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THE INTERNATIONAL UNION FOR THE CONSERVATION OF NATURE (IUCN)**

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*4<sup>th</sup> International IUCN Academy Colloquium*

**COMPLIANCE & ENFORCEMENT:  
TOWARD MORE EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION  
OF ENVIRONMENTAL LAW**

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## COLLOQUIUM THEME

Over the past generation, most nations have enacted systems of environmental laws to conserve natural resources and combat pollution, and to implement the many Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs) and other treaties that guide nations in managing environmental quality across the Earth. Scientific studies, such as those of the Millennium Ecosystem Assessment, indicate that while important progress has been made on several issues and in a number of countries, environmental conditions continue to worsen in many regions of the world. If environmental law is to achieve its objective to ensure the sustainable use of resources upon which our health, cultures, livelihoods and economies depend, much more must be done to ensure compliance with and enforcement of environmental laws in every nation.

Over four days of deliberations, environmental law scholars will confer with environmental law practitioners from governmental agencies, non-governmental organizations, and businesses around the world. Scholarly papers will be presented and debated, and then edited for publication. An assessment of the deliberations will be presented on October 20<sup>th</sup> to the United Nations in New York City.

# PROGRAM

## Sunday, 15 October 2006

- 14.00—16.30 IUCN Academy Governing Board meeting  
14.00—16.00 Meeting of Central American delegates  
18.00—19.30 Colloquium Inauguration and Opening Reception with Nobel Laureate Wangari Maathai (invited) (Renaissance hotel)

## Monday, 16 October 2006

*All sessions on October 16-18 are at the New York State Judicial Institute located on the campus of Pace University School of Law, 78 North Broadway, White Plains, New York.*

- 07.30—09.00 Colloquium registration and coffee/tea  
*Foyer of the NYS Judicial Institute*
- 09.00—10.00 **Opening Ceremonies** (Moderator Professor Nicholas Robinson)
- Welcome: Dean Stephen J. Friedman, Pace University School of Law
  - Message from Kofi A. Annan, United Nations Secretary General
  - Message from Achim Steiner, Executive Director, United Nations Environment Programme
  - Message from the IUCN Director General
  - Greetings from Gerard Wolters, Co-Chair of INECE and Inspector General of the Dutch Ministry of Environment
  - Greetings from Sheila Abed, Chair, Commission on Environmental Law, International Union for the Conservation of Nature
  - Invitation from Dr. Adrian de Garay Sánchez, Vice Chancellor of the Universidad Autonoma Metropolitana, Azcapotzalco, Mexico
- 10.00—10.30 **Opening Address:** Dr. Iwona Rummel-Bulska, Chief of the Environmental Law Unit, UNEP (Nairobi)
- 10.30—11.00 Coffee/tea break
- 11.00—12.30 **Setting the Stage: Dialogue on the Role of Environmental Compliance as an Important Foundation for Rule of Law, Good Governance and Sustainable Development**
- Discussion Leader: Andrew Revkin, New York Times
- Participants

- Catherine McCabe, Principal Deputy Assistant Administrator, U.S. EPA Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance
- Grethel Aguilar Rojas, Vice Chair of the Mesoamerica Commission on Environmental Law (Costa Rica)
- Charles Di Leva, Environmental Counsel, the World Bank
- Professor Emmanuel Quansah, Dean, Department of Law, Botswana University
- Professor Steven Rockefeller, Professor Emeritus of Religion, Middlebury College

12.30–13.45 Luncheon

13.45–15.30 **Setting the Stage, Continued**

Discussion Leader, Durwood Zaelke, Executive Director, INECE

- Prof. Robert Percival, University of Maryland (USA)—The Role of Regulatory Programs
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- Gustavo Alanis-Ortega, President, Centro Mexicano de Derecho Ambiental (Mexico)—The Public Role in Enforcement and Compliance

15.30–16.00 Coffee/tea break

16.00–17.30 **Theme II: Motivating Behavior: Compliance and Beyond**

**Workshop Sessions I: Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Approaches that Rely on a Variety of Behavioral Motivations (command and control, economics, cultural norms, values)**

**1. The Role and Value of Regulatory Compliance**

Chair, John Cruden, Chief of the Environmental Enforcement Section, U.S. Department of Justice

- a. Martin Pomeroy, Environment Canada (Canada)
- b. Professor Rosemary Lyster, Sydney Law School—The Role of Law versus Policy in Achieving Environmental Results: The Mekong River Agreement Experience (Australia)
- c. Professor Richard Webster, Rutgers Law School—Federal Environmental Enforcement: Is Less More? (USA)
- d. Professor Robert L. Glicksman, Professor Dietrich H. Earnhart and professor Donald P. Haider-Markel, University of Kansas—The Relative Effectiveness of Different Government Interventions on

Environmental Performance Regulated by the Clean Water Act (USA)

## **2. The Role and Value of Economic Instruments**

Chair,

- a. Professor Loretta Feris, University of Pretoria—The Effectiveness of Financial Provisions in the Enforcement of Environmental Law: South Africa as a Case Study (South Africa)
- b. Mr. Quach Manh Hong—Application of Economic Instruments into Environmental Protection in Vietnam (Viet Nam)
- c. Professor Lesley McAllister, University of San Diego Law School—Enforcement in the Context of Cap and Trade Systems (USA)
- d. Dr. Marjan Peeters, Maastricht University—The Enforcement of Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading in Europe (Netherlands)

## **3. The Role and Value of Criminal Enforcement**

Chair, Professor Susan Mandiberg, Lewis & Clark School of Law

- a. Professor Heinrich Winter, University of Groningen—Enforcement and Compliance Instruments: Comparing Criminal and Administrative Sanctioning in the Netherlands (Netherlands)
- b. Professor Felicity Heffernan, New Zealand Department of Environmental Conservation—Making Improvements in Criminal Environmental Enforcement for Conservation and Wildlife protection in New Zealand (New Zealand)
- c. Professor Jeffrey Miller, Pace University School of Law
- d. Professor Michael G. Faure, Maastricht University—Towards a New Model of Criminalization of Environmental Pollution (Netherlands)
- e. Henk Ruessink, Dutch Ministry for the Environment (VROM) (Netherlands)

## **4. The Role and Value of Corporate Social Responsibility**

Chair, Leslie Carothers, President of the Environmental Law Institute (USA)

- a. Adriana Bianchi, World Bank Institute—Corporate Social Responsibility and Effective Environmental Compliance and Enforcement: The Case of China’s Investments in Africa
- b. Professor Neil Gunningham, Australian National University—Motivating Management: Corporate Compliance in Environmental Protection (Australia)
- c. Professor Benjamin Richardson, Osgoode Hall Law School—Ethical Investment as a Means of Promoting Corporate Environmental Responsibility (Australia)
- d. Professor Xiaoqin Zhu, Xiamen University—China’s Legislation on Corporate Social Responsibility (China)
- e. ITT Corporation

## **5. The Role of Culture and Custom**

Chair, Professor David Hodas, Widener University School of Law (USA)

- a. Professor Albert Mumma, University of Nairobi—The Place of Culture in the Implementation and Enforcement of Environmental Law: The Case of Kenya (Kenya)
- b. Professor Jacqueline Hand, University of Detroit Mercy School of Law—Environmental Enforcement by American Indian Tribes Improves Protection for the Broader National Community
- c. Professor Donna Craig and Professor Michael Jeffery, Macquarie University—The Recognition and Enforcement of Indigenous Customary Law in Environmental Regimes and Natural Resources (Australia)
- d. Professor Victoria Sutton, Texas Tech University School of Law—Compliance and Enforcement of Coral Reef Protection Laws in South Pacific Indigenous Nations

## **6. Other Means of Driving Compliance**

Chair, Paul Gavrel, Justice Canada

- a. Professor Rose Mwebaza, Makerere University—The Compliance Value of Voluntary Corporate Environmental Social Responsibility by European Multinationals Operating in Developing Countries (Uganda) (Invited)\*
- b. Professor Paul Stretesky, Colorado State University, and Professor Michael Lynch, University of South

- Florida—Does the EPA Audit Policy Improve Environmental Compliance? (USA)
- c. Professor William Andreen, University of Alabama—Enforcing Domestic Environmental Law: The Challenge of Creating a Cultural of Compliance Under the U.S. Clean Water Act (USA)
  - d. Professor Luo Ji, Wuhan University—Environmental Dispute Resolution in the Peoples Republic of China: An Analysis of its Tendencies and Effectiveness (China)
  - e. Professor Joseph Siegel—Implications for Broader Use of Environmental Alternative Dispute Resolution in Regulatory Enforcement Cases in the Federal Government (US)

18.00–19.00 Reception Recognizing INECE  
Remarks by Gerard Wolters and Catherine McCabe

19.15–21.00 **Dinner and Address by Sheila Abed, Chair, IUCN Commission on Environmental Law (Paraguay)**

### **Tuesday, 17 October 2006**

08.00–09.00 IUCN Academy of Environmental Law Research Discussion convened by Professor Jan Jans

09.00–12.45 **Theme III: Implementation of Multilateral Environmental Agreements**

09.00–09.30 **Keynote Address:** Kilaparti Ramakrishna, Deputy Director, Division of Policy Development and Law (DPDL) / Chief, Cross-Sectoral Environmental Issues, UNEP

09.30–10.45 Panel

- Elizabeth Mrema, Senior Legal Officer and Chief MEAs, Support & Cooperation Branch--Facilitating International Cooperation (UNEP)
- Professor Wang Xi, Shanghai Jiao Tong University (China)
- Maria Socorro Manguiat, Secretariat, United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
- Professor Koh Kheng Lian, National University of Singapore—Implementation of ASEAN Environmental Instruments (Singapore)

10.45–11.15 Coffee and Tea

11.15–12.45 **Workshop Sessions II: International Cooperative Efforts**

#### **1. Capacity Building and Assistance**

Chair, Professor Joanne Fox-Prezworski, former Director of the United Nations Regional Office for North America

- a. Carl Bruch, Environmental Law Institute, and Elizabeth Mrema, UNEP—Improving Compliance and Enforcement on International Environmental Agreements through Synergetic Implementation
- b. Professor Patricia Kameri-Mbote, University of Nairobi
- c. Jawad Hassan—Pakistan Case Study (Pakistan)
- d. Professor Robert Fowler, School of Natural & Built Environments, University of South Australia; and Professor Laode Muhamad Syarif, Faculty of Law, University of Hasanuddin, Indonesia—Forest Loss in Indonesia – Beyond Command and Control

## **2. Innovative Measures to Improve Compliance with MEAs**

Chair, Professor Tseming Yang, Vermont Law School

- a. Gilbert Bankobeza, UNEP—The Effectiveness of Enforcement and Compliance Instruments: The Case for Compliance Regimes of the Montreal Protocol, Basel Convention, and Kyoto Protocol (Kenya)
- b. Professor Gregory Rose, University of Wollongong—Compliance Mechanisms Across Environmental Treaties: A Comparative Analysis and Search for Synergies (Australia)
- c. Professor Svitlana Kravchenko, University of Oregon Law School—The Innovative and Unique Aarhus Compliance Mechanism (Ukraine)

## **3. Translating MEAs into Domestic Law**

Chair,

- a. Professor Natasha Affolder, University of British Columbia—Mining in and Around World Heritage Sites: Compliance with the World Heritage Convention in Domestic Land Use Decisions (Canada)
- b. Professor Zada Lipman, Macquarie University—Compliance and Enforcement of International Conventions in Australia (Australia)
- c. Professor Margaret T. Okorodudu-Fubara, Obafemi Awolowo University—The Nigerian Experience (Nigeria)

## **4. Enforcing MEA Obligations**

Chair, Alejandro Iza, Director, IUCN Environmental Law Centre

- a. Professor Linda Malone, William and Mary School of Law—Global Enforcement of International Environmental Law by Citizens and NGOs (USA)
- b. Professor Koh Kheng Lian—Compliance and Enforcement of ASEAN Environmental Policies, Agreements and Plans of Action/Programmes (Singapore)
- c. Kishan Khoday, UNDP, Improving Compliance in China with the Convention on Biodiversity and other MEAs

## **5. Enforcement and Compliance Capacity Building Workshop**

Led by Davis Jones, U.S. EPA

- 12.45–13.45    **Luncheon**
- 13.45–14.45    **First IUCN Academy of Environmental Law Distinguished Lecture for 2006—Professor Eckard Rehbinder, University of Frankfurt am Main (Germany)** introduced by Professor Ben Boer, International Director, IUCN Academy of Environmental Law
- 15.00–16.00    **Mechanisms for Public Involvement in Environmental Compliance Enforcement**
- Chair, Eric Schaeffer, Director, Environmental Integrity Project, (USA)
- Professor Melissa Powers, Lewis & Clark School of Law
  - Andrei Andrysevych, Environment-People-Law—Eastern European Perspectives (Ukraine)
  - Peter Lehner, New York State Attorney General’s Office
- 16.00–16.30    Coffee/Tea Break
- 16.30–18.00    **Workshop Sessions III: The Public Role in Environmental Compliance and Enforcement**

### **1. Access to and Use of the Courts**

Chair,

- a. Raju Prasad Chapagai, Pro Public—Public Interest Litigation in Nepal: A Strategic Tool for the Enforcement of Environmental Law (Nepal)
- b. Professor Karl Coplan, Pace University School of Law—the Role of Environmental Clinics (USA)
- c. Professor John Bonine, University of Oregon Law School—Removing Barriers and Providing Incentives for Citizen Enforcement of Environmental Laws (USA)
- d. Professor Emmanuel Kasimbazi—Public Interest Litigation as Mechanism for Enforcement of

## Environmental Rights and Duties in Uganda (Uganda)

### **2. The Role and Value of Public Reporting and Transparency**

Chair, Professor David Hunter, American University (USA)

- a. Professor Elizabeth Kirk, University of Dundee—Reporting as part of the Compliance Process in the Baltic and the North-West Atlantic (Great Britain)
- b. Professor Clifford Rechtschaffen, Golden Gate University School of Law—Using the Power of the Public Spotlight to Enhance Compliance with European Union Environmental Law (USA)
- c. Professor Karen Bubna-Litic, University of Technology, Sydney—How Much do Mandatory Reporting Programs Improve Environmental Performance? (Australia)
- d. Dan Guttman, Senior Fellow, Bren School of Environmental Science and Management, University of California, Santa Barbara (United States)

### **3. The Role of Environmental Review**

Chair, Professor David Cassuto, Pace University School of Law

- a. Professor Abdul Haseeb Ansari, International Islamic University Faculty of Law—Environmental Impact Assessment Law and its Enforcement in Malaysia (Malaysia)
- b. Professor Nicholas A. Robinson, Pace University School of Law—Environmental Impact Assessment in International Practice (USA)
- c. Professor Mingde Cao, Southwest University of Political Science and Law, Chongqing (China)
- d. Helene Sivini Ferreira—Environmental Impact Assessment, Genetically Modified Organisms and the Fundamental Right to the Ecologically Balanced Environment: The Brazilian Experience (Brazil)

### **4. The Role of Ethics in Compliance and Enforcement**

Chair, Robert Goldstein, Hudson River Program Director, Hudson Riverkeeper

- a. Professor Klaus Bosselmann—Ethics, The Earth Charter & Observing Environmental Standards (New Zealand)

- b. Professor Onkar Nath Tiwari, St. Andrews College—Ethical Values and Environmental Governance: An Alternative Model (India)
- c. Dr. Laura Westra, President, Global Ecological Integrity Project
- d. Professor Emeritus Ron Engel, Meadville Lombard Theological Seminary and Senior Research Consultant at The Center for Humans and Nature (invited)

18.00–19.00 Reception

19.00–21.00 Dinner and Address: **Tony Oposa, “Citizen Leadership in Environmental Law Enforcement” – A Philippines Case Study**

### Wednesday, 18 October 2006

07.45–08.45 IUCN Academy of Environmental Law Teaching and Capacity Building Discussion convened by Professor Robert Fowler

09.00–12.30 **Theme V: Strengthening Environmental Governance**

09.00–09.30 **Opening Address**—Granta Nakayama, Assistant Administrator, U.S. EPA, Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance

09.30–10.15 **Measuring Progress**

- Ken Markowitz, INECE
- Michael Stahl—Performance Indicators: A Tool for Many Purposes (USA)
- Maria Di Paola (FARN) (Argentina)

10.15–10.30 Coffee/Tea Break

10.30–12.15 **Workshop Sessions IV: Governance Systems**

#### 1. The Judicial Enforcement System

Chair, Judge Donald Kaniaru, National Environmental Tribunal (Kenya)

- a. Justice Brian Preston, Chief Judge. Land and Environment Court, New South Wales—Principled Sentencing for Environmental Offences (Australia)
- b. Judge Merideth Wright, Vermont Environmental Court—The Role of the Vermont Environmental Court in Enforcement (USA)
- c. Professor Heather McLeod-Kilmurray, University of Ottawa—Lowering Barriers to

- Judicial Enforcement: Civil Procedure and Environmental Ethics (Canada)
- d. Judge Scott Fulton, U.S. EPA Environmental Appeals Board
  - e. Professor James May, Widener University Law School—The Role of Substantive Constitutional Law in Enforcement and Compliance (USA)
  - f. Lal Kurukulasuriya—How Courts Apply Principles of International Law

## **2. The Role of Localities**

Chair, Professor Marla Wieder, Pace Law School and U.S. EPA Region 2

- a. Professor Anél du Plessis, North-West University—Compliance with Local Agenda 21 and Environmental Law: The Challenge of Local Governments in South Africa (South Africa)
- b. Professor Irene Lye Lin Heng, National University of Singapore—Singapore, The City in a Garden: A Case Study in Environmental Management and Compliance Systems for Cities (Singapore)
- c. Professor John Nolon, Pace University School of Law (USA)
- d. Professor Na Li, Jilin University School of Law—The Role of a Local Green GDP in Driving Desired Environmental Behavior (China)

## **3. The Role of International Trade and Trade Agreements and organizations**

Chair, John Garrison—US AID

- a. Grant Nakayama, Assistant Administrator for Enforcement and Compliance Assurance—Dealing with Imported Products (USA)
- b. Pavel Chakraborty—Environmental Requirements and Market Access Concerns for India (India)
- c. Professor David Markell, Florida State University School of Law—The Impact of Trade Agreements on Domestic Enforcement and Compliance: A Case Study of the North American Commission for Environmental Cooperation (USA)
- d. Professor Jose Juan Gonzalez, Universidad Autonoma Metropolitana—The Impact of the

North American Free Trade Agreement on  
Environmental Law Compliance and  
Enforcement in Mexico (Mexico)

- e. Tim Whitehouse, CEC—Do Borders Act as a Shield to Liability? A Look at the United States’ Ability to Identify, Investigate, Prosecute and Suppress Trade-Related Environmental Violations

#### **4. The Role of Financing Institutions**

Chair, Alberto Ninio, World Bank

- a. Marco Antonio González Pastora, Central American Commission for Environment and Development (Nicaragua)
- b. Mr. Francis Okello, Chair, Barclays Bank, Kenya
- c. Michael Finnegan, Managing Partner, JP Morgan Securities
- d.

#### **5. Innovative Approaches to Compliance and Enforcement—Panel 1**

Chair, Eric Schaaf, Regional Counsel, U.S. EPA Region 2 (USA)

- a. Professor Willemien du Plessis and Professor Johan Nel, North-West University—Compliance and Enforcement of South African Legislation by Means of a Hybrid of Environmental Governance Instruments (South Africa)
- b. Andrew Waite—Stimuli to Enforcement and Compliance with Environmental Law (England)
- c. Michael Stahl—Establishing Priorities for a National Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Program (USA) (Invited)
- d. Professor Nicolas de Sadeleer, Harmonisation of Enforcement Procedures at the European Union and the Council of Europe (Belgium)
- e. Kishan Khoday, Center for International Sustainable Development Law “CISDL”—Globalization and the Evolution of Environmental Governance in China’s Socialist Market Economy (Canada)

12.15–13.15 Lunch

13.30–14.15 **Second IUCN Academy Distinguished Lecture on Environmental Law for 2006**

**Professor Eckard Rehbinder**, introduced by Professor Jamie Benidickson, Director of the IUCN Academy of Environmental Law

14.15–15.00 **Strategic Approaches to Environmental Compliance and Enforcement**

Chair, Gerard Wolters, VROM

Walker Smith, Director, Office of Civil Enforcement, U.S. EPA (USA)  
D.E. Fisher, Professor of Law, Queensland University of Technology—  
Constructing a Legal Regime for Enforceable Environmental  
Conservation (Australia)

15.00–15.30 Coffee/tea break

15.30–16.20 Keynote Address: Professor Robert F. Kennedy, Jr., Co-Director of the Pace Environmental Litigation Clinic

1630–1800 **Workshop Sessions V: Compliance & Enforcement in Diverse Contexts**

**1. Resource Protection I**

Chair, Arlindo Daibert, Rio de Janeiro Attorney General's Office

- a. Professor Noah Hall, Wayne State University Law School—Opportunities for Citizen Enforcement Against Transboundary Pollution Violations: A Comparative Analysis of Solutions Along the U.S.-Canadian Border (USA)
- b. Professor Jorge Caillaux—Legal Tools to Prevent Misappropriation of Genetic Resources and Traditional Knowledge: Experiences from the Andean Region (Peru)
- c. Professor Michael Kidd, University of KwaZulu-Natal—The Gap Between Policy and implementation in South African Air pollution Legislation (South Africa)
- d. Professor Allan Tan, National University of Singapore (Invited)
- e. Harsh Adithya Poddar—A Critical Report on the Success and Failures of Project Tiger - Implementation and Enforcement (India)

**2. Resource Protection II**

Chair,

- a. William Futrell—Enforcement in Agriculture (USA)
- b. Professor Charles Okidi, University of Nairobi—Enforcement of Kenya’s EEZ Fisheries Through Access Agreements (Kenya) (Invited) DELETE
- c. Professors Louis J. Kotzé and Carin Bosman, North-West University—Enforcing Liabilities and Responsibilities for Pollution Prevention and Remediation: A Legal Reflection on the Legacy and Future of the Mining Industry in South Africa (South Africa)
- d. Professor Itzhak E. Kornfeld—Urban Sprawl and Endangered Species: Plowing Under the Endangered Species Act – Recommendation for Legislation and Enforcement

### 3. Forestry

Chair,

- a. Professor Mekete Bekele Tekle, Addis Ababa University—Compliance and Enforcement Problems of Ethiopian Forest Protection Laws (Ethiopia)
- b. Brenda Brito and Paulo Barreto—Enforcement Against Illegal Logging in the Amazon (Brazil)
- c. Ann Forest-Burns—Compliance and Enforcement of Forest Regulations (USA)
- d. Professor Christopher F. Tamasang, University of Yaounde II—Legislation for Forest Management in the Central African Sub-region: What Prospects for Effective Implementation (Cameroon)

### 4. Marine Issues

Chair, Professor Ann Powers, Pace University School of Law

- a. Professor Rebecca Bratspies, CUNY Law School—Farming the Genetically Modified Seas: Risks, Benefits and Regulatory Issues (USA)
- b. Professors Pio Manoa and Yoli Tomtavala, University of the South Pacific—An Assessment of Marine Environmental Compliance and Enforcement in the Pacific Islands Region (Fiji)
- c. Professor David VanderZwaag, Chair, Ocean Law & Governance, Marine & Environmental

Law Institute, Dalhousie Law School—  
Endangered Species (Canada)

**5. Innovative Approaches to Environmental  
Compliance and Enforcement—Panel 2**

Chair by Yves Corriveau, Justice Canada

- a. Professor Jan H. Jans & Kars de Graaf,  
University of Groningen—Liability of Public  
Authorities in Cases of Non-Enforcement of  
Environmental Standards (Netherlands)
- b. Professor Irma Russell, University of Tulsa Law  
School—The Use of the Contract Doctrine of  
Third Party Beneficiary as a Way of  
Enforcement (USA)
- c. Professors Mary A. Kaidonis and Natalie P.  
Stoianoff, University of Wollongong—  
Legislation, Citizens' Rights and International  
Forums: A Case Study of a Developing Country  
(Australia)
- d. Professor Kurt Deketelaere—Criminal  
Enforcement of European Community  
Environmental Law (Belgium)

- 18.00–19.00 Reception with remarks by Pace University President David Caputo
- 19.00–21.00 Dinner followed by **Address by M.C. Mehta, “Building the Norms for  
Judicial Enforcement”**

**Thursday, 19 October 2006**

- 09.00–10.00 IUCN Academy of Environmental Law business meeting for  
Representatives of Universities to the Academy convenes at the  
Renaissance Hotel
- 10.00–10.30 Orientation Lecture for Field Trip with Alex Mattheissen, the Hudson  
Riverkeeper, at Renaissance Hotel
- 10.30 Buses Leave for Field Trip—Narrated cruise aboard the River Rose on the  
spectacular Hudson River through the only fjord in North America, past  
West Point and major sites in Revolutionary War and Storm King  
Mountain, the area that was the subject of one of the first environmental  
law cases in United States; see up close the only river with an endowed  
foundation (Hudson River Foundation), its own defender Riverkeeper, its  
own law firm (the Pace Environmental Litigation Clinic), its own  
planning and advocacy body (Scenic Hudson), and now the first statutory  
Greenway in the USA (water trail, bicycle trails and hiking trails). The  
cruise will coincide with the early stages of the fall leaf color season  
along the Hudson River. Commentators will include Professor Nicholas

Robinson; Melissa Everett, Executive Director of Sustainable Hudson; and Robert Goldstein, Hudson River Program Director, Hudson Riverkeeper.

- 16.30-17.00 Depart River Rose cruise
- 18.00–20.00 Dinner: Vassar College in Poughkeepsie with Panel presentation on the Hudson River: Professor Nicholas Robinson and Ned Sullivan, Scenic Hudson

### Friday, 20 October 2006

#### All Sessions at the United Nations Headquarters, NYC

- 07.30 Train/bus leave for United Nations in New York City
- 09.00–09.45 Clear Security check at Visitors Entrance to the United Nations, 46<sup>th</sup> Street at 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, Manhattan (4 blocks walk from Grand Central Terminal)
- 10.00 Plenary Convenes in UN Conference Room
- 10.00–10.45 Co-Chairs, Professor Ben Boer and Ambassador Bhagwat Singh, Permanent Representative to the UN of Asia African Legal Consultative Organization
- Welcome: H.E. Nicolas Michel, Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and United Nations Legal Counsel
- 10.45–11.45 Looking Forward: The Importance of Environmental Compliance to Sustainable Development
- Panel Discussion chaired by Professor Kurt Deketelaere, University of Leuven (Belgium) with Justice Antonio Benjamin Herman (Brazil), Professor Daniel Esty, Yale Law School (Invited)
- 11.45–12.30 Closing Address:
- 12.30–13.15 Concluding Remarks
- Thanks to Pace University for 4<sup>th</sup> Colloquium: Prof. Jamie Benidickson  
Invitation to the 5<sup>th</sup> Colloquium in Brazil: Prof. Antonio Benjamin  
Closing of Colloquium: Prof. Nicholas A. Robinson, Academy Chair
- 13.15 Adjourn  
Colloquium ends; lunch on your own
- 15.00–17.00 **Academy Collegium Convenes:** Business Meeting of IUCN Academy of Environmental Law (for representatives of member universities) to convene at the Pace University Midtown Center, 8<sup>th</sup> floor, Fred French Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 46<sup>th</sup> Street (551 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Manhattan)

The agenda for the formal Meeting of the Collegium of the IUCN Academy, the governing body of the Academy, includes reports of the Chair and Director, establishment of Operating Committees, including nominating committee for elections in 2007; review of accounts, and such other business as the members may raise.

**Saturday, 21 October 2006**

**Seventh Annual Global Conference on Environmental Taxation, October 22-24, 2006 at University of Ottawa**

Separate registration for the Seventh Annual Global Conference on Environmental Taxation hosted by the University of Ottawa is required. Fill out the attached form or the form available from the University of Ottawa at [www.environmental-tax-conference.uottawa.ca](http://www.environmental-tax-conference.uottawa.ca). Discount registration is available for those who attend both events. Separate hotel reservations are available for those who wish to avail themselves of the conference hotel rates for the University of Ottawa's Environmental Tax Conference. Details are on the conference website.

Special transportation arrangements between White Plains and Ottawa will be made if a significant number of people register for both conferences and express an interest in coordinating transportation between the two venues.

***Plan to attend the Seventh Annual Global Conference on Environmental Taxation!***

**October 22 (evening) Sunday to October 24 (Tuesday)  
University of Ottawa Environmental Taxation Conference**

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