# Panel 1: Foundations of future policy

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Final Plenary

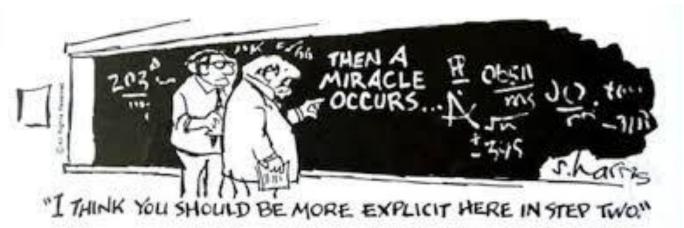


You have to be careful if you don't know where you are going because you might not get there (Yogi Berra)

Scenarios future systems and dynamics of change



- Energy efficiency and 100 % RES systems!
- Energy efficiency risk free investment
- China becomes a leader?



### Policy remains a challenge

## Low carbon buildings





- Room for improvement
- Rational policies in erratic political environments.
- From efficiency approaches to transformational perspective
- More skilled polish plumbers in Britain
- Don't get too smart and forget your stupid cavity walls

# Communication in a different way.



 Communicate, communicate, communicate



 Changing the conversation is important

 Words without thoughts never to heaven go

### Sufficiency as a way forward

### Mind your business





- "Sufficiency" is actually about sustainable transport, flexible housing and healthy diets
- Conditio sine qua non (indespensable and essential)

- Frame your proposition, make it strategic.
- We need more analysis and research

#### CONSUMPTION, EFFICIENCY& LIMITS

Thank you!







