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# What Next for Environmentalism?

**Is environmentalism stuck in a narrative no longer applicable to a broader audience? Is it losing relevance? What role does the environmental movement play in achieving an equitable future?** Debating these and other questions, including the role of ecomodernism in forging a new narrative for environmental sustainability, is crucial if we are to ensure a more integrated and relevant view of the environment in economic development.

The debate, *What Next for Environmentalism*, promises to be a dynamic event, with the following high profile and outspoken individuals participating:

**Saliem Fakir**, *Head of the Policy and Futures Unit, WWF*

**Mike Muller**, *Adjunct Professor at Wits School of Governance and a Commissioner of South Africa's first National Planning Commission*

**Jackie Cock**, *Professor Emerita in Sociology and Honorary Research Professor at University of Witwatersrand*

**Morné Mostert (moderator)**, *Director of the Institute for Futures Research, Stellenbosch University*

**Thursday 2nd June**  
**15:30 for 16:00 - 18:00**  
**CSIR International Convention Centre**  
1 Meiring Naude Rd, Pretoria

## Who should attend?

Academics, corporates, environmentalists, government, students and civil society organisations with the aim of attaining some consensus on a new environmental narrative.

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