

Beyond Economics

3rd April 2011, 3:00pm-7:20pm

Arcola Green Sundays blend environmental issues with the arts. Join us for workshops and a special film screening and discussion exploring economic growth and sustainability.

Programme

Presented in collaboration with the New Economics Foundation and CEECEC, the day will explore the way our society is based on 'growth' – the notion that more money, more goods and more services are needed by us all to lead fulfilling lives.

3:00 Free workshop, "Choose your own economic adventure", exploring the intersection of sustainability and economics through discussions, games and craft

5:00-7:20 Films and Discussion hosted by Hali Healy from CEECEC (Civil Society Engagement with ECological Economics). Tickets £8/£5 concession.

'Life After Growth', Dir. Leah Temper and Claudia Medina, 2010, Canada, 25mins

'The Economics of Happiness', Dir. Helena Norberg-Hodge, Steven Gorelick, John Page, 2010, US/UK, 67mins

A new film that argues that the policies being implemented to deal with today's economic turmoil will only temporarily shore up a global system that is fundamentally unstable and incapable of meeting the needs of people and the planet.

Post-screening discussion with Ruth Potts (Campaign Manager - The Great Transition, the new economics foundation) and Ian Mason (Head of Law and Economics at the School of Economic Science)

Tickets for the screening are available on the door or you can pre-book via the Arcola box office – 020 7503 1646.

Where: Arcola Theatre, 24 Ashwin Street, London, E8 3DL.

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