

## **Selected Resources on Sustainability cont'd**

### **Organizations**

Genuine Progress Index (GPI) Atlantic, [www.gpiatlantic.org](http://www.gpiatlantic.org)

Nova Scotia Environmental Network, [www.nsen.ca](http://www.nsen.ca)

Federation of Canadian Municipalities,  
[www.sustainablecommunities.ca/](http://www.sustainablecommunities.ca/)

Canadian Rural Partnership, [www.rural.gc.ca/](http://www.rural.gc.ca/)

Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency,  
[www.acoa.ca/e/en/index.asp](http://www.acoa.ca/e/en/index.asp)

Environment Canada, [www.ec.gc.ca](http://www.ec.gc.ca)

Centre for Rural Sustainability, [www.ruralsustainability.org](http://www.ruralsustainability.org)

Coastal Communities Network, [www.coastalcommunities.ns.ca/](http://www.coastalcommunities.ns.ca/)

The Eco-Efficiency Centre, <http://eco-efficiency.management.dal.ca/index.htm>

The Nova Scotia Sustainable Communities Initiative,  
<http://www.nssci.net/public/>

Clean Nova Scotia, [www.clean.ns.ca](http://www.clean.ns.ca)

The Ecology Action Centre, [www.ecologyaction.ca](http://www.ecologyaction.ca)

Sierra Club of Canada — Atlantic Canada Chapter  
[www.sierraclub.ca/atlantic/](http://www.sierraclub.ca/atlantic/)

### **Upcoming Events**

Thursday, November 2

11:30 am— 1:00 pm, Potter Family Auditorium, Kenneth C. Rowe Management Building, 6100 University Ave. Dalhousie University

**Dr . John Ehrenfeld** will be lecturing on “*Flourishing: A Radical Framework for Sustainability*”. Dr. Ehrenfeld currently serves as Executive Director of the International Society for Industrial Ecology. He retired in 2000 as the Director of the MIT Program on Technology, Business, and Environment. His current projects focus on sustainability and industrial ecology.

## ***Nova Scotia Education for Sustainable Development Working Group***

In Nova Scotia, there is a need for individuals and organizations working on sustainable development to collaborate and coordinate activities, but currently there is no single group that meets to discuss and share resources around education for environmental, economic, and social sustainable development.

Through support from Environment Canada and in partnership with Learning for a Sustainable Future, the Nova Scotia Environmental Network and Genuine Progress Index (GPI) Atlantic have secured funding to create leadership and support for education for sustainable development across the province.

*The Nova Scotia Education for Sustainable Development Working Group* is currently being established to support systemic change within the formal, non-formal and informal education systems by working together with representatives from government, all three areas of education, non-governmental organizations, youth, industry, and academia.

We are seeking individuals and organizations currently working in - or who are interested in getting involved in - sustainable development and see a connection between sustainability issues and education for sustainable development. The first meeting of the Nova Scotia Education for Sustainable Development Working Group will be held on Tuesday, September 26, 2006.

If you are interested in attending the meeting, or would like to be involved in the activities of the Nova Scotia Education for Sustainable Development Working Group, please contact Andrea Flowers, NSESDWG Coordinator, 902-425-9222, [andrea.flowers@dal.ca](mailto:andrea.flowers@dal.ca).

## ***Resources on The Natural Step***

### **Books**

*Ants, Galileo and Gandhi - designing the future of business through Nature, Genius and Compassion*  
Edited by Sissel Waage, published by Greenleaf Publishing 2003.

*The Natural Step Towards a Sustainable Society*  
By David Cook, 2004 Schumacher Briefings, Green Books Ltd.

*The Natural Step for Communities: How Cities and Towns can Change to Sustainable Practices*  
By Sara James and Torbjörn Lahti, 2004, New Society Publishers.

*Dancing With the Tiger: Learning Sustainability Step by Natural Step* by Brian Nattrass and Mary Altomare, 2002, New Society Publishers.

*The Natural Step for Business: Wealth, Ecology and the Evolutionary Corporation* by Brian Nattrass and Mary Altomare, 1999, New Society Publishers.

*The Natural Step Story - seeding a quiet revolution*  
By Karl-Henrik Robèrt , 2002, New Society Publishers.

### **Websites**

The Natural Step International, [www.naturalstep.org](http://www.naturalstep.org)  
TNS Canada, [www.naturalstep.ca/](http://www.naturalstep.ca/)  
TNS France, [www.tns-france.org](http://www.tns-france.org)  
TNS New Zealand, [www.naturalstep.org.nz/](http://www.naturalstep.org.nz)  
TNS Sweden, [www.detnaturligasteget.se](http://www.detnaturligasteget.se)  
TNS UK ,[www.naturalstep.org.uk](http://www.naturalstep.org.uk)  
TNS US (Oregon), [www.ortns.org](http://www.ortns.org)

Stepping Stones, *The Natural step International Newsletter*,  
[www.naturalstep.org.uk/steps\\_46.pdf](http://www.naturalstep.org.uk/steps_46.pdf)

Whistler, *Toward Sustainability*, [www.whistler.ca/Sustainability](http://www.whistler.ca/Sustainability)  
Town of Canmore, Natural Step, [www.canmore.ca/living/our-environment/natural-step-2.html](http://www.canmore.ca/living/our-environment/natural-step-2.html)

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*The Ecology of Commerce* by Paul Hawken  
*Silent Spring* by Rachel Carson  
*Natural Capitalism* by Paul Hawken, Amory & Hunter Lovins  
*The Sustainability Advantage* by Bob Willard  
*The Next Sustainability Wave* by Bob Willard  
*Good News for a Change: Hope for a Troubled Planet* by Holly Dressel and David Suzuki  
*Our Common Future: The World Commission on Environment and Development* by Gro Harlem Brundtland

### **Other Publications**

*Helping Communities Move Toward Sustainable Development: The Natural Step, a Primer* by Peter and Janet Eaton (available from GPI Atlantic)  
*Sustainability within a Generation: A New Vision for Canada* by the David Suzuki Foundation, 2004  
Available to download from the David Suzuki Foundation web site:  
<http://www.davidsuzuki.org/WOL/Sustainability/>

### **Films**

*Who's Counting? Sex, Lies and Global Economics?* (1995, National Film Board of Canada)  
*The Corporation* (2003, Mongrel Media)  
*Affluenza* (PBS)

### **List Serv**

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