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## **A Green Economics Conference**

**Civilisation: the first 10,000 years - an audit  
Economics in an age of uncertainty and instability**

**Including special conference on:  
Green Procurement and the Greening of Business.**

**Other streams include:**

**Carbon Reduction and Climate Change, Women and Poverty,  
Lower Growth Economics, Biodiversity and Species Loss**

**Thursday 17 July 2008 eve from 19.30**

**all day Friday 18 July 2008 from 9:30 till late**

**and Saturday 19 July 2008 all day and evening from 9:00 till  
late**

**Mansfield College  
Oxford University, Oxford, UK**



**Bookings now open**

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**Themes and speakers including:**

**Dr Pavan Sukhdev**

University College Oxford, Head of Deutsche Bank India, restorer of an Australian Rainforest, and Leader of the Report on the Economics of Biodiversity for EU Commissioners Miko and Dimas and with Nicholas Stern.

**Dr Sukhdev presents "GDP of the Poor" a paper co-authored with Dr Haripriya Gundimeda**

**Miriam Kennet**

Director Green Economics Institute, Member of Mansfield College Oxford University,  
Editor *International Journal of Green Economics*, Environmental Economics and Policy  
Lecturer, Birkbeck College, London University: Researcher Keele University SPIRE Research  
Centre and and PSM Purchasing and Supply Management, MCIPS

**Green Economics The State of the Art,  
Green Economics and Green Procurement  
Managing the economy for sustainability in times of uncertainty and lower growth-  
Womens Unequal Pay- the formal and informal economy- Economic Aggregates**

**Volker Heinemann**

Director Green Economics Institute, Goettingen University, Kiel University  
and Nottingham University

**Thursday Evening Welcome Party**

Welcome dinner and drinks reception: at the Green Economics Institute's new offices.

**Procurement and Supply Chains, logistics and  
commodification (Friday and Saturday)**

**David Rabey Procurement Director DEFRA (Friday morning)**

Sustainable and Green Procurement Issues in Practice

**Rachel Curzon**

(Friday), Stakeholder Engagement in Practice: Snakes, Ladders and Glass Ceilings  
School of Property. Construction and Planning,  
Birmingham City University

**Miriam Kennet MCIPS**

Former Global and European Purchasing and Commodity Manager for France Telecom,  
Equant, Orange, Nortel Networks, and Babcock Power.  
Green Procurement and the Greening of Procurement. Rhetoric or reality? Beyond the  
marketing department: parallels with the CSR Process?

**Rebecca Latchford**

Forester and Certified Supply Chain Consultant  
Echo and St Cross College Oxford University , Procurement of Timber

**John Mc-Clintock,**

**European Commission, Brussels (speaking in a personal capability)**

Could fairtrade help us solve the problem of global warming

**Dr Richard Cuthbertson and Dr Wojciech Piotrowicz**

The Said Business School Oxford University,  
"Sharing Best Practice in Sustainable Supply Chains"

**David Page, Australia**

CEO of Consulting Pty, a specialist strategy firm, with service offerings including strategic  
sourcing. (Clients are mainly Australian State Governments and medium to large Australian  
corporations) Incorporating Environmental Sustainability within the Worlds Best Practice  
(Strategic Sourcing Methodology)

**Rose Bridger**

Procurement specialist in freight and supply chains,

'Aviation Economics: how one of the world's fastest growing industries and source of greenhouse gas emissions balances the books and the payloads'

**Joan Watson**

Procurement - State of Flux consultancy former financial controller Channel 4 talks about Reworking Procurement and the supply chain in time of credit crunch

**Graham Collins**

Proquest UK, Describes his recent work for CIPS and Traidcraft on Responsible Procurement Taking The Lead

**Howard Johnson**

**Mapping Green Procurement: Issues and Practise**

Specialist Procurement and inward investment Consultant, Specialist in Mexico

## **Recycling**

**Neil Sinton**

Hadleys Recycling Company: The Recycling Business

## **Greening Business (Friday and Saturday)**

**Michael Gell of Xanfeon Ltd**

Business' Carbon Footprint

**Ian Chambers**

Director Orange plc Sustainable Business Speaks about sustainable Business

**Peter McManners**

**Henley Management College**

Putting an Economic Value to Land in Its Natural State

## **Biodiversity and economics (Friday and Saturday)**

**Dr Sacha Norris**

Zoologist and Broadcaster Siren Conservation Education

Freeing the battery human: the behavioural and sustainability mismatch between homo sapiens and our environment

**Dr Susan Canney**

**Oxford University**

**Dr Maret Meritsaar Green MP**

**Estonia**

## **Lower Growth Economics (Friday and Saturday)**

**Victor Anderson, UK**

Sustainable Development Commission Senior Economist, Current policy issues in Sustainability and redefining prosperity and lower growth economics

**Daniel O Neil**

University of Leeds and Steady State Economics

Lower growth economics "Steady state economies and recession: the same or different?"

## **Development, poverty, equity and gender (Friday and Saturday)**

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### **Maret Merisaar Estonia**

**MP Estonian Greens and biologist, Baltic Environmental Politics**

### **Bente Madeira, UK and Denmark (Friday)**

Why alternative economics systems are crucial to our survival:  
Womens' Economics Group Founder and Reading International Solidarity Centre:

### **Adrienne Barnett, South Africa, Botswana and the UK (Friday)**

Specialist in family law, Founder of a Nursery school in Eastern Cape, South Africa.  
'A better world through law? Considerations for Green Economics of the theories of Niklas Luhmann'

### **John Owens (Saturday)**

Environmental Refugees and Philosophy

### **Magnus Chidi (Nigeria)**

Poverty Reduction and Sustainable Development in Nigeria

### **Alexandra Lukaszewicz (Poland)**

Women and Poverty in Poland based on UNDP RAPORT "Policy of gender equality", published in Poland in 2007 by Fundation "Fundusz Współpracy",

### **Dr Judith Delheim, Rosa Luxemburg Foundation, Germany**

Preview launch by the Rosa Luxemburg Foundations of new book, on Socio Ecological Transformations. with chapters from Judith Delheim and from Miriam Kennet,  
Main launch will be at the Frankfurt Book Fair in October

## **Greening Economics Methodology, Philosophy and Ontology (Friday and Saturday)**

### **Dr Jane Skinner University of Cambridge**

Economic Pragmatism: John Dewey's Technological Understanding of Truth as Compatible with Green Economics

### **Dr Vanessa Jerome**

The Sorbonne, Regional Political Research Department, Paris,  
Social and economic political landscapes;  
Politics of the economy, and social solidarity.

### **Professor Gustavo Vargas**

University of Mexico - Microeconomics and the markets and the firm

### **Maria Alejandra Madi**

**State University of Campinas, Brazil**

The International Political Economy of Natural Resources: the case of Brazil

### **Dr Ioana Negru (Saturday)**

**Anglia Ruskin University, Cambridge.**

What form of Pluralism should be advocated by a Green Economists?

**Dr Grimot Nane**

University of South Bank, London "Greening Africa: Issues in Development & Corruption"  
(being confirmed)

**Hendrik van den Berg**

University of Nebraska, The Conscience of a Green Economist: Developing a Holistic  
Framework for Studying Economic Growth and Development

**Dr Jeff Turk, Academy of Sciences Slovenia**  
**Methodology in Physics and Economics, formerly CERN.**  
Realism in economics: using narrative interviews

**Professor Jack Reardon USA Green Economics Institute and editor of new journal with  
Inderscience.**

Co-operation and pluralism in Green Economics Pedagogy and methodology

**Sarah Skinner (South Africa and UK) Saturday**

Environmental versus Green Economics? – Green Philosophy and Economics and the South  
African Perspective

**Dr Jeffrey Smith Americas**

President Genomics, author  
Green Tax Policies

**Climate change and carbon  
(Thursday eve, Friday and Saturday)**

**Dr. Mayer Hillman Senior Fellow Emeritus Policy Studies Institute**  
The need for Carbon Rationing (Friday late morning)

**Ben Haworth, (Friday)** "Renewable energy and the future of tradable certificates in the UK".  
Birkbeck College, London University, and Carbon Trader - Energy Policy and Climate Change

**Oliver Tickell**

Top Environmental Journalist and Physicist previews his new book Kyoto 2 with Zed Books

**Mark Partington (being confirmed)**

Trading Emissions Plc which primarily invests in CER's under Clean development  
mechanism and Sun Biofuels , trading in Jatropha Biofuels in Mozambique,  
Carbon Trading and experiences in Japan:Green fund Management

**Arnaud Brohe, Oxford University Environmental Change Institute**

Carbon Off Setting and Regulatory Issues in the UK and France

**Dr Dave Toke Uk (Saturday )**

Renewables and Wind Policy

**Economics Philosophy, sustainability and the East (Saturday)**

**Anthony Alexander (Saturday)**  
Green Economics and Philosophy of East and West

**Philip Dodd Shantou Foundation, and Shantou Campus (Friday am)**

The interface between the creative economy and the green economy in China

The attempt in post-earthquake Sechuan to develop new eco-businesses

**Yang Chen Bristol University Centre for Contemporary Chinese Studies**

China and Sustainability (Saturday)(being confirmed)

**Jaehho Chung, Intern Green Economics Institute**

The learnings from the East Asia Financial Crisis 1997, for the current economic downturn.  
Participatory discussion,(examples from the UK and South Korea)

**Dr Chaturat Boontho, Thailand**

An economics analysis of Phu Kradeung National Park

**Dr Peter Yang**

Associate Professor of German and Chinese, Department of Modern Languages and Literatures, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio  
The relationship of China's public finance and environment protection. The study uses China's official statistical data of environmental pollution; business related tax revenue including value added tax, corporate tax, resource tax, etc. and GDP as well as fossil fuel consumption and related carbon dioxide emissions since 1981

**Publishing Green Economics (Thursday, Friday and Saturday)**

**Gower Publishing**

Speaking on Publishing with Gower and will be running a stall

**Zed Books**

Launch of Oliver Tickell's new book Kyoto 2

**Greening of Cities and Transport (Saturday)**

**Joe Ravetz (Friday)**

Manchester University Centre for Urban and Regional Ecology (CURE)  
Institutional blocking points for sustainability implementation

**Johnathan Essex University of Durham and Bioregional (Saturday)**

Sustainable Buildings Building Sustainability,.

**Julie Boston**

'Community rail partnership challenge' Sustainable Transport

**Themes of the conference to include:**

Civilisation the 1<sup>st</sup> 10,000 years  
Greening of Business including  
Green Procurement and Sustainable Supply Chains  
Sustainable Transport  
Greening of IT  
Greening of Building and Construction  
Greening of Business  
Women's Poverty and unequal pay and access to assets  
Green Economics- State of the art  
Degrowth and Lower Growth  
Reworking economics, democracy and corporate activity  
Green issues, social equality and health implications  
Land Labour and capital – factors of production – an outdated concept?  
The reality factor in economics, oil gas and taxation issues  
Bio-diversity and the total economic impacts of species extinction  
Civilisation – Business – a future – what do they look like?  
Development economics, basic income, human rights

CSR and Controlling corporations  
international trade, distributive justice  
Ecological economics - environmental economics  
Ethics, poverty and social justice  
Theories of growth revisited, steady state, stationary state and declining state economies  
Incentives, taxes, regulations in economics  
Supply chain impacts, outsourcing, off shoring, project buying,  
Aid, fair trade, bio-diversity  
Archaeology and anthropology of economics, the role of women

## Bookings

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Individual rate if paying yourself, £79 per person per day, Friday and Saturday. Concessions available. Student and concession rate £39.00 per person per day if pre paid and pre arranged.

## Registration

**Thursday 17:30 - 18:30 Arrival: booking into hotel, accommodation**

From 19.30 onwards Thursday night drinks welcome networking reception party and food £15.00 in Green Economics Institute's new premises, The Old Music Hall, Cowley Road, Oxford. Please book with registration on your booking form.

**Friday and Saturday Main Conference Mansfield College, Oxford University.**

Admission fees £79 per person per day Friday and Saturday (including tea/coffee and sandwich lunch)

Friday night :Dinner out in Thai Restaurant Thai Orchid, St Clements pay directly as you go

**Saturday night Celebration Networking Dinner Party at our new Green Economics Institute, The Old Music Hall, Cowley Road, Oxford. £15.00 per person, pre- pay with your registration form**

## Stalls

£100 per day per stall, plus the individual entrance fee as above per person

All these rates are stalls only, please add on daily rates for individual attendance registration fees for each person attending with the stall.

For further details, contact us.

## Corporate Rates

Corporate Rate for companies if promoting a company perspective in the course of a speech or workshop: £200 per person per day, to include one speaker slot.

Government Rate for Government Departments £100 per person, per day, to include one speaker slot.

NGO Rates for larger NGOs with turnover above £100,000 per year: £100 per person per day, to include one speaker slot.

University Departments paying, £100 per person per day to include one speaker slot and inclusion of an accepted referenced paper in the proceedings

## Timetable

Thursday 17 July - Evening Welcome Drinks Party The Old Music Hall, Cowley Road, Oxford,

Friday 18 July –Mansfield College, Oxford University, Conference, and sandwich networking lunch, optional sit down college Lunch.

Dinner out in Thai Orchid Restaurant, St Clements, Oxford,

Saturday 19 July – Mansfield College Oxford University Annual Green Economics Conference  
10,000 years of civilisation an Audit: Sandwich networking Lunch

Celebration dinner in our new Green Economics Institute: Party £15.00

Please note timetable depends on speaker availability and we reserve the right to make changes to the programme if required

## Accommodation

Available in the College, 120 rooms for use by the conference participants. Room rates vary from £55 per room to £80 per person per night. Please enquire by email to Lynne Quiggin or Wendy Cameron directly for booking accommodation in the college

Email: [Lynne.Quiggin@mansfield.ox.ac.uk](mailto:Lynne.Quiggin@mansfield.ox.ac.uk)

Many other accommodation options to suit all tastes and pockets are provided on our website under accommodation, please check this and let us know if you have any queries or problems.

## Additional options include

Sit down Lunch in Mansfield's Oxford College Dining Hall £20.00 per person as an option on Friday. Must be prepaid.

Communal Dinner in a local restaurant on Friday night ( pay directly to the restaurant).

Celebratory Dinner on Saturday night at Green Economics Institute. £15.00 please pre book on booking form.

20 % reduction in registration fee for members of the Institute and for speakers presenting pre-accepted papers.

## Special Membership Offer

*If booking for the conference, reduced membership fee will be available for £20 for 2008 if booked with conference registration and registration form.*

## Publications

All paid up delegates will receive a copy of the Proceedings of the conference on arrival at the conference.

Full Proceedings Papers from speakers to be sent to

[judith.felton@greeneconomicsinstitute.eu](mailto:judith.felton@greeneconomicsinstitute.eu) (8 pages of A4, 2000 words max).

All papers will be considered for publication in the Academic Journal; - *International Journal of Green Economics* and for *The Green Economist* members' Journal. All papers will be published by the Green Economics Institute in the Proceedings of the Conference.

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