

STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLES

A core principle of Planisphera is to promote an ecological, inclusive and equitable transition of the economy.

We recognize that in order to embrace a holistic concept of the economy -centered in nature and human rights- it is necessary to meet today's needs with the current structures and inertias. However, these do not allow us to adequately meet the needs of all human beings in the present, much less those of future generations. We are certain that transforming such structures and inertias is possible, indispensable and urgent.

Seeking this transformation, Planisphera contributes to the development and implementation of public and private policies, programs, initiatives and objectives, with measurable and achievable goals defined through participatory processes, based on the best available knowledge that allows the various actors to respect planetary limits and to consider social needs, equity and cultural diversity. Our commitment is to support the evolution of human systems, communities and organizations to thrive in a carbon neutral economy that is respectful of nature, benefitting all living beings that make up the socio-ecosystems.

Planisphera works for the full respect and promotion of economic, social, cultural and environmental rights, seeking to prioritize the satisfaction of needs and the generation of well-being, rather than solely profits or material accumulation.

We, members of Planisphera and collaborators, seek to contribute through our daily actions, in our work and in our relationships to build a caring and humanistic society, committed to ensuring that biodiversity, biogeochemical cycles and the climate system recover from the increasingly devastating imprint that humans -to different extents- have had on them.

The COVID-19 pandemic has completely exposed a deep social, environmental, economic and climatic crisis, which can only be addressed through a process of recovery and transformation towards sustainable economies and inclusive societies in which:

- Contributions are made to reorient the economic model in that direction, and to consider non-economic perspectives
- No one is left behind, no one is left out
- Decarbonisation, biodiversity conservation and restoration, resilience and adaptation are promoted
- Biodiversity is integrated into decision-making in all sectors, considering all its values
- Transition processes are supported, giving options to make a new economy tangible, at all scales and in different sectors

Considering all of the above, our work is based on scientific evidence and on representing the earth and societies in the best possible way, in order to conceive and design solutions consistent with social justice, to address the enormous challenges we face.