

WEDNESDAY 8th JUNE

Integral ecology: ETHICAL-PHILOSOPHICAL AND THEOLOGICAL dimensions

15:00-19:45 *Third session (Aula Magna)*

Moderator Gerard Whelan, S.J.
Associate Professor of Theology, Director of the Department of Fundamental Theology, Pontifical Gregorian University

15:00-15:10 **Philipp G. Renczes, S.J.**
Greetings
Dean of the Faculty of Theology of the Pontifical Gregorian University

15:10-15:30 *Introductory keynote*
Michael Schuck
Professor of Theology and the School of Environmental Sustainability, Loyola University Chicago

15:30-16:25 Panel 3.1:
Philosophical and Theological Foundations of Integral Ecology

Input from the discipline

Adam Hincks S.J.
Assistant Professor and Sutton Family Chair in Science, Christianity and Cultures, Dept. of Astronomy & Astrophysics and St. Michael's College, University of Toronto.

Cross-disciplinary debate

Oliver Putz
Research Affiliate, Laudato Si' Research Institute, Campion Hall, University of Oxford

Francesco Gambino
Professor of Civil Law, University of Macerata

Debate

16:25-16:35 *Break*

16:35-17:30 Panel 3.2:
Philosophy and Theology in the Implementation of Integral Ecology: TRANSITION TO A CULTURE OF INTEGRAL ECOLOGY: Faith, Science, and Politics

Input from the discipline

Carmody Grey
Assistant Professor of Catholic Theology at the Department of Theology and Religion, Durham University

17:30-17:40

17:40-18:40

18:40-19:00

Conclusion

19:00-19:45

Cross-disciplinary debate

Stefania Proietti
Mayor of Assisi, Italy, Associate professor of Energy Systems and Internal Combustion Engines, Marconi University

Anne-Kathrin Lindau
Professor of Geography, Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt

Debate

Break

Showcase of best practices

Presentation/ reflection 3.3.1: Ecological Conversion in Chad: Advocacy and Local Engagement

Noëlie Djimadoubaye X.M.C.J.
Research associate at the Theology Institute of the Society of Jesus (ITCJ), Ivory Coast

Presentation/ reflection 3.3.2: The Green Sabbath Project: Adapting Tradition for the Anthropocene

Jonathan Schorsch
Professor for Jewish religious and intellectual History, School of Jewish Theology, University of Potsdam

Presentation/ reflection 3.3.3: Laudato Si' and Ecological Awareness in Hong Kong

Anselm Lam
Director of the Centre for Catholic Studies, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Presentation/ reflection 3.3.4: Education

Prem Xalxo, S.J.
Coordinator of the Joint Diploma in Integral Ecology, Pontifical Gregorian University

Paolo Conversi
Coordinator of the "Laudato Si' Observatory" of the Pontifical Gregorian University

Ulrich Bartosch
President of the University of Passau

Nuno da Silva Gonçalves, S.J.
Rector of the Pontifical Gregorian University

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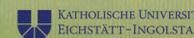
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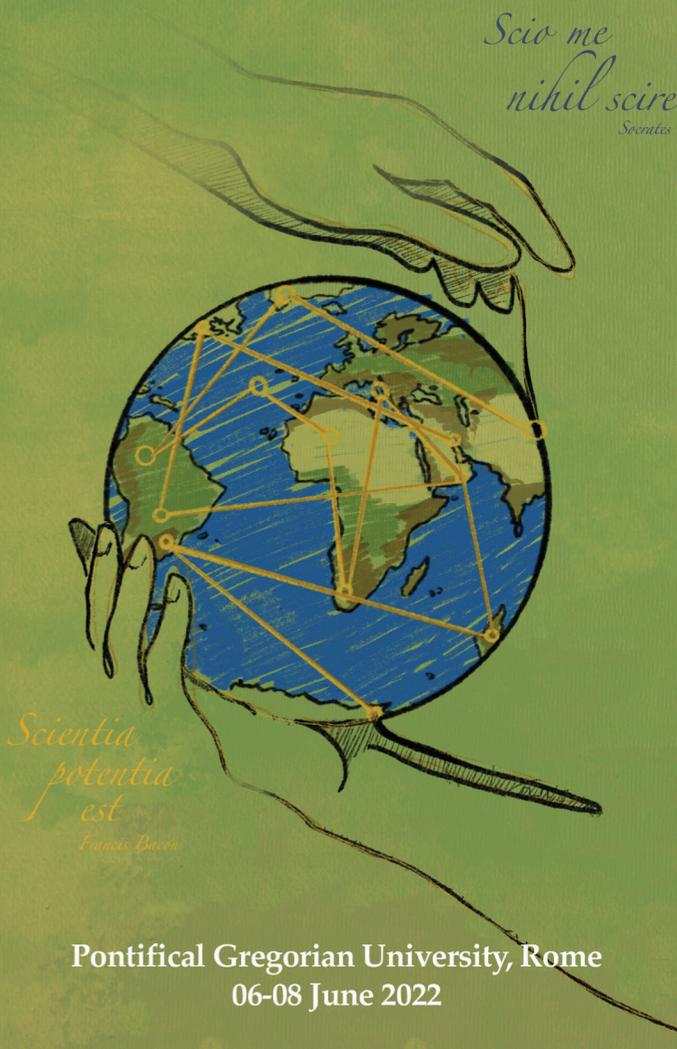


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Seneca



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Francis Bacon

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MONDAY 6th JUNE

14:00-14:40 *Registration (University Foyer)*

Integral ecology: NATURAL-SCIENTIFIC dimensions

14:40-19:00 *First session (Aula Magna)*

Moderators Kira Vinke
Head of Center for Climate and Foreign Policy at the German Council on Foreign Relations; Scientist at Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research

Christian Meier
Research Assistant and Project Consultant for the "Laudato Si' Project" of the Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt

14:40-14:50 **Mark A. Lewis, S.J.**
Greetings Academic Vice Rector of the Pontifical Gregorian University

14:50-15:10 **Paolo Conversi**
Opening Coordinator of the "Laudato Si' Observatory" of the Pontifical Gregorian University

Ulrich Bartosch
President of the University of Passau

15:10-15:30 *Introductory keynote*
Hartmut Graßl
Former Director of the "World Climate Research Programme" at WMO in Geneva; Chairman of The Federation of German Scientists (VDW)

15:30-16:25 Panel 1.1:
Natural-Scientific Foundations of Integral Ecology

Input from the discipline
Christine von Weizsäcker
President of the "European Network for Ecological Reflection and Action" (ECOROPA)

Cross-disciplinary debate
Werner Gamerith
Professor of Regional Geography, University of Passau
Louis Caruana, S.J.
Professor of Philosophy, Pontifical Gregorian University; Adjunct Scholar at the Vatican Observatory

Debate

16:25-16:35 *Break*

16:35-17:30 Panel 1.2:
Natural Sciences in the Implementation of Integral Ecology: TECHNOLOGICAL TRANSITION

Input from the discipline
Celia Deane-Drummond
Director of the Laudato Si' Research Institute, Campion Hall, University of Oxford

Cross-disciplinary debate
María Adelaida Farah
Vicepresident of Extension and Interinstitutional Relations, Pontifical Javeriana University

Carlo Maria Polvani
Under-Secretary Adjunct of the Pontifical Council for Culture

Debate

17:30-17:40 *Break*

17:40-18:40 *Showcase of best practices*

Presentation/ reflection 1.3.1: Science and Ethics
Nancy Tuchman
Dean of the School of Environmental Sustainability, Loyola University Chicago

Presentation/ reflection 1.3.2: Climate negotiations
Rodrigo Rodríguez Tornquist
Undersecretary of Knowledge for Development of the Strategic Affairs Secretariat, Presidency of the Republic of Argentina

Presentation/ reflection 1.3.3: Gene driving / GMOs
Timothy Howles
Assistant Director in Research Programming, Laudato Si' Research Institute, Campion Hall, University of Oxford

Presentation/ reflection 1.3.4: Biodiversity negotiations
Amy Woolam Echevarria
International Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation Coordinator for Columban Missionaries

Debate

18:40-19:00 "Enlightenment 2.0 and Integral Ecology"
Ernst Ulrich von Weizsäcker
Professor of Environmental Policy, University of Freiburg, Germany, former Co-President of the Club of Rome

19:00-19:30 *Drinks*

TUESDAY 7th JUNE

Integral ecology: SOCIOECONOMIC AND CULTURAL dimensions

Morning: *Optional meetings in groups*

15:00-19:00 *Second session (Aula Magna)*

Moderator René Micallef, S.J.
Associate professor, Department of Moral Theology, Pontifical Gregorian University

15:00-15:10 **Peter Lah, S.J.**
Greetings Pro-Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences, Pontifical Gregorian University

15:10-15:30 *Opening Note:*
"The Global Compact and Integral Ecology"
Jairo H Cifuentes Madrid
General Secretary of the Pontifical Javeriana University; Sectorial Coordinator of the Global Compact on Education

15:30-15:50 *Introductory keynote*
Ottmar Edenhofer
Director of the Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (PIK); Director of the Mercator Research Institute for Global Commons and Climate Change; Professor of Climate Economics and Public Policy at the Technical University of Berlin

15:50-16:45 Panel 2.1:
Economic and Cultural Foundations of Integral Ecology

Input from the discipline
Barbora Šedová
Co-leader of FutureLab – Security, Ethnic Conflicts and Migration, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research

Cross-disciplinary debate
Pedro Walpole, S.J.
Research Director at the Institute of Environmental Science for Social Change, Philippines
Martin Kirschner
Chair of Theology in Transformational Processes, Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt

Debate

16:45-17:00 *Break*

17:00-17:55 Panel 2.2:
Economics and Culture in the Implementation of Integral Ecology: CIRCULAR ECONOMY – TRANSITION AND OVERCOMING THE THROWAWAY CULTURE

Input from the discipline
César Attilio Ferrari
Professor at the School of Economics and Administrative Sciences, Pontifical Javeriana University

Cross-disciplinary debate
Theresa Sabonis-Helf
Professor of the Practice and Concentration Chair for Science, Technology and International Affairs, School of Foreign Service Affairs, Georgetown University
Bernhard Bleyer
Chair of Theological Ethics, University of Passau

Debate

17:55-18:05 *Break*

18:05-19:00 *Showcase of best practices*

Presentation/ reflection 2.3.1: Índice de Ecología Integral Humanista
Fernando Felipe Sánchez Campos
Rector of the Catholic University of Costa Rica

Presentation/ reflection 2.3.2: Pope Francis Global Poverty Index
Henry Schwalbenberg
Associate Professor of Economics, Fordham University

Presentation/ reflection 2.3.3:
Laudato Si' Action Platform
Joshtrom Kureethadam S.D.B.
Holy See's Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development, Chair of Philosophy of Science at the Salesian Pontifical University

Presentation/ reflection 2.3.4: Cooperation and Sustainability at the Municipal Level
Thiago Garcia
Project Lead of Connective Cities at the Competence Centre for Local Development Cooperation / Engagement Global, Germany

Debate

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