

# Civil Society and Knowledge Community: Dialogues around Institutional Framework for Sustainable Development (IFSD)

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**The International Policy Centre for Inclusive Growth (IPC-IG)** is UNDP's global forum for policy dialogue and South-South learning on development innovations. From its headquarters in Brasilia, Brazil IPC-IG is dedicated to equipping policymakers in the developing world with the skills necessary to design, implement and evaluate policies and programmes towards the attainment of high inclusive growth. Better known for its leadership on social protection, IPC-IG has expanded its focus to include rural and sustainable development. Its recent work on Inclusive Green Growth highlights the potential for South-South cooperation to deliver effectively and tangibly in addressing some of the more complex elements for greening the economy and delivering both poverty reduction and equity. This seminar presents an opportunity to explore these issues in the context of Africa's agricultural and broader development agenda. For further information:

<http://www.ipcundp.org/pages/newsite/menu/about/introduction.jsp?active=0>



The Energy and Resources Institute

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works on the fields of energy, environment and current patterns of development, which are largely unsustainable. The Institute has grown substantially over the years, particularly, since it launched its own research activities and established a base in New Delhi, its registered headquarters. The strength of the Institute lies in not only identifying and articulating intellectual challenges straddling a number of disciplines of knowledge but also in mounting research, training and demonstration projects leading to development of specific problem-based advanced technologies that help carry benefits to society at large. For further information:

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<http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/ourwork/democraticgovernance/overview.html>