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CONFERENCE PROGRAM

STATE SOVEREIGNTY, CLIMATE POLICY AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION IN ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

FON UNIVERSITY, SKOPJE
REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA
ON
10 SEPTEMBER 2019





PROGRAM 10 SEPTEMBER 2019 - H. 09:00 - 16:00

FON UNIVERSITY, SKOPJE, REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

9:00 - 9: 15 Registration

09:15 - 9:45 Welcoming Remarks

Ljubomir Frckoski (Dean of Faculty for Law and Politics within FON University in Skopje, Rep of North Macedonia)

Carlo Romeo (Ambassador of the Italian Republic in Skopje, Rep of North Macedonia)

Paolo Davide Farah (West Virginia University, USA and gLAWcal - Global Law Initiatives for Sustainable Development, UK)

Chamu Kuppuswamy (Hertfordshire Law School, UK)

09:45 - 11:15

1ST PANEL:

CHANGING PANORAMA IN STATE AND NATURAL RESOURCES SOVEREIGNTY:
BETWEEN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



Chair and Discussant:

Frosina Antonovska

(President of IMMEK Institute in Skopje, Rep of North Macedonia)

State sovereignty and the managerial trend in international cooperation to address climate change - **Benoît Mayer** (The Chinese University of Hong Kong Faculty of Law, China)

Transcending the Territorial Boundary of Sovereign States: To Improve Sustainable Environment in International Law through an Enlightened Use of the Principe of Reciprocity - **Amrisha Pandey and Dr Alison Xu** (City International and University of Leeds, UK)

Difference between the rhetoric and reality of the principle of permanent sovereignty of states over natural resources in terms of tackling biopiracy - **Jinyup Kim** (University of Glasgow, UK)

11:15 Discussion

11:30 Coffee Break

11:30 - 12:45

2nd Panel: Environmental Protection in Action



Chair and Discussant: Paolo Davide Farah

(West Virginia University, USA and gLAWcal - Global Law Initiatives for Sustainable Development, UK)

CLIMATE CHANGE LITIGATION AND APPLICABILITY OF THE PRINCIPLE OF ESTOPPEL IN THE CASE OF SIDS - **Frosina Antonovska** (President of IMMEK Institute in Skopje, Rep of North Macedonia)

THE MAVROVO CASE EXPERIENCE- LEGAL TOOLS AND MECHANISMS - Aleksandra Bujaroska (Ecological Citizens Association FRONT 21/42, Rep of North Macedonia)

State Sovereignty and Sustainable Development Goals 2030 - Chamu Kuppuswamy (University of Hertfordshire, UK)

Testing the boundaries: Informal environmental conflict resolution in context - **Belen Olmos Giupponi** (Kingston University London, UK)

The role of communicating science in environmental protection - **Kiril Przho** (Institute of Communication Studies (ICS), Rep of North Macedonia)

12:45 - Discussion

13:00 Lunch Break

14:00 - 15:30

3RD PANEL:

New Frontiers and Approaches in Environmental Protection: Law and Policy



Chair and Discussant: **Chamu Kuppuswamy**(Hertfordshire Law School, UK)

PROTECTION OF ENVIRONMENT IN OUTER SPACE - **Suzana Pecin** (University of Ljubljana, Slovenia)

Water Governance in the Mekong After the Watercourses Convention 35th Ratification: Multilateral or Bilateral Approach? - **Imad Ibrahim** (Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies, Italy and gLAWcal - Global Law Initiatives for Sustainable Development, UK)

REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA AND KOSOVO SHOULD TREAT THEIR AIR POLLUTION AS A NATIONAL SECURITY THREAT- Lazar Pop Ivanov and Marija Mirchevska (Article 1 - Institute for Global Politics and Law, Rep of North Macedonia)

Public Participation in Environmental Matters in China and the European Union: A Comparative Perspective - **Paolo Davide Farah** (West Virginia University, USA and gLAWcal - Global Law Initiatives for Sustainable Development, UK)

15:30 - Discussion 15:45 - Final remarks

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Paolo Davide Farah (West Virginia University, USA and gLAWcal - Global Law Initiatives for Sustainable Development, UK)

Chamu Kuppuswamy (Hertfordshire Law School, UK)

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PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITIES

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The organizers have **publication plans** for the presented papers. The precise format of publication will be discussed during the workshop. The Organizers envisage to publish a **Book collection** in the **Routledge Publishing** (New-York/London) multidisciplinary <u>gLAWcal</u> book series on "<u>Transnational Law and Governance</u>" or other equally relevant **SSCI** or US Law journals.





