

University of Eastern Finland – United Nations Environment Programme 14th Course on Multilateral Environmental Agreements: Trade and Environment

Monday, 9 October 2017

	Venue: Chateau	Room
8:40-9:00	<i>Registration</i>	
9:00-10:00	<p>Welcoming Remarks</p> <p>Elizabeth Mrema, Director, Law Division, UN Environment</p> <p>Rolph Payet, Executive Secretary, Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions</p> <p>Anja von Moltke, Head, Environment and Trade Hub, UN Environment</p> <p>Kati Kulovesi, Professor of International Law and Harro van Asselt, Professor of Climate Law and Policy, Centre for Climate, Energy and Environmental Law, UEF Law School</p>	
10:00-11:00 #1	<p>Keynote Address:</p> <p>Assessing the Trade and Environment Debate after 30 Years: Reflections from the Perspective of International Environmental Negotiations</p> <p>Mark Halle, International Institute for Sustainable Development</p>	
11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30-12:30 #2	<p>Keynote Address:</p> <p>Assessing the Trade and Environment Debate after 30 Years: Reflections from the Perspective of International Trade Negotiations and Dispute Settlement</p>	

	Joost Pauwelyn , Professor of International Law, Geneva Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies	
12:30-13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30-14:15	Introduction to Course Participants and Resource Persons Introduction to the Course, Elizabeth Mrema , Director, Law Division, UN Environment and Seita Romppanen , Senior Lecturer in International Environmental Law, Centre for Climate, Energy and Environmental Law, UEF Law School	
14:15-14:30	Group photo of the 2017 Course	
14:30-15:00	<i>Coffee</i>	
15:00-17:00 #3	Introductory Exercise	
19:00	<i>Welcoming dinner at the Chateau</i>	

Tuesday, 10 October

	Venue: Chateau	Room
10:00-11:00 #4	Introduction to MEA Negotiations Elizabeth Mrema and Sylvia Bankobeza , Law Division, UN Environment	
11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30-13:00	Introduction to MEA Negotiations (continued) Elizabeth Mrema and Sylvia Bankobeza , Law Division, UN Environment	
13:00-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:00-15:00 #5	Introduction to the SDGs and Agenda 2030 Jamil Ahmad , Deputy Director, UN Environment New York Office	

15:00-15:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
15:30-17:00 #6	Trade as a tool to achieve Sustainable Development Jodie Keane , Economic Adviser, Trade Division, Commonwealth Secretariat	
17:10-17:25	Introduction to the UEF-UN Environment Course Review Seita Romppanen , Senior Lecturer in International Environmental Law, Centre for Climate, Energy and Environmental Law, UEF Law School	

Wednesday, 11 October

	Venue: International Environment House 2 7-9, Chemin de Balexert	Room Rhin
7:30-10:00	<i>Transfer to Geneva</i>	
10:00-11:00 #7	Trade and Environment in the WTO Aik Hoe Lim , Director, WTO Division on Trade and Environment	
11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30-12:30 #8	Trade and Environment at UN Environment: Towards an Inclusive Green Economy Anja von Moltke , Head, Environment and Trade Hub, UN Environment	
12:30-13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30-14:30 #9	Introducing the Environment and Trade Hub, UN Environment Anja von Moltke , Head, Environment and Trade Hub, UN Environment	
14:30-15:00	<i>Coffee</i>	
15:00-17:00 #10	Trade and the Inclusive Green Economy Taylor Clayton , Environment and Trade Hub, UN Environment Elena Antoni , Environment and Trade Hub, UN Environment	

	Evening programme in Geneva:	
17:00	Transportation from the International Environment House to the Geneva city centre	
17:15-19:00	Free time to explore Geneva	
19:00	Buffet dinner at restaurant Le Pradier (Rue Pradier 6)	
20:30	The bus leaves back to the Chateau from the front of the restaurant Le Pradier	

Thursday, 12 October

	Venue: Chateau	Room
10:00-11:00 #11	Multilateral Negotiations in Practice: The Politics of International Environmental Negotiations Johannah Bernstein, International Environmental Lawyer	
11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30-13:00 #12	Multilateral Negotiations in Practice: Strategic and Tactical Considerations of International Environmental Negotiations Johannah Bernstein, International Environmental Lawyer	
13:00-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:00-15:30 #13	Interactive Workshop on Negotiation Skills and Management: Concrete techniques for breakthroughs in negotiations Johannah Bernstein, International Environmental Lawyer	
15:30-16:00	<i>Coffee</i>	
16:00-17:30	Interactive Workshop on Negotiation Skills and Management (continued) Johannah Bernstein, International Environmental Lawyer	

Friday, 13 October

	Venue: Chateau	Room
10:00-11:00 #14	Trade Measures and Specific MEAs: The Case of CITES Sofie Flensburg , Special Legal Advisor, CITES Secretariat	
11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30-12:30 #15	Trade Measures and Specific MEAs: The Case of the Chemicals Conventions Yvonne Ewang , Legal Officer, Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Convention Secretariat	
12:30-13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30-14:30 #16	Trade Measures and Specific MEAs: The Case of the Montreal Protocol Gilbert Bankobeza , Chief Legal Affairs and Compliance, Ozone Secretariat	
14:30-15:00	<i>Coffee</i>	
15:00-16:00 #17	Trade Measures and Specific MEAs: The Case of the Climate Regime Kateryna Holzer , Postdoctoral Researcher, World Trade Institute	
16:00-17:00 #18	Interactive Discussion: What Role for Trade Measures in Promoting MEA Objectives?	
17:00-17:30	InforMEA – the United Nations Portal on Multilateral Environmental Agreements Eva Duer , Legal Officer and Team Leader, Multilateral Environmental Agreements – Knowledge Management, Law Division, UN Environment:	

Saturday, 14 October

	Venue: Chateau	Room
09:00-10:00 #19	Regional Trade Agreements and Environmental Protection Aaron Cosbey , Senior Associate, International Institute for Sustainable Development	
10:00-10:45 #20	Mega-regional Trade Agreements and Environmental Protection Kateryna Holzer , Postdoctoral Researcher, World Trade Institute	
10:45-11:15	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:15-12:15 #21	Guided tour of Challes les Eaux - A guided walk around the Chateau	
12:15-13:15	Lunch	
13:15-14:30 #22	Trade and Environment under NAFTA Sabaa Khan , Senior Researcher, Centre for Climate, Energy and Environmental Law, UEF Law School & member of the NAFTA Advisory Council on the Environment	
14:30-15:00	Introduction to the Negotiation Exercise Sabaa Khan, Kati Kulovesi and Harro van Asselt	
15:00-15:45 #23	Afternoon Programme: Wine tasting at the Chateau wine cellar	

Sunday, 15 October – No Programme

Monday, 16 October

	Venue: International Environment House 2 7-9, Chemin de Balexert	Room Rhin
7:30-10:00 am	<i>Transfer to Geneva</i>	
10:00-11:00 #24	State of the International Trade Negotiations after Doha Carolyn Deere-Birkbeck , Senior Researcher a Global Economic Governance Programme, Blavatnik School of Government, University of Oxford	
11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30-13:00 #25	WTO Environment-related Cases Daniel Ramos , Legal Officer, Division on Trade and Environment, World Trade Organization	
13:00-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:00-15:00 #26	Roundtable: Trade in the Context of the Sustainable Development Goals Moderators: Prof Kati Kulovesi, Prof Harro van Asselt & Dr Sabaa Khan, UEF Law School Panellists: Taylor Clayton , Environment and Trade Consultant, UN Environment Regina Asariotis , Chief, Policy and Legislation Section, UN Conference on Trade and Development, Karsten Steinfatt , Counsellor, Division on Trade and Environment, World Trade Organization Layla Hughes , Senior Attorney, Centre for International Environmental Law Gracia Marín Durán , Senior Lecturer, University College London	
15:00-15:30	<i>Coffee</i>	

15:30-17:00	Roundtable: Trade in the Context of the Sustainable Development Goals (continued)	
	Evening programme in Chambéry	
17:00	Transportation from the International Environment House to the Chambéry city centre	
18:30-20:30	Free time to explore Chambéry & have dinner at own cost	
20:30	The bus leaves back to the Chateau	

Tuesday, 17 October

	Venue: Chateau	Room
10:00-11:00 #27	Negotiation Exercise Harro van Asselt, Kati Kulovesi and Sabaa Khan , Centre for Climate, Energy and Environmental Law, UEF Law School	
11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30-12:30	Negotiation Exercise (continued)	
12:30-13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:00-15:00	Negotiation Exercise (continued)	
15:00-15:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
15:30-17:00	Negotiation Exercise (continued)	

Wednesday, 18 October

	Venue: Chateau	Room
10:00-11:00	Negotiation Exercise (continued) Harro van Asselt, Kati Kulovesi and Sabaa Khan , Centre for Climate, Energy and Environmental Law, UEF Law School	

11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30-13:00	Negotiation Exercise (continued)	
13:00-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:00-16:00	Negotiation Exercise (continued)	
16:00-16:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
16:30-17:30	Negotiation Exercise: Wrap-up and Evaluation	
19:00	<i>Buffet dinner at the Chateau</i>	

Thursday, 19 October

9:00-10:00	Course Feedback and Evaluation Kati Kulovesi, Veera Julia Pekkarinen and Eva Duer	
10:00-10:30	<i>Coffee</i>	
10:30-12:00	Issuance of Course Certificates and Graduation Kati Kulovesi, Veera Julia Pekkarinen and Eva Duer	
12:00	<i>Lunch & goodbye</i>	