



From Anthropocentrism to Ecocentrism: Making the Shift

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SECOND CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS

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You are invited:

EcoRes Forum, a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization dedicated to the **free exchange of knowledge and ideas concerning society and climate change**, invites you to join us for the first in a series of online e-conferences focusing on the ethical, political and socio-cultural aspects of climate change. The series, which will be offered free of charge, starts off this month with a two-week dialogue discussing the need for a global paradigm shift in order to effectively address the issues of climate change.

"The question is not whether climate change is happening but whether, in the face of this emergency, we ourselves can change fast enough." (Kofi Annan)

Internationally recognized panelists for this transdisciplinary discussion include:

John Allen, Chairman of the Global Ecotechnics Corporation and inventor of the Biosphere 2 project

Fred Bender, deep ecologist and author of *The Culture of Extinction*

Donald Brown, advocate for the ethical dimensions of climate change, Penn State University

W. Malcolm Byrnes, biochemist and ecological imperative proponent, Howard University

John Cairns, Jr., long-time voice for sustainable use of the biosphere Virginia Polytechnic Institute

Mary Lou Finley, social movement and activism expert, Antioch University

Lev Fishelson, marine biologist and environmental education campaigner, Tel Aviv University

Michael Frome, author, educator, and conservationist, hailed for his work on environmental stewardship

Wendy Lynne Lee, environmental philosopher and champion of ecological feminism

John Lemons, University of New England conservation policy expert and environmental studies professor

Ted Mosquin, coauthor of *A Manifesto for Earth* and ecospherics expert

Mohan Munasinghe, Sustainomics expert and Vice Chair, Intergovernmental Panel of Climate Change

Andrew Revkin, New York Times environmental reporter and author

Colin Reynolds, ecologist, known for his holistic analyses of ecosystem functions

David Rome, contemplative facilitation expert with the New York based Garrison Institute

Steven Soifer, sociology professor and co-author of *Doing Democracy*, University of Maryland

Karen Warren, ecofeminist philosophy pioneer and "street philosopher"

Join us as we explore these issues with more than 600 academics and activists, scientists and social critics, community leaders and concerned citizens from around the world.

EcoRes Forum Online Registration: <http://www.eco-res.org/register.html>