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Convention on
Biological Diversity

DECEMBER
6 TO 8, 2022

PAVILLON SHERBROOKE,
UNIVERSITÉ DU QUÉBEC À MONTRÉAL (UQAM)

Solutions to the Underlying Causes of Biodiversity Loss



With the participation of :

Peter Victor (York University, Canada)

Julia Steinberger (University of Lausanne)

Bill McKibben (Third Act)

Opening event

Tuesday, December 6
7 PM - 9 PM

WELCOME SPEECH

Biodiversity crisis speech

Élisabeth Abergel and
Éric Pineault (UQAM)

Main speech

Bill McKibben (Third Act)

Wednesday, December 7

MORNING **How do we move beyond economic growth?**

9AM

Peter Victor (York University)
Clifford Atleo (Simon Fraser University)

Alternatives to current investment models

Mathieu Dufour (Université du Québec en Outaouais)
Jim Thomas (ETC Group)
Sara Teitelbaum (Université de Montréal)
This panel will be moderated by Éric Pineault (UQAM)

12PM

AFTER-NOON **How can we reduce resource use in order to protect biodiversity?**

1PM

Clifford Atleo (Simon Fraser University)
Laura McKinney (Tulane University)
Emiliano Teran Mantovani (Universidad Central de Venezuela)
Brian Napoletano (Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México)
This panel will be moderated by Ugo Lapointe (Coalition Québec meilleure mine)

Adopting new goals and values for human and nature relationships

Arild Vatn (Norwegian University of Life Sciences)
Bengi Akbulut (Concordia University)
Lisa Young (Unama'ki Institute of Natural Resources)
This panel will be moderated by Tanya Handa (UQAM)

5PM

EVENING **The role of communications in social change**

7PM

Valérie Vedrines (Masse Critique)

Degrowth: the first milestones to be laid within five years

Andrea Levy (Polémos)
Maude Prud'homme (Réseau québécois des groupes écologistes)
Éric Pineault (UQAM)
This panel will be moderated by Josée Provençal (Polémos)

9PM

Thursday, December 8

MORNING What does a sober lifestyle look like?

9AM

Julia Steinberger (University of Lausanne)
This presentation will be hosted by Jean-Thomas Léveillé, environmental reporter with La Presse

Economics: Transitioning from money to material flows

Helmut Haberl (University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences [BOKU], Vienna)

Richard York (University of Oregon)

Joshua Farley (University of Vermont)

12PM

This panel will be moderated by Heather Scoffield, Ottawa Bureau Chief and economics columnist for the Toronto Star

AFTER-NOON

1PM

Implementing post-growth and degrowth: steps for the next five years

Aaron Vansintjan (University of Vermont)

Donnie Maclurcan (Post Growth Institute)

Iago Otero (University of Lausanne)

This panel will be moderated by Josée Provençal (Polémos)

Democracy and environmental justice as prerequisites for change

Deborah McGregor (Osgoode Hall Law School)

Patrick Bond (University of Johannesburg)

Brian Tokar (University of Vermont)

5PM

This panel will be moderated by Simon Tremblay-Pépin (Saint Paul University)

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