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*E.O. Wilson headlines event*

**Short notice! Half-Earth Day free webinars tomorrow, October 22**



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Tomorrow, October 22, is Half-Earth Day — an international day to forward the [Half-Earth project](#), a visionary call to conserve half the Earth’s land and sea in order to provide sufficient habitat to safeguard the bulk of biodiversity. It is organized by the E.O. Wilson Biodiversity Foundation.

To celebrate Half-Earth Day in 2020, there will be a series of [free webinars](#) open to the public. Wilson himself will be participating, along with other luminaries. Here's the line-up:

**11:00am EDT**

**HOW TO SAVE THE NATURAL WORLD**

With **E.O. Wilson** and **Paula J. Ehrlich**

**11:15am EDT**

**THE SCIENCE OF HALF-EARTH**

Led by **Walter Jetz**

**12:40pm EDT**

**INSPIRING THE NEXT NATURALIST**

Led by **Dennis Liu**

**2:00pm EDT**

**IGNITING CHANGE**

Hosted and moderated by **Glenn Close**, in conversation with **E.O. Wilson**, **Hansjörg Wyss**, **Kris Tompkins**, **Reggie Love**, **Jacob Lebel**, **Jaime Butler**, and **Jeff Ubben**

You can register for the webinars [here](#). (Apologies for the short notice, we just got word of the event today.)

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