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# INNOVATION, SUSTAINABILITY, AND INSTITUTIONS.

## A POLITICAL ECONOMY APPROACH

THURSDAY, 14 NOVEMBER 2024

14.30 REGISTRATION

15.00 INSTITUTIONAL WELCOMES

**Roberto Antonelli**, President, Accademia Nazionale di Lincei

**Alberto Quadrio Curzio**, President Emeritus, Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei  
and Founding Editor-in-Chief, EPOL

**Amartya Sen**, EPOL Advisory Board, Nobel Prize in Economics, Harvard University  
(recorded message)

15.45 INSTITUTIONS AND ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION

*Chair* **Alberto Quadrio Curzio**, Editor-in-Chief, EPOL

**John Eatwell**, EPOL Advisory Board, former President of Queen's College, Cambridge (UK)  
TIPPING POINTS AND INSTITUTIONAL INNOVATIONS

**Bina Agarwal**, EPOL Co-Editor, Balzan Prize, GDI, University of Manchester (UK),  
Institute of Economic Growth (Delhi, IN)

COOPERATIVE CULTIVATION: A TRANSFORMATIVE INSTITUTION?

**Joel Mokyr**, EPOL Advisory Board, Balzan Prize, Northwestern University  
(Evanston, USA)

ECONOMIC PROGRESS AND ITS DISCONTENTS

Q&A

FRIDAY, 15 NOVEMBER 2024

9.00 CONFLICTS AND SUSTAINABILITY

*Chair* **Bina Agarwal**, EPOL Co-Editor, Balzan Prize

**Prabhu Pingali**, Founding Director, Tata-Cornell Institute, Cornell University (Ithaca, USA)  
CONFLICTING SOCIETAL GOALS AND THE SUSTAINABILITY CHALLENGE

**Joan Martinez Alier**, EPOL Advisory Board, Balzan Prize, Universitat Autònoma  
de Barcelona (ES)

ECOLOGICAL DISTRIBUTION CONFLICTS AND MULTI-DIMENSIONAL POVERTY

**Maryam Rahmanian**, ex-Vice Chair, High Level Panel of Experts on Food Security  
and Nutrition of the UN Committee on World Food Security (HLPE/CFS) (Rome, IT)

CONFLICTS, INEQUALITIES AND THE RIGHT TO FOOD: A CIVIL SOCIETY PERSPECTIVE

**Ragupathy Venkatachalam**, EPOL Co-Editor, Goldsmiths, University of London (UK)  
CLOSING REMARKS

Q&A

10.15 COFFEE BREAK

11.10 INNOVATION AND DEVELOPMENT

*Chair* **Floriana Cerniglia**, EPOL Co-Editor, Università Cattolica, Milan

**Phoebe Koundouri**, Chair World Council of Environmental and Natural Resource  
Economists Associations; Chair SDSN Global Climate Hub; Chair AE4RIA (Athens, GR)

SYSTEMS APPROACH TO SUSTAINABILITY: IF YOU CAN'T MEASURE IT, YOU CAN'T IMPROVE IT

**Fu Jun**, EPOL Advisory Board, Founding Director, Peking University Public Policy Forum  
International (PRC)

MIND'S HEAVEN AND CLIMATE CHANGE: A UNIFIED MODEL TO EXPLAIN SUSTAINED GROWTH

**Roberto Zoboli**, EPOL Advisory Board, Università Cattolica, Milan (IT)

WHEN POLICIES MATTER: LEVERAGING NET ZERO FOR STRUCTURAL CHANGE IN THE EU

**Marcela Villarreal**, Ex-Director of Partnerships and UN Collaboration Division, FAO  
(Rome, IT)

THE POLITICAL CENTRALITY OF AGRICULTURE FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

**Sandro Montresor**, EPOL Co-Editor, Università di Trento (IT)

CLOSING REMARKS

Q&A

13.15 LUNCH

14.30 COOPERATION FOR PEACE AND DEVELOPMENT

*Chair* **Alberto Quadrio Curzio**, President Emeritus, Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei

**Berit Reiss-Andersen**, Board Member of the Nobel Peace Prize Centre, former Chair  
of the Norwegian Nobel Committee

WORKING FOR PEACE IS WORKING FOR FOOD

**Fabiola Gianotti**, Director-General, CERN

SCIENCE FOR PROGRESS AND PEACE: CERN'S EXAMPLE

**Romano Prodi**, former President of the European Commission  
EUROPE: A BRIDGE IN A BROKEN WORLD?

Q&A

16.30 GRAZIE E ARRIVEDERCI

**Marco Fortis**, EPOL Co-Editor and Co-President of the Edison Foundation

