The Earth Institute is pleased to share the following announcement with you:

On March 1 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., the Center for Environmental Research and Conservation (CERC) presents "Sustaining Life, Securing Our Future: A Symposium Celebrating the Diversity of Life on Earth."

The symposium brings together leaders in biodiversity research, conservation, and education from world-renowned scientific and cultural institutions- the American Museum of Natural History, Columbia University, the New York Botanical Garden, the Wildlife Conservation Society, and the EcoHealth Alliance- to discuss the range of efforts to study, conserve, and effectively communicate the importance of biodiversity and the services it provides towards supporting all life on Earth. Speakers include Jeff Sachs, Shahid Naeem, Daniel Botkin, Ruth Defries, Miguel Pinedo Vasquez and many more.

To register for this event and for more details on the day's activities and presenters, please visit the CERC website at www.cerc.columbia.edu. For additional questions, contact Alex Varga at avarga@ei.columbia.edu or 212 851-5898.

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