a full paper by **January 24th, 2027.**
- You will receive one draft to review after the submission deadline. Submit your review by **February 7th, 2027.**

Please contact Daniel Cäsar and Leopold Riedl (iewt-phdday@tuwien.ac.at) for further details.

FAQ: Is it possible to present the same content at the PhD Day and at the IEWT conference?

Yes. The PhD Day is not a conference-style event: you give only a short overview of your work and then focus on the draft of your planned paper, with the aim of refining it. Attending the IEWT conference is not required. Please submit your contributions to the PhD Day and the conference separately, even if they cover the same topic.

FAQ: What classifies as a "draft of a full paper" here?

- The paper has not yet been submitted for publication.
- The paper is close to completion but not yet in its final form.
- The paper's structure, content and storyline are clear, and the methodology is well described.
- The research questions addressed are formulated, and the presented key results have been at least preliminarily visualized.

FAQ: Is there a participation fee, and are travel costs covered?

The PhD Day is free of charge. Travel and accommodation costs are not covered. Registration for the IEWT conference, if you wish to attend, is separate.