

## *THE NEW INSTITUTE:*

### *Quotes*

#### **ERCK RICKMERS, FOUNDER**

“The world is changing at an unprecedented pace – in many areas, systemic change is becoming a question of survival for humanity as a whole.”

#### **WILHELM KRULL, FOUNDING DIRECTOR**

“We want to initiate an intensive exchange between research and important actors in society to provide new impetus for social change.”

#### **MAJA GÖPEL, DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH**

“For me, THE NEW INSTITUTE is an ideal forum for building bridges between disciplines and political camps via academic excellence. By embracing courage, optimism and creativity, we aim to identify paths toward a positive future in times of great uncertainty.”

#### **MARKUS GABRIEL, FELLOW**

“Change is achieved in the face of sudden crises - and the equally sudden realization that we need new means of maintaining control under the uncontrollable conditions of complex socio-economic interactions. THE NEW INSTITUTE, therefore, is in keeping with the times and I am happy to take part in this goal.”

#### **CHRISTOPH MÖLLERS, SENIOR ADVISOR**

“I am very happy to be involved in the development of this new academic institution – and something completely new is sure to emerge here. At THE NEW INSTITUTE I will use my research in the fields of democratic theory and constitutional law to advise on the development of various fellowship programs.”

**FRANCESCA BRIA, SENIOR ADVISOR**

“THE NEW INSTITUTE offers the unique chance to be a force for sustainable change, by proposing a green, more democratic, human-centred, digital economy.”

**GEOFF MULGAN, SENIOR ADVISOR**

“We need platforms like THE NEW INSTITUTE that combine three things: First, radical imagination about what might be possible for our societies 20 years from now. Second, a capacity to experiment and trial emerging ideas in the present. Third, pathways to link the possibilities and reality, through partnerships with cities, governments, political parties and others”.

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