## Bruegel's Privacy Policy

This privacy policy describes the collection, use and processing of personal data by Bruegel, as defined by the European Union's General Data Protection Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2016/679).

Bruegel's mission is to improve the quality of economic policy with open and fact-based research, analysis and debate. We are committed to impartiality, openness and excellence. Bruegel's membership includes EU Member State governments, international corporations and institutions.

Bruegel is committed to high data privacy standards and to protecting the personal data it collects and processes.

What does this Privacy Policy cover?

This Privacy Policy covers our processing of your personal data that we gather when you are accessing or using our websites or services (such as our discussion forum) or when you contact us. We store data that may identify you as an individual ("Personal Data"), as explained in more detail below.

Information you provide to us when you use our website:

We may store Personal Data that you choose to send to us or provide to us, for example, on our "Contact Us" and "Sign up for newsletters" forms, and if you register to participate in our events. If you contact us through our website, we will keep a record of our correspondence.

Information you provide to us when you use our services:

We receive and store only the data you provide directly to us. The types of data we may collect directly from you include names, email addresses, postal addresses, phone numbers, job titles and any other data you may provide.

Information for the maintenance of membership relations:

Bruegel has legitimate interests in the processing of personal data of the contact persons across its membership for the purpose of administering or informing its membership or for the governance of the association.

Bruegel also processes the personal data of representatives and contact persons of entities which it contracts, such as consortiums or services providers.

For research and organisational purposes:

Bruegel processes contact details of journalists, Members of the European Parliament, officials from the European Commission and from EU Member States, academics, consultants, industry experts and European affairs stakeholders for the purposes of carrying out its mission.

## For events organisation:

Bruegel processes Personal Data of individuals who register to participate in the events and conferences it organises. This is done for the the purpose of managing the registration and participation of such events under the general terms and conditions that are expressly accepted by the individuals and/or based on consent for certain personal data.

Information we automatically collect

We are constantly improving our website and services, so we may need to change this Privacy Policy from time to time. We will alert you to material changes by placing a notice on our website and/or by sending you an email (if you have registered your e-mail details with us) when we are required to do so by applicable law. You can see when this Privacy Policy was last updated by checking the date at the bottom of this page.

If you have questions about this policy

If you have any questions or concerns regarding our privacy policies, please send us a detailed message to <u>privacy</u>@bruegel.org, and we will try to resolve your concerns.

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