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# Sustainability : Group Presentation & Dialogue

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## **Group Presentation**

Imagine that we are holding "SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals) Dialogue" in this room.

#### You should be able to present the followings;

- 1. define "sustainable X" (X=country/region/industry)
- 2. propose
  - a. your own vision and goals
  - b. key indicators
  - c. key policies
  - d. how your research can contribute

## **Dialogue**

## What is different about SDGs

Universality

**Integration** 

**Transformation** 

## **Dialogue**

# Key perspectives

Ecological Footprint/Overshoot

Inter-generational and intra-generational equity

Simultaneous pursuit (systemic, integrated, long term)

Backcasting

Change the structure (ideas, goals, incentives, costs, and feedbacks)

## Dialogue Good Sustainability Policy

# - How does it change the structure?

- ☐ Change feedback structure/information links in the system
- ☐ Change the content and timeliness of the data that actors in the system have to work with
- ☐ Change the ideas, goals, incentives, costs, and feedbacks that motivates or constrain behavior
- ☐ In time, system with a new information structure is likely to change its social and physical structures.
- It may develop new laws, organizations, technologies, people with new skills, machines and buildings.
- Such a transformation need not be directed centrally; it can be unplanned, natural, evolutionary, exciting, joyful.

"Limits to Growth – The 30-Year Update"

## **Next Step**

## Further resources

#### Open SDGs data hub

https://unstats-undesa.opendata.arcgis.com/

#### Tier Classification for Global SDG Indicators

https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/files/ Tier%20Classification%20of%20SDG%20Indicators\_11%2 0May%202018 web.pdf

## **SDG Knowledge Hub**

https://sdg.iisd.org/

## **Next Step**

## **Emerging questions**

-list 3 questions for your further inquiry

1.

2.

3.