# Invitation

The Institute for Science,
Ethics and Innovation of the
University of Manchester and
the Eugenides Foundation
invite you to a presentation featuring

Professor Sir John Sulston discussing

"The University's Essential Role in Greening Humanity".

Professor Sir John Sulston (Nobel Laureate in Physiology/Medicine 2002), Chair of the Institute for Science, Ethics and Innovation, The University of Manchester, UK.

> With introduction by Professor Elias D Kouvelas, Emeritus Professor of Physiology, University of Patras, Greece.

Thursday, October 14, 2010 at 18:00. Eugenides Foundation 387 Syngrou Ave., P. Faliro.

Simultaneous translation will be provided.

Cocktails will follow the programme.

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# Welcome

to 'Greening Humanity', an international conference organized by Institute for Science, Ethics and Innovation of the University of Manchester and the Eugenides Foundation. 14 - 16 October 2010

Climate change and the world economic crisis have created new challenges for economic development to add to the old ones. The objective of sustainable development (Green Economy) has become as important as the fight against disease, hunger, poverty and social deprivation, indeed it has become part of that agenda. The ethical dimension of development and the role that science and innovation play in fostering it are essential in turning need into opportunity. Yet they are crowded out of the global policy agenda by priorities that are arguably of lesser importance. This conference will attempt to close a gap in the global policy making debate. Focussing on the contribution of science and innovation to sustainable development we will explore how academic and policy insights from the fields of ethics, economics and regulation can facilitate the achievement of these ends.

Official language: English.
The Conference Secretariat will operate
on Friday 15th Oct. and Saturday 16th Oct.
from 08:00 to 18:00.

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# **Greening** Humanity

Science, innovation, ethics and the green economy.



Eugenides Foundation - Athens, 14 - 16 October 2010

## Session 1.

## Changing Humanity biomedical ethics and sustainability.

Chair:

## 09.00-09.10 Professor John Harris (Biomedical Ethics)

Lord Alliance Professor of Bioethics, Director, Institute for Science, Ethics and Innovation, The University of Manchester.

## Keynote Speakers:

## 09.10-09.40 Professor Dan Brock (Medical Ethics)

Frances Glessner Lee Professor of Medical Ethics, Department of Global Health and Social Medicine, Harvard Medical School, Harvard University.

## 09.40-10.10 Professor Sir Peter Lachmann (Medicine)

Emeritus Professor of Immunology, Veterinary Medicine, University of Cambridge.

Panel:

## 10.10-10.20 Professor Inez de Beaufort (Health Care Ethics)

Professor of Health Care Ethics, Erasmus Medical Center, Department of Medical Ethics and Philosophy, Rotterdam.

## 10.20-10.30 Dr Maria Kokozidou (Research Scientist)

Laboratory Director, European Vascular Center Aachen-Maastricht, Department of Vascular Surgery, University Hospital Aachen.

## 10.30-10.40 Professor Elpidophoros Lambriniadis

(Theology) Chief Secretary of Holy and Sacred Synod and Professor of Ecumenical Theology and Inter-Orthodox Relations, School of Theology, University of Thessaloniki.

10.40-10.55 Coffee break.

10.55-12.25 Panel Discussion.

12.25-12.30 Chairman's closing remarks.

12.30-13.30 Lunch break.

# Session 2.

Global Economic Governance - science, innovation and green economy.

Chair:

## 13.30-13.40 Professor Emilios Avgouleas (International Financial Law)

Professor of International Financial Markets & Institutions, Director of International Financial Law LLM. School of Law. The University of Manchester.

**Keynote Speakers:** 

## 13.40-14.10

Professor Herakles Polemarchakis (Ethics of Science, Economics)

Department of Economics, University of War-

## 14.10-14.40

## Professor Yiannis Varoufakis (Economics)

Professor of Economic Theory, Department of Economic Sciences, University of Athens.

Panel:

## 14.40-14.50

Professor Nicholas Ashford

#### (Technology and Policy Law)

Professor of Technology and Policy, Director, MIT Technology & Law Program, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

## 14.50-15.00 Professor Spyros Flogaitis (Public Law)

Professor of Administrative Law, Athens Law School.

## 15.00-15.10

Dr. Christos Pitelis (Global Economic Governance/Sustainable Development)

Director of the Centre for International Business and Management, Judge Business School, University of Cambridge.

15.10-15.25 Coffee break.

15.25-16.55 Panel Discussion.

16.55-17.00 Chairman's closing remarks.

## Session 3.

**Environmental Justice** 

Chair:

## 09.00-09.10 Stephen Hockman QC (Environmental and Planning Law)

Chambers Barrister, Six Pump Court, London.

## Keynote Speakers:

## 09.10-09.40

## Professor Linda Nielsen (Bio-Law)

Professor of Law, University of Copenhagen, Den-

## 09.40-10.10

## Professor George Christie (Law)

Professor of Law, School of Law, Duke University,

Panel:

#### 10.10-10.20

## Dr Vassiliki Karageorgou (Science)

Lawyer, Senior Investigator, The Greek Ombudsman Office, Athens, Greece,

## 10.20-10.30

## Dr Teresa Hitchcock

## (Safety Health and Environment)

Partner and UK Head of Safety Health and Environment, Regulatory and Government Affairs Group, DLA Piper.

## 10.30-10.40

## Ms Lisbeth Nielsen

## (Environmental Ethics)

Centre for Biomedical Ethics, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore.

10.40-10.55 Coffee break.

10.55-12.25 Panel Discussion.

12.25-12.30 Chairman's closing remarks.

12.30-13.30 Lunch break.

## Session 4.

## Ethical Science and Innovation - towards sustainable development.

#### Chair:

#### 13.30-13.40

Professor John Sulston (Science and Biomedical Ethics)

Chair, Institute for Science, Ethics and Innovation, The University of Manchester.

## Keynote Speakers:

## 13.40-14.10

Dr David Hall-Matthews

(International Development) Senior Lecturer in International Develop-

ment, School of Politics and International Studies, University of Leeds.

#### 14.10-14.40

#### Dr Catherine Rhodes

(Ethics of Science)

Research Fellow, Institute for Science, Ethics and Innovation, The University of Manchester.

#### Panel:

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#### Professor John Harris

#### (Biomedical Ethics)

Lord Alliance Professor of Bioethics, Director, Institute for Science, Ethics and Innovation. The University of Manchester.

#### 14.50-15.00

## Dr Annabelle Lever

(Philosophy and Public Policy)

Research Fellow, Institute for Science, Ethics and Innovation, The University of Manchester.

## 15.00-15.10

## Dr Mihail Kritikos

(Ethical Governance of Research and Innovation).

Ethics Review Sector, Directorate for Science, Economy and Society, Directorate General for Research, European Commission.

15.10-15.25 Coffee break.

15.25-16.55 Panel Discussion.

16.55-17.00 Chairman's closing remarks.

# Session 5.

## Greening Humanity

- final panel discussion and closing remarks.

#### 17.00-17.10

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