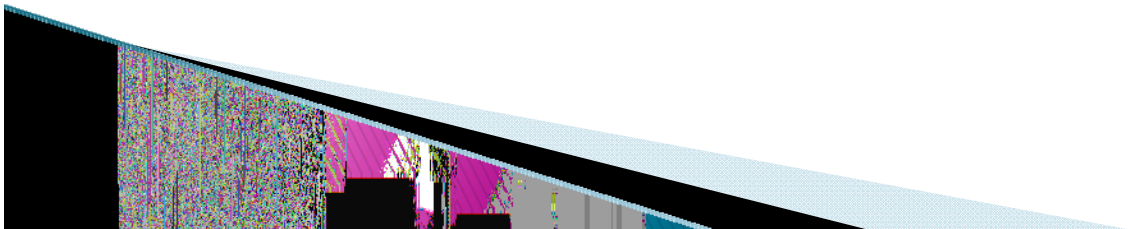
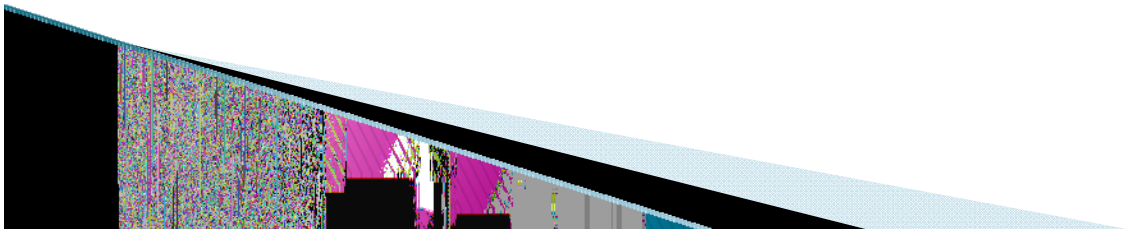


1. Human societies are living **beyond the carrying capacity** of the planet
2. **Climate change** has emerged as an out-of-control driver
3. There is now becoming an increasing link between **environment and security**
4. Governments have still not given the **UN the mandate**, 2.



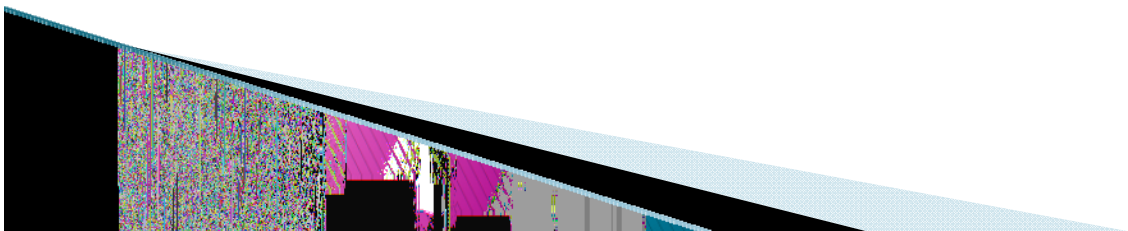
The green economy in the context of poverty alleviation and sustainable development

- q We are operating at 25% above the **biological capacity** to support life
- q present **lifestyles** are drawing down the **ecological capital** from other parts of the world and from future generations
- q Earth Summit 2012 can clearly draw a roadmap to set the world on the path to a new " **economy**" that is sustainable, equitable and accessible to all



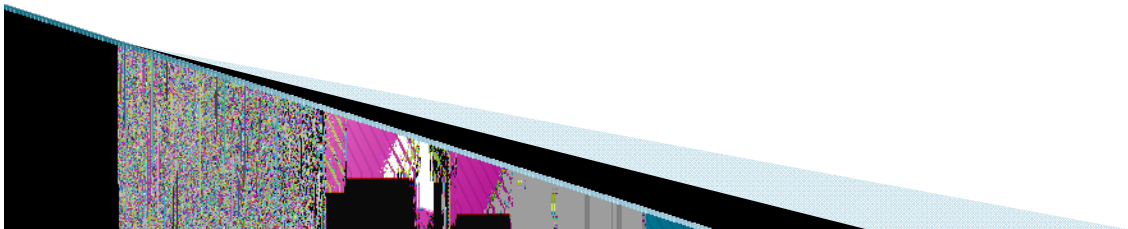
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- q Earth Summit 2012 should agree on strengthening and upgrading the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), which should be the most influential champion of the global environment.
- q We need a review of the environment Conventions to reduce fragmentation and increase cooperation and coordination

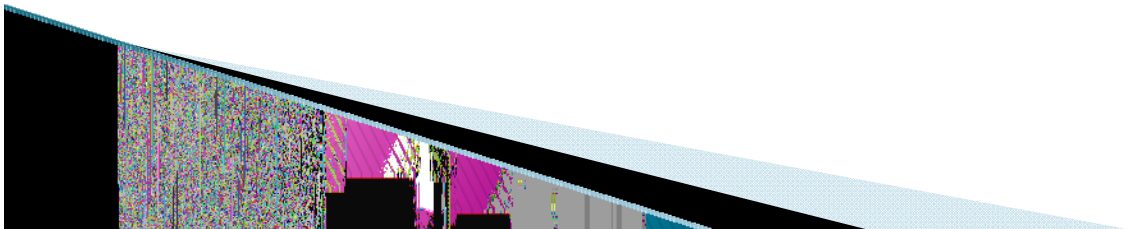


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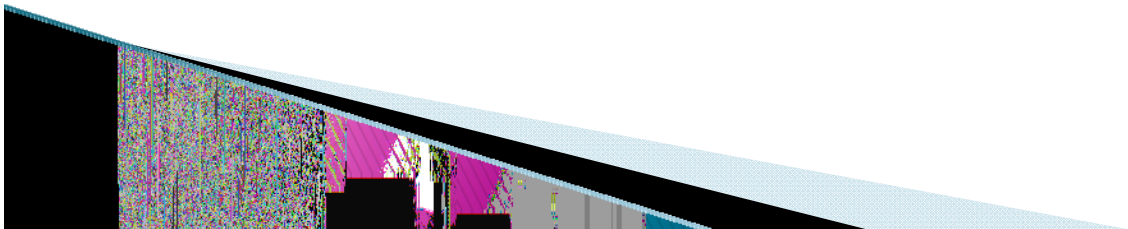
- q Transforming the Trusteeship Council, a core body of the UN, into a Sustainable Development Council
- q Sustainable Development Board



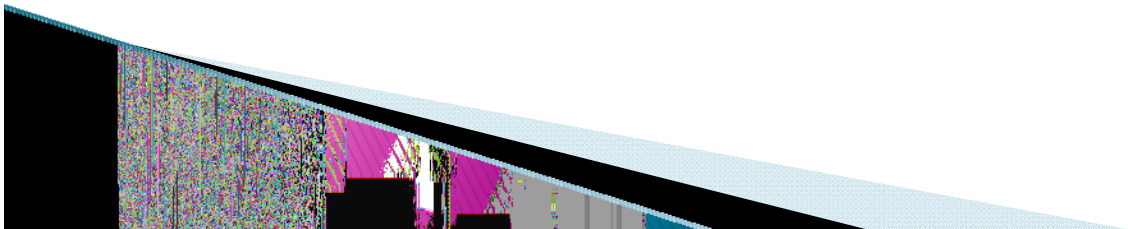
- q A framework convention on corporate accountability built from the new ISO 26000
- q A global convention on Principle 10 of the Rio Declaration – access to information, public participation and environmental justice – utilizing UNEP Guidelines
- q A global framework convention on Principle 15



q National Councils on Sustainable Development



q to re-launch local their Agenda 21 program as a concept around the green economy. All local authorities should create a local green economy



Is there a Common Future?

- q We can reboot sustainable development
- q We can refocus our local, national and global economies around a sustainable economy
- q We can reform our sustainable development institutions so that they can cope with the challenges of the 21st century
- q We can re-establish National Councils for Sustainable Development
- q We can re-launch multi-stakeholder partnerships for sustainable development

