

## WMF Top 10 WMF Technologies Session: Closing Words

To close this new session, the WMF's Top 10 Technologies, I would like to thank all who have made presentations on these ten technologies, and would like to confirm together with all of you in this conference the following:

1. Some (important/valuable) industrial evolution may occur through this kind of stimulating discussion, and through the efforts being made and those that will be made by the WMF.
2. In order to care for both the present world and the future one, we do need to encourage not only the most advanced level R&D but also very pragmatic and grass-rooted improvements which are usually useful and easy to apply to our daily "kaizen" activities. "Kaizen" is a Japanese word with such meaning as "everyday progress by everyone."
3. The Top 10 Technologies are taken as mid-term and very pragmatic ways to pursue the objective of the WMF: Decouple economic growth from the current use of our natural resources while creating value for the industry all along the global supply chain.
4. Today, we have had a very good start in this new approach considering new aspects of complex issues, owing very much to Professor Victoire de Margerie.

I sincerely thank her for her great efforts, and again thank all of you for contributing.

With this gratitude to Victoire, I finish my closing words.

Thank you all,