



KCL-UCL 5<sup>th</sup> Environmental Law Symposium

21<sup>st</sup> February 2020

Gideon Schreier Lecture Theatre, UCL Faculty of Laws, Bentham House

8:45: **Registration**

9:15: **Professor Maria Lee**, 'Environmental Law Scholarship and the Revival of Technocracy'

<u>Gideon Schreier Lecture Theatre</u>	<u>Moot Court</u>
<b>10:00 – 11.30</b>	
<b>Climate Change and Litigation I</b>	<b>Environmental Law and Governance</b>
<i>Chair: Professor David Ong, Nottingham Trent University</i>	<i>Chair: Professor Maria Lee</i>
<b>Laura Burger, PhD Candidate, University of Amsterdam (Skype)</b> <i>Representing future generations in European private law cases on climate change</i>	<b>Ayse Sezgin, PhD Candidate, King's College London</b> <i>An analysis of the interactions of the water-food-energy nexus and environmental justice in natural resource governance</i>
<b>James Geist, PhD Candidate, Universite Paris Dauphine</b> <i>Climate change litigation in international arbitration</i>	<b>Isabela B Espindola, Visiting PhD Researcher, King's College London</b> <i>Legal regimes for environmental protection: governance for transboundary natural resources in the La Plata Basin</i>
<b>Sonam Gordhan, PhD Candidate, UCL Courts, Climate Change and Governance: Mapping the Terrain</b>	<b>Dr. Yann Prisner-Levyne, Senior Research Fellow, Max Planck Foundation</b> <i>The legality of tiger farming, trophy hunting, can hunting and ranching under international law</i>
<b>11:30 - 11:45 Break</b>	
<b>11:45 - 13:15</b>	
<b>The Evolution of International Environmental Law</b>	<b>Climate Change and Litigation II</b>
<i>Chair: Dr Rob Amos, University of Kent</i>	<i>Chair: Professor Eloise Scotford, University College London</i>
<b>Fabiomassimo Bataglia, PhD Candidate, Universidade Catolica Portuguesa (Skype)</b> <i>Sinking sovereignty in the pacific - the role of the law in facing environmental challenges</i>	<b>Samuel Varvastian, PhD Candidate, Cardiff University</b> <i>Intergenerational climate justice in litigation</i>

<p><b>Jessica Miranda, Research Associate, Leiden University</b> <i>International Environmental Law: A TWAIL Perspective</i></p> <p><b>Matthias Petel, PhD Candidate, Université Catholique de Louvain</b> <i>Ideologies of Environmental Law</i></p>	<p><i>before the US, the Canadian and the Swiss courts</i></p> <p><b>Gayathri Naik, PhD Candidate, SOAS</b> <i>Role of Courts in evolution, implementation and compliance of Environmental Law: A South Asian Perspective</i></p>
<p><b>13:15 - 14:00 Lunch</b></p>	
<p><b>14:00 - 15:30</b></p>	
<p><b>Economic and Private Approaches to Environmental Law</b> <i>Chair: Priscila Carvalho, UCL Energy Institute</i></p>	<p><b>Environmental Law, Human Rights and Gender</b> <i>Chair: Dr Yoriko Otomo, SOAS</i></p>
<p><b>Gregoire Lunven de Chanrond, PhD Candidate, Chinese University of Hong Kong</b> <i>Multilateral Environmental Agreements in Green Bonds' Taxonomies</i></p> <p><b>Emily Webster, PhD Candidate, King's College London</b> <i>Short-Lived Climate Pollutants: Methane Governance and the Fossil Fuel Sector</i></p>	<p><b>Michael Addenay, PhD Candidate, Research Institute of Environmental Law of Wuhan University, China; Visiting Doctoral Fellow, Leiden University</b> <i>Climate Change Adaptation, Human Rights and African Union Law: Conceptual Considerations, Prospects and Potential Challenges</i></p> <p><b>Aysha Alshehri, PhD Candidate, Leeds University</b> <i>State sovereignty in relation to exploitation of its natural resources, taking into account its responsibility to protect human rights</i></p> <p><b>Sanjay Shenoi, Independent Researcher in Law</b> <i>Contribution of Empirical Legal Research to Environmental Law: Role of Women in Protecting the Environment</i></p>
<p><b>15:30 - 15:45 Break</b></p>	
<p><b>15:45 - 16:45</b></p>	
<p><b>Implementation and Compliance in International Environmental Law</b> <i>Chair: Dr Leslie-Anne Duvic Paoli, King's College London</i></p>	<p><b>Marine Environment and Biodiversity</b> <i>Chair: Professor Stuart Bell, York University</i></p>
<p><b>Selam Abebe, PhD Candidate, University of Reading</b> <i>The Role of the Compliance Mechanism of the Paris Agreement in Achieving Equity and Climate Justice</i></p> <p><b>Qing Mou, MPhil Candidate, Chinese University of Hong Kong (Skype)</b></p>	<p><b>Mara Wendebourg, PhD Candidate, King's College London</b> <i>Risk and uncertainty in the marine environment</i></p> <p><b>Jacob Ciesielczuk, PhD Candidate, University of Lincoln</b></p>

<i>The Role of Civil Associations in Monitoring and Verification of Compliance Information under MEAs</i>	<i>Utilisation of marine genetic resources - navigating through the sea of uncertainties</i>
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16:45 - 17:15: **Professor Stuart Bell**, *Closing remarks*

17:15: Close and Drinks

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Presentation abstracts can be accessed here:

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