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The Moral and Political Foundations of Social Justice in an Interdependent World

Participant Biographies

Barbara Baudot is currently Professor for International Relations and Comparative Politics at Saint Anselm College and is the Coordinator of the Center for International Affairs at the Academic Research Center of the New Hampshire Institute of Politics [NHIOIP]. She is also a founder and Coordinator of the Triglav Circle, a non governmental organization having special consultative status with the United Nations. Prior to her work at Saint Anselm College, she served in a number of capacities in the United Nations: first as an economist in the Economic and Social Department in New York, dealing with problems of development. Later, at the Economic Commission for Europe in Geneva, she participated in East/West negotiations and was Secretary to the Meetings of Senior Economic Advisors to ECE governments. In her last posting she was special assistant to the Director of Manufactures in UNCTAD. Her research includes studies on development, international trade, transfer of technology, and foreign investment in the Third World and an in-depth analysis of the planning, budgeting, and restructuring of the United Nations. More recently, she has worked to introduce philosophical approaches to contemporary problems of sustainable progress and development. Her latest books include *Candles in the Dark: A New Spirit for a Plural World*, published by the University of Washington Press, 2003, and *People and Their Planet: Seeking Equilibrium*, London: Macmillan, 1999. In addition, she has served as advisor and consultant to various international bodies concerned with problems of the environment. As coordinator of the Triglav Circle, she has been engaged in international undertakings connected with the follow up of the World Social Summit. She received her Ph.D. from Tufts University's Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy. She was a Fulbright Scholar in Norway and an International Relations Fellow of the Rockefeller Foundation.

Jacques Baudot served the United Nations Secretariat from 1969 until 2004. An expert on social development and policy, poverty, and inequality, he has written extensively on these subjects, notably in the form of reports of the UN Secretary General. These include several issues of the *Report on the World Social Situation*. Highlights of his UN career are in both substantive and administrative fields. From 1993-1995, he was the Coordinator for the World Social Summit that took place March 1995, in Copenhagen. At the same time he held the post of Director of the Division for Social Policy and Development. Following his initial retirement from the UN, he became Coordinator of the Copenhagen Seminars for Social Progress at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Copenhagen, Denmark. And most recently, he was the Coordinator of the International Forum for Social Development at the United Nations. His administrative roles include: Director of Programme Planning and Coordination, Director of the Budget; and finally, Controller of the UN in 1991. Before coming to the United Nations, he was a researcher at the Institut d'Etudes Démographique (INED) in Paris and afterwards at the Commissariat Général du Plan where he worked on social issues for six years. He received his Diploma from the Institut d'Etudes Politiques in Paris in 1958. Currently, he is completing a book on issues of social justice for the UN. He is also the editor of the book, *Building a World Community: Globalization and the Common Good*, published by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Denmark in collaboration with the University of Washington Press.

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Dieter Dettke has been the Executive Director of the Washington Office of the Friedrich Ebert Foundation since 1985. A former Research Associate at the German Council on Foreign Relations in Bonn, he later served as political counselor of the SPD Parliamentary Group of the German *Bundestag* and as Staff Director of the Office of the State Minister of the German Foreign Ministry. Since 2003, Dieter Dettke has also been Adjunct Professor at Georgetown University's Security Studies Program. He is a foreign and security policy specialist and has published widely on security issues, East-West relations, and U.S. foreign and domestic policy. He studied political science and law at the universities of Strasbourg, Bonn, and Berlin, was a Fulbright scholar at the University of Washington, Seattle, in 1967/68, and he received his Ph.D. in political science from the Free University of Berlin in 1974.

Eckhard Deutscher has been the German Executive Director at the World Bank since June 2002. From 2002-2001, he was Advisor to the Executive Director. Prior to his work at the World Bank, Eckhard Deutscher served for nine years as Director of the German Foundation for International Development in Bonn, Germany. Between 1985 and 1990, he has also been Representative of the Friedrich Ebert Foundation in Costa Rica and served as Director of the Center for Democratic Studies on Latin America in San Jose, Costa Rica. Eckhard Deutscher taught at the University of Frankfurt, Germany, as Assistant Professor and was guest lecturer at the Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana, México, at the Universidad Veracruzana in Veracruz, México, and at the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de San Marcos in Lima, Peru. He studied development studies, social sciences and philosophy at the University of Frankfurt where he earned his Ph.D. in social sciences in 1976 and his Ph.D. in development studies in 1985.

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Gloria Li Kan currently serves as Chief, Social Perspective on Development Branch of the Division for Social Policy and Development, within the Department of Economic and Social Affairs at the United Nations. One of the main functions of the Branch is to encourage, coordinate, support and facilitate the implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development, held in Copenhagen in 1995, and of the Geneva Special Session held in June 2000 (Copenhagen + 5). Gloria Kan joined the Secretariat of the Social Summit in 1993, and oversaw its entire organization, preparatory process and provision of substantive services. Since 1995, she has been serving as the focal person in the United Nations Secretariat for the implementation of the outcome of the Summit. Five years after the Summit, in June 2000 at Geneva, Gloria Kan again played a central role in overseeing the successful holding of the Special Session of the General Assembly to review the outcome of the Summit. She was also actively involved in the preparatory process leading up to the review and adoption by Member States of a Declaration on the Tenth Anniversary of the Summit, when the Commission for Social Development of the United Nations undertook the ten-year review of the Social Summit in February 2005. Gloria Kan, who is a native of Hong Kong, holds a university degree in economics and history.

Christine A. Kearney is Assistant Professor of Politics at Saint Anselm College. Before coming to Saint Anselm, she taught in the Department of Political Science at the University of Oregon. Christine Kearney's teaching and research areas of interest include comparative politics, international relations, global economic policy, macroeconomics, social movements, neoliberalism, and Latin America. She is author of "The Creditor Plus: Paris and London", in Thomas J. Biersteker, ed., *Dealing with Debt: International Financial Negotiations and Adjustment Bargaining* (Westview Press, 1993). Her current project "Stabilization in a Neoliberal Era: Brazil and the Case for Culture," is currently under review at Pennsylvania State University Press. Christine Kearney is a member of the American Political Science Association, the Latin American Studies Association, and the International Studies Association. She received her BA in history and French from Creighton University, her MA in International Relations from The University of Southern California, and her AM and Ph.D. in Political Science from Brown University. Her dissertation won the Joukowski Prize for Outstanding Dissertation at Brown University Graduate School in 2001.

Peter Marris was a lecturer in sociology at Yale University until 2004. Prior to his position at Yale, he taught as a professor in the Urban Planning Program at the University of California, Los Angeles, from 1976 to 1991. From 1972-1976, he worked for the Centre for Environmental Studies in London. Peter Marris also worked for seventeen years at the Institute of Community Studies, London, undertaking research in Britain, West and East Africa, and the United States. During his career, he has taught at The University of California, Berkeley; M.I.T.; Boston University; The University of Massachusetts, Boston; Brandeis University; and Makerere University, Uganda. Peter Marris has undertaken research on bereavement and loss, housing and economic development in Africa, community action in Britain and America, and higher education. An underlying theme of much of his work has been the relationship between change, loss, and the construction of meaning. His books include *The Politics of Uncertainty: Attachment in Public and private Life* (1996), *Meaning and Action* (1987), *Loss and Change* (1986), *Dilemmas of Social Reform* (1982) (with Martin Rein), *African Businessmen* (1971) (with Anthony Somerset), *The Experience of Higher Education* (1964), *Family and Social Change in an African City* (1962); and *Widows and Their Families* (1958). A monograph, *Witnesses, Engineers and Storytellers, Using Research for Social Policy and Community Action* (1997), reflects on his experience of research in the context of policy and social action. He is also the author of a novel, *The Dreams of General Jerusalem* (Bloomsbury, 1986). Peter Marris studied at Bryanston School, Dorset, and Cambridge University, U.K., and he spent two years in the colonial service in Kenya.

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