

International Environmental Law and Governance

Obstacles and Workable Solutions

Introduction

The purpose of this Course N Carry training programme is to give comprehensive covering of current topics in global environmental law and governance. Professionals in the subject will find it interesting, especially those who work in environmental management and regulation. The course begins with a review of the origins and structure of international environmental law, emphasising the complex nature of the topic. In order to achieve this, it examines the connections among national, international, and European environmental law. In this regard, the ramifications of "BREXIT" are probably going to be a major concern in the coming years. The programme also highlights overarching ideas and broad themes and takes into account common approaches to global environmental law and governance policy. After providing a "set the scene," the training session looks at many substantive areas as "case studies" and analyses how environmental law addresses some of the most important concerns that society is currently experiencing. This method allows for considerable flexibility in the subject matter presented, and it may occasionally alter. There will probably be some constants, though, not the least of which being COP26's role and climate change.

This training course on international environmental law and governance aims to illustrate the role that law plays in addressing some of the most important environmental concerns of our day. It introduces some frequent concepts in environmental law using a case study approach. Achieving sustainable economic development and converting scientific ideas into legally binding norms are two of these challenges. Participants in the course must cultivate an independent attitude towards learning and intellectual curiosity.

Objectives

Following completion of this training in global environmental law and governance, learners will be able to:

- Acknowledge the challenges of striking a balance between other societal goals and global environmental problems.
- Recognise, comprehend, and integrate the various sources of environmental law into a logical framework.
- Compare and contrast the ways in which specific regulatory strategies can be applied to address specific environmental challenges.

- Analyse and critique the ways in which regulatory approaches are applied in specific fields.
- Gain a critical grasp of the national, European, and global applications of environmental law.
- Analyse how far the law has advanced a comprehensive strategy for pollution management.
- Identify potential future paths for international environmental legislation and governance.
- Combine arguments from other sources, not only the legal literature.

Training Methodology

Through presentations by a seasoned international practitioner intended to educate and expand the participants' perspectives, the delegates will get a deeper knowledge. A number of plausible circumstances that delegates might run into will be taken into consideration when case studies are read and debated. Interactive dialogues to promote discussion of issues and potential fixes. They'll see various videos about international environmental law and governance.

Organizational impacts

The following will help the organisation:

- Employing staff members who are knowledgeable about international environmental legislation and governance
- Gaining a thorough understanding of international environmental legislation can help you advance your professional organisation abilities to a whole new level.
- Understanding the connection between the environment and the economy
- Acquiring knowledge about the current state of climate change
- Understanding the tenets of the Paris Agreement and the Kyoto Protocol

Personal Impact

Participating in this training session on international environmental law and governance will benefit attendees because:

- Acquiring a comprehensive comprehension of global environmental law and governance
- Learn about the main environmental organisations in the globe.
- Discover the fundamentals of international environmental law.
- An extensive educational programme that people can complete at their own speed to advance their careers
- Gain the capacity to use sustainable development to alter your company.

Who should attend?

A wide range of professionals can benefit substantially from this training course on international environmental law and governance, but in particular:

- Environmental Officers: Middle and Senior Managers in Ministries and Agencies with an Environmental Focus

- Entrepreneurs, Future Environmental Managers, and Employees of Larger Organisations
- For people who are passionate about activism and environmental protection
- For everyone seeking to brush up on their legislative knowledge and discover how international environmental policy impacts their organisation

Course Outline

Day 1

An Overview of Sustainable Development and International Environmental Law and Governance

- An overview of the development of international environmental legislation
- Principal sources of international environmental law
- Essential ideas of international environmental law
- Connection to additional policy domains
- Enduring Progress
- Examine the present problems

Day 2

Pollution of the Atmosphere and the Environment

- An overview of air pollution and the scope of the worldwide problem
- Examine the national legislation pertaining to localised pollution.
- Industrial Pollution from Smoke
- Integration of Pollution Prevention and Control with Environmental Permitting
- Transboundary pollutants, including acidification, and the Industrial Emissions Directive
- Water: Important Laws and Regulatory Frameworks
- Land and Waste: The issues with landfills and contaminated land
- Examination of regulatory methods, such as landfill tax

Day 3

The Environment and Climate Change

- Overview of climate change and the severity of the situation
- The Oil and Gas Sector Against Climate Change
- UN COP26: Its Goals and Significance
- Three conceptual topics for climate change regulation are law, markets, and technology.

• Global Engagements

- Carbon Capture and New Issues like Geoengineering

Day 4

Animal Welfare and the Preservation of Nature

- Examining the issue of widespread animal species decreases
- Recognising the international law pertaining to biodiversity and conservation
- Knowing what constitutes "consumptive use" of animals and whether trophy hunting qualifies as a conservation strategy
- Recognising the various environmental strategies that could be used to protect animals and how they affect conservation
- Determining which methods are better

Day 5

The Environment and Water

- EU Water Directives: Foundational Methodologies for International and Regional Perspective
- The EU Water Framework Directive's main objectives
- The "non-deterioration" concept of the Directive?
- WFD and Flow Guided by Flow
- Orders and Permits for Drought
- Orders for an Emergency Drought
- Institutional Liabilities in Flooding
- Enduring Progress
- Pollution of Water
- 2016 No. 1154, the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations
- Definitions of EPRs
- What "Water Discharge Activity" Means in the EPR
- EPR Violations
- EPR Defences