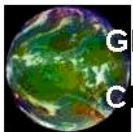


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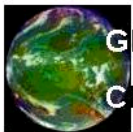
To provide an open forum on the future. A globalized future. A future with huge opportunities as knowledge grows and innovation accelerates. But a future with profound challenges, some for the planet, some for society, some for particular groups and the individual. Dilemmas accompany both opportunities and challenges, usually involving possible trade-offs and sometimes calling for major changes to ways of life or doing business. Always, an informed, considered approach is needed. But there must also be trust in how an approach is formed, especially on any issue of global or societal proportions. Global Challenge is a centre for *independent* reflection, entirely free of pressure interests and hidden agendas – political, commercial, religious or other. In this way, Global Challenge offers a bridge to all those involved in shaping policy – whether in government, parliaments, local authorities, international bodies, business or civil society. Global Challenge achieves this mainly by means of workshops on key issues; these generate concrete conclusions for use in the relevant political, social or economic arenas. Global Challenge briefings and seminars serve additionally to impart and exchange critical information. Attendance is generally by invitation in order to assist in-depth and free discussion among policy makers and shapers.



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Putting the focus on sustainable development and innovation - WHY?

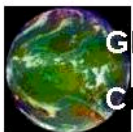
Sustainable development is without question one of our era's most pressing topics. It embraces such dimensions as climate change, biodiversity, Earth's carrying capacity and the husbandry of resources. Technological innovation, on the other hand, is essential for assuring the economic dynamism that underpins a desirable and sustainable future for all. Global Challenge's mission is to probe the issues of both themes and their interaction, including from the point of view of human dignity.



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Who is it for?

Global Challenge is aimed at policy makers and shapers who seek to develop initiatives in key areas falling within the areas of sustainable development and innovation. It is thus aimed not only at institutional and political actors but all sectors of civil society, including industry, commerce and citizens' coalitions.



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Who are we?

Global Challenge is a neutral platform joining independent technology and policy experts with partners dedicated to advancing values of human dignity and planetary protection. It operates on a voluntary basis and is led by the distinguished thinker on international affairs **Professor Dr Paul Lim**. Behind him is a team of committed experts covering a wide range of fields relevant to sustainable development and innovation. It receives management support from [Systemics Network International](#) and operational support from the FCJ Centre, the partners who together launched Global Challenge in order to further the objectives and values for which it stands.

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