# Religion, Sustainability and Politics

## Wednesday, June 7th, Room 113

**Convener:** Torsten Meireis

- **18:00** Nadine Bowers Du Toit: Contested development(s)? The possible contribution of the African Initiated Churches in decolonising development
- **19:30** Jörg Niewöhner: The hyphen in social-ecological change – notes from anthropology
- **21:00** Reception

## Thursday, June 8th, Room 113

**Convener:** Nadia Marais

- **09:30** Wolfgang Lucht: Which Anthropocene? Earth and Humans at a Crossroads
- **10:30** Coffee Break
- **11:00** Gabriele Rippl: Sustainability and the Ethics of Description
- **12:00** Julia Dietrich: Showing Objects – Showing Religion? Sustainability of religious knowledge in the context of museums and exhibitions
- **13:00** Lunch Break

**Convener:** Federico Settler

- **14:00** Marcia Pally: What Would Jesus Drive? The mainstreaming of evangelical environmental protection programs
- **15:00** Dion Forster: Thinking Olive instead of ‘Red’ or ‘Green’?: Seeking to bring together sustainability and development discourses in Southern African Methodist Theological Ethics
- **16:00** Coffee Break
- **16:30** Johan Cilliers: Fracking in the Karoo? Religious-Aesthetical perspectives on a South African Sustainability Debate

## Friday, June 9th, Room 113

**Convener:** Andreas Feldkeller

- **09:00** Ignatius Swart: The power of development in post apartheid South Africa: What have the religious sector and its leadership achieved?
- **10:30** Coffee Break

## Saturday, June 10th, Room 113

**Convener:** Dion Forster

- **09:00** Henry Mbaya / Simanga R. Kumalo: SAFCEI’s Role as an Agent of Advocacy and Ministries for “Sustainable” Development in South Africa – An Ecumenical Diakonia Perspective
- **10:00** Elvis Mokete Mofokeng: Belhar Confession and liturgy. A hymnological study
- **11:00** Coffee Break
- **11:30** Kennedy Owino: The Eucharist as a Critique to ‘Political’ Masculinities: Implications for ‘Sustainability’ and ‘Development’
- **12:30** Final discussion
- **13:30** End of conference

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