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Day Conference 25 June Cambridge

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Conference Tickets Free
Reservations for lunch £10
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John Ray Initiative and Faraday Institute
25 June 2008 9.30am – 6.00pm

THE ROOT CAUSES OF ENVIRONMENTAL UNSUSTAINABILITY
Buckingham House conference centre, New Hall, Cambridge

Sustainable is a word that is widely employed to describe a desirable future for the world and its peoples. The simplest definition of sustainability is 'not cheating on our children'; to that should be added, 'not cheating on our neighbours' and 'not cheating on the rest of creation'. We live in a world that is cheating in all these respects and is moving fast in unsustainable directions. Can we identify the main causes of this unsustainability?

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Entry will be by free ticket, which includes morning and afternoon refreshments and reduced-price bookstall. Subsidised buffet lunch with speakers available for £10 by pre-booked ticket. Early registration by post recommended, since places are limited. **Please use form below.**

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