At the Sustainability Institute, we engage in transformative learning towards just and flourishing futures. Our various activities and programmes strive to realise sustainability through learning, exploring and applying ways of being that are restorative.

Founded in 1999, the Institute is an international living and learning centre for theory and practice in values based, entrepreneurially empowered action towards positive social impact and ecological restoration.









As a Trust, our vision is to have a transformative impact on the lives of the children and youth in the Lynedoch Valley through the educational programmes we offer.

Our focus on children is centred within the Lynedoch Children's House, Primary School and Lynedoch Youth programmes.





As an educational institute, our vision is to be an African thought leadership institute researching, teaching and practicing social innovation for the transition to just and generative futures. Our partnership with the School of Public Leadership at the University of Stellenbosch has built up the renowned Masters and PhD programmes in Sustainable Development, adding the Diploma in Sustainable Development undergraduate degree programme in 2018.

Our research and practice maintains a strong focus on sustainable African futures, through our student and faculty research as well as our growing research consulting programme.

The Institute offers a range of meeting spaces, lecture halls and outdoor venues for any event, accompanied by breathtaking views, organic food and a friendly community. Join us for a tour of the Institute and Eco-village, or even volunteer to learn more about our unique programmes and activities. While you're here, wander through our indigenous gardens and enjoy fair trade coffee and a wholesome meal in the Green Cafè.









