EARTH TRUSTEESHIP DIALOGUE













Pacific Island Youth for climate justice at Peace Palace, The Hague; Klaus Bosselmann launches The Hague Principles; Justice Suntariya Muanpawong; Emilie Gaillard, Normandie Chair for Peace, France; Maja Groff, international lawyer; Ambassador Emeritus Kobsak Chutikul.

NATURE RIGHTS: THE COMMONS FOR ECO-PEACE

Open coalition networking toward the 2024 UN Summit of the Future.











Connecting the Commons (CTC) on field visit; Vongthep Arthakaivalvatee, Thailand, and Norn Samnangseymony, Cambodia; Peace activist Alyn Ware; Neshan Gunasekera, Co-Chair and Justin Sobion, Coordinator, Earth Trusteeship Working Group.











Renaud Meyer, UNDP Resident Representative Thailand; Rattanasiri Kittikongnapang, Greenpeace Southeast Asia (Thailand); Michel Bauwens, P2P Founder, Chiang Mai, Thailand / Belgium; Adoption of the Declaration on Education for Earth Trusteeship at Wongsanit Ashram; Wallapa van Willenswaard, Innovation Network International (INI), social innovator.

Shaping the role of Thailand and ASEAN on Earth System Governance, in light of ASEAN's emerging Post-2025 Vision. Voices of civil society, Youth, experts in environmental law, independent academia, and responsible business.

Rationale

In September 2024 the **Summit of the Future** will be held in New York, following suggestions of the UN Secretary-General in his groundbreaking *Our Common Agenda*. Multiple initiatives are shaping up towards recommended "open coalition networking" with the purpose to strengthen **Earth System Governance** and aregenerative economy. See the Report of the UN HLAB on Effective Multilateralism https://www.highleveladvisoryboard.org/breakthrough/ titled **A Breakthrough for People and Planet.** A network of Right Livelihood Laureates and the World Future Council recommends "Enhance the concepts of Rights of Nature and Earth Trusteeship in our relationship with

the earth and in ourpolitical and legal systems." In this line the **Earth Trusteeship Working Group** (ETWG) was set up three years ago, initiated by Right Livelihood College Bangkok. At the grassroot level RLC Bangkok and partners enabled the start of the **Connecting the Commons** (CTC) project with support of the Heinrich Böll Foundation Southeast Asia.

The purpose of the conference is to explore innovative concepts toward Earth System Governance as well as how initiatives rooted in **ASEAN and its Post-2025 Vision**, **Southeast Asia**, **Asia Pacific** can feed into this **global "open coalition networking"**. Suggestions have been made that the Summit of the Future should not be limited to New York, but see satellite activities budding all over the world.

Bangkok is cherished as the cradle of ASEAN as well as the core UN platform for Asia Pacific. From thisperspective, it is felt as an important challenge to shape ASEAN and Asia Pacific contributions to "opencoalition networking" toward the Summit of the Future. With creative input from *academia-civil* society collaboration, **Youth initiatives** and a growing **commons movement** in the region.

Thursday, 27 April 2023

FCCT (Foreign Correspondents Club of Thailand) P floor, 518/5 Phloen Chit, Lumphini, Pathum Wan, Bangkok 10330.

18.00 – 20.30 at:



Livestreamed via

FCCT youtube Link https://www.yout ube.com/fccteven ts

FCCT Facebook Link https://www.face book.com/FCCTh ailand/ <u>Public Meeting</u> * Media presentation * Press Conference <u>Pre-review of book</u> (to be launched Friday 28 April 2023 at Chula)

Reflections on EARTH TRUSTEESHIP. Mother Earth and a new 21st-century governance paradigm

- Online: Messages **Alex Repenning**, Right Livelihood College, Geneva; Wheelbarrow Campaign – *Walk on Brussels* **Henry Mentink**, Co-Author; **Raúl Montenegro**, Co-Author; Right Livelihood College Cordoba, Argentina; **Nnimmo Bassey***, Co-Author, Health of Mother Earth Foundation, Nigeria.

Panel discussion with co-authors Reflections on Earth Trusteeship:

Welcome by <u>Moderator</u> **Neshan Gunasekera**, Co-Chair, Earth Trusteeship WorkingGroup, Sri Lanka; Wallenberg Institute, Lund University, Sweden; World Future Council

- Klaus Bosselmann+, Prof. of Law, author of numerous volumes on Environmental Law, Auckland University, New Zealand
- Justin Sobion (Co-Editor), Trinidad and Tobago, lawyer and Doctoral Candidate
- Alyn Ware, Right Livelihood Laureate; World Future Council; Czechia/New Zealand, Director Basel Peace Office; Parliamentarians for Nuclear Nonproliferation and Disarmament;
- Maja Groff+, international lawyer, Canada/the Netherlands; Convenor, Climate Governance Commission
- Michel Bauwens, P2P Foundation, Thailand/Belgium
- Hans van Willenswaard+ (Co-Editor), Right Livelihood College Bangkok

<u>21.00 hours:</u> connection with stakeholder consultation in New York regarding the UN Report *Breakthrough on People and Planet.* (+ = authors who delivered invited contributions to the UN High-Level Advisory Board)

Friday, 28 April 2023

09.00-18.00 hours

Chaloem Rajakumari 60 Building, Conference **Room 802**Chulalongkorn University

Chulalongkorn University		
09.00-09.15	Official Opening	
ศูนย์อาเพียนศึกษา จุฬาลงกรณ์มหาวิทยาลัย ASEAN STUDIES CENTER CHULALONOKONIA UNIVERSITY	- Sineenat Sermcheep, Director, ASEAN Studies Center, Faculty of Economics; Chulalongkorn University (CU)	
	- Suthipand Chirathivat , Emeritus Professor of Economics, Former Executive Diector, ASEAN Studies Center, CU	
	- Neshan Gunasekera , World Future Council; Co-Chair, Earth Trusteeship Working Group (ETWG); Wallenberg Institute for Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, Lund University, Sweden / Sri Lanka.	
09.15-09.45	Conference Introduction Purpose of the conference -Hans van Willenswaard, Right Livelihood College Bangkok	
	Getting to know each other. What we expect from World Café? -Anunta Intra-aksorn, Connecting theCommons (CTC); Big Trees Project; with CU Zero Waste program	
09.45-11.00	First Experts' Panel	
1	Rights of Nature, Earth System Governance and Earth Trusteeship Dialogue: do we need a new law and governance paradigm?	
	-Klaus Bosselmann, Professor of Law, Auckland University, New Zealand	
	-Justice Suntariya Muanpawong, expert inenvironmental law, Thailand	
	-Michel Bauwens, P2P Foundation,Thailand / Belgium	
	-Maja Groff, Climate Governance Commission, the Netherlands / Canada	
	-Justin Sobion, Lawyer and Doctoral Candidate at the Faculty of Law,	
	University of Auckland, New Zealand; Trinidad and Tobago.	
	Moderator: -Manuel Castillo, Associate Economic Affairs Officer,UN ESCAP	
11.00-12.00	Coffee Break and "World Café" - small group discussion – Anunta (Kob)	
12.00-13.30	Lunch with GREEN CATERING	

13.30-15.00	
	Second Experts' Panel
2	-Can we empower "multilateralism" – or: <i>global citizenship</i> – by starting with FOOD AS A COMMONS? Are food systems vital for Earth System Governance?
	-Rattanasiri Kittikongnapang, Greenpeace Southeast Asia (Thailand) -Piyapong Boossabong, PhD, Asst. Professor, School of Public Policy, Chiang Mai University (online) -Samruay Phatphon, Hug Muang Nan Foundation, Nan Province -Sakkarin Sapu, PhD, Asst. Prof. King Mongkut's Institute of Technology Ladkrabang -Wallapa van Willenswaard, INI, social innovator - Moderator: Kittipon Phummisuttikul, International Masters student, Chulalongkorn University; Coordinator, Right Livelihood College Bangkok.
15.00-16.00	"World Café" – Anunta (Kob) Reflections on global citizenship and food as a commons .
16.00-18.00	FESTIVE Book LAUNCH. Chaloem Rajakumari Building, 7 th Floor
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	with Waldorf School Music Ensemble
To the second se	-Jessica den Outer on Rights of Nature (online).
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	Sulak Sivaraksa , Right Livelihood Laureate, Founder, Sathirakoses Nagapradipa Foundation (SNF)
	-Online message Vandana Shiva, Right Livelihood Laureate, co-author of Reflections on Earth Trusteeship
	-Surichai Wun'gaeo, Emeritus Professor; Director, Peace and Conflict Studies Center – opening review -Maitree Jongkraijak, community networkleader (in Thai with translation) on behalf of Connecting the Commons (CTC) Thailand -Dasho Karma Ura, Bhutan
	-Editors and Authors' presentations
	-Open Forum. Reviews, Debates, Exchanges
	Snacks and drinks

Saturday, 29 April 2023 09.30 – 14.00 hours			
(Chaloem Rajakumari 60 Building, Conference Room 701		
09.30-11.00 3	Third Panel ECO-PEACE Panel		
	Making Peace with the Earth. Can collaboration and common care for Earth – as intended in the new 'high oceans treaty' – heal wider geopolitical tensions, conflict and war? Youth Initiatives and the Voice of future generations. ASEAN's Post-2025 Vision. Towards "collective security" as proposed in the UN Breakthrough for People and Planet Report.		
	Earth ceremony – Wanida Jiamram, Connecting the Commons (CTC)		
	 -Emilie Gaillard, Director of the Normandy Chair for Peace, France; Director Master's Degree course GENFUT on legal challenges for future generations -Alyn Ware, New Zealand / Czechia, Right Livelihood Laureate; World Future Council; Parliamentarians for Nuclear Non-proliferation and Disarmament; Director of the Basel Peace Office; Environmental Activist -ICJAO Pacific Island Students Campaign (International Court of Justice Advisory Opinion) with Justin Sobion, The Caribbean Community (CARICOM); and World's Youth for Climate Justice, Jule Schnakenberg (after lunch) 		
	-ASEAN Youth Advocates Network, Cambodia Norn Samnangseymony, Country Director Hiek Chann Samnang Yim Samnang Sithis		
	Chhour Si Minh -Youth from Vietnam, VCIL Community Vu Truong		
	VCIL is a network and community of people who advocate paradigm shift, and sustainable development through alternative (non-traditional) education and entrepreneurship to build a new (future) model of development. -Greenpeace Youth, Thailand -Young Food Thailand -WASTIC students' enterprise ABAC Assumption University of Thailand		
	- Moderator: Vongthep Arthakaivalvatee, Thailand, Former Deputy Secretary-General of ASEAN		
	DIALOGUE		

11.00-12.00	Coffee Break and "World Café" – Anunta
12.00-13.00	Lunch with GREEN CATERING
13.00-14.00	SATURDAY 29 APRIL CONFERENCE HARVEST Brief closing remarks by Neshan Gunasekera, Co-Chair, Earth Trusteeship Working Group Future Outlook by Renaud Meyer, UNDP Resident Representative; World's Youth for Climate Justice Jule Schnakenberg (online) resource persons, participants, organisers. The NEXT STEPS in open coalition networking toward the 2024 UN Summit of the Future. The role of civil society, Youth, independent academia, responsible business, media, on Earth System Governance in light of ASEAN's Post 2025 Vision. Sharing of commitments and plans. Earth Trusteeship Dialogue in three-year future perspective.

Informal Meetings and Departures

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Link to the Report of the UN High-Level Advisory Board (HLAB) on Effective Multilateralism

https://www.highleveladvisoryboard.org/breakthrough/