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# Sustainability: The Evolution of a Contemporary Myth



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This lecture places our current emphasis on sustainability in historical perspective—tracing the development of environmental awareness and social change over the course of the 20th century with emphasis on developments since the 1960s.

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