

ECOSOCIAL CRISIS: THE WAY OF DEGROWTH

Transformative governance in view of the dual climate and biodiversity crisis

Unai Pascual Garcia de Azilu, an ecological economist and researcher at Ikerbasque and BC3, wonders how we can ensure a new form of governance that may have desirable effects on the links between climate, biodiversity and society. [Unai Pascual Garcia de Azilu](#)

Multi-braided ecofeminism

The economist Mirene Begiristain Zubillaga analyzes the responses offered by ecofeminism to the systemic crisis we are experiencing and proposes the characterization of a Basque feminist world view. [Mirene Begiristain Zubillaga](#)

The future of natural environments in the Basque Country

The Professor of Ecology, Arturo Elosegi Irurtia, highlights the fact that a quality environment is essential to ensure quality of life. Unfortunately, the exponential growth of the economy is bringing about a continual increase in the human footprint, and so the most important heritage that we can pass down to future generations is a quality environment. [Arturo Elosegi Irurtia](#)

The importance of green water in view of the climate crisis

The geologists Ane Zabaleta Lopetegi and Iñaki Antiguedad Auzmendi argue that the paradigm that has led us to where we find ourselves today needs to be changed, bearing in mind we are in the midst of a climate crisis, so as to face the challenges set out in the Sustainable Development Goals associated with Agenda 2030. In this sense, green water is essential for hydrological adaptation. [Ane Zabaleta Lopetegi • Iñaki Antiguedad Auzmendi](#)

Water management in Navarre: conflicts and proposals

Belen Ausejo Garriz, a member of the Urbizi association, analyzes the conflicts caused by the continual growth of irrigation and the economic policies that meet private economic interests regarding water management in Navarre. [Belen Ausejo Garriz](#)

Shortcomings in industrial livestock farming

Lorea Flores Compains, a biologist and the Greenpeace coordinator for the South Basque Country, analyzes the impacts of industrial livestock farming via an approach ranging from the global context to the situation in Navarre. [Lorea Flores Compains](#)

Bizi!, the climate crisis, ecological metamorphosis and social justice

Sabine Endara and Xabier Harluxet, members of the Bizi! alter-globalization movement, describe the main features of the movement, which has been working since 2009 mainly in the North Basque Country in favor of social justice in the field of climate crisis and the ecology. [Sabine Endara • Xabier Harluxet](#)

Can we live with fewer cows?

Aitor Azkarate Tomassone, a member of the Jauregia Esnekiak farm, describes the experience of the Jauregia farm with dairy cows, demonstrating that it is possible to live from livestock farming with fewer animals and by taking advantage of and respecting what the land provides. [Aitor Azkarate Tomassone](#)

Where are our forests?

Sergio Gallego Mazarías and Cristina Jerónimo Moreno, members of the Lurguia Foundation, analyze the development of the use of forests, the problems deriving from industrial farming and the alternatives backed by civil society with a view to recovering biodiversity. [Sergio Gallego Mazarías • Cristina Jerónimo Moreno](#)

Usurbil door-to-door: towards degrowth of residues

Ibon Goikoetxea Retegi, an agricultural and environmental technician at the town hall of Usurbil, argues that, alongside the door-to-door residue collection system operating in Usurbil, both the development of home and local composting as a way of offsetting the generation of residues and compost on farms are steps that can be taken towards regrowth. [Ibon Goikoetxea Retegi](#)

Renewable energies: an alternative in the Basque Country

Eider Murgoitio Bengoa, a member of the Goiener Group, a cooperative in favor of changes in the energy model, describes the projects and services offered by this association in the Basque Country, which comprises individuals who are committed to the environment and whose aim is to transform the energy model and ensure this essential asset is in the hands of citizens. [Eider Murgoitio Bengoa](#)

NEWS TODAY

This gathers together cultural information focusing on the present from various areas and perspectives. This year we shall be closely following culture, sociolinguistic and globalization matters. This section draws on various specialists: Maialen Akizu Bidegain, Jaime Altuna Ramirez and Iñigo Martínez Peña. [Various authors](#)