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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, EPOL

**Amartya Sen**, EPOL Advisory Board, Nobel Prize in Economics, Harvard University  
THE INSTITUTIONS WE NEED (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 (2017), GDI, University of Manchester (UK),  
Institute of Economic Growth (Delhi, IN)  
COOPERATIVE CULTIVATION: A TRANSFORMATIVE INSTITUTION?  
**Joel Mokyr**, EPOL Advisory Board, Balzan Prize (2015), Northwestern University  
(Evanston, USA)  
ECONOMIC PROGRESS AND ITS DISCONTENTS

FRIDAY, 15 NOVEMBER 2024

**8.45 REGISTRATION**

**9.00 CONFLICTS AND SUSTAINABILITY**

**Chair Bina Agarwal**, EPOL Co-Editor, Balzan Prize (2017)  
**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 (2020), 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

**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

**13.15 LUNCH**

**14.30 COOPERATION FOR PEACE AND DEVELOPMENT**

**Chair Alberto Quadrio Curzio**, President Emeritus, Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei  
**Berit Reiss-Andersen**, Co-Chair in the Nobel Foundation, 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?

**16.30 GRAZIE E ARRIVEDERCI**

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