



**THE FIFTH UNIVERSITY OF JOENSUU - UNEP COURSE
ON INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW-MAKING AND DIPLOMACY**
at the University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa,
29 June – 11 July 2008

Agenda (27 June 2008)

<i>SUNDAY</i>	<i>29th June 2008</i>
6.30 p.m.	Welcoming reception hosted by the University of KwaZulu-Natal at the University Staff Club - Introduction to the programme - Introduction of participants, organizers and resource persons
<i>MONDAY</i>	<i>30th June 2008</i>
Session 1 10.00 - 11.00 a.m.	Opening Remarks - Address by the University of KwaZulu-Natal, <i>Prof. John Mubangizi</i> , Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Head: College of Law and Management Studies, - Address by UNEP, <i>Mr. Kilaparti Ramakrishna</i> , Senior Advisor, Environmental Law and Conventions, UNEP - Address by the University of Joensuu, <i>Prof. Tuomas Kuokkanen</i> - Address by the Finnish Government, <i>Ms. Ann-Britt Ylinen</i> , Director, Ministry of the Environment of Finland
11.00 - 11.30 a.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 2 11.30 - 12.30.	Keynote lecture on UNCLOS and the resources of the seabed and subsoil by <i>Judge Albert J. Hoffmann</i> , International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea
12.30 - 2.00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK
Session 3 2.00 - 3.30 p.m.	History and evolution of global environmental diplomacy and law-making by <i>Mr. Shafqat Kakakhel</i> , former UN Assistant Secretary General & former Deputy Executive Director, UNEP
3.30 - 4.00 p.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 4 4.00 – 4.30 p.m.	Practical information
Session 5 4.30 - 5.30 p.m.	Treaty-making and general international law by <i>Prof. Michael Cowling</i> , Dean, Faculty of Law, University of KwaZulu-Natal
7.00 p.m.	Reception hosted by UNEP at Golden Horse Casino Hotel

TUESDAY	<i>1st July 2008</i>
Session 6 9.00 - 9.45 a.m.	Environmental Governance by <i>Mr. Kilaparti Ramakrishna</i>
Session 7 9.45 - 10.30 a.m.	Coastal zone management by <i>Prof. Warren Freedman</i> , University of KwaZulu-Natal
10.30 - 11.00 a.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 8 11.00 a.m.- 12.00 p.m.	International fisheries by <i>Prof. Michael Kidd</i> , University of KwaZulu-Natal
Session 9 12.00 – 12.45.	Challenges of policing ports by <i>Adv. Robert E. Mortassagne</i> , Specialist environmental prosecutor
12.45 - 2.00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK
Session 10 2.00 - 2.45 p.m.	Integrated Marine Ecosystem Management by <i>Mr. Ole Vestergaard</i> , Programme Officer, Marine Ecosystems Unit, UNEP
Session 11 2.45 - 3.30. p.m.	Protection of Marine Biodiversity in Areas beyond National Jurisdiction by <i>Mr. Marko Berglund</i> , Associate Legal Officer, UNEP
3.30 - 4.00 p.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 12 4.00 - 5.30 p.m.	Introduction to the French version of the Negotiators Handbook and to the simulation exercise by <i>Mr. Cam Carruthers</i> , Senior Programme Officer, Legal Affairs Programme, Climate Change Secretariat and former MEA Coordinator, Environment Canada and <i>Mr. Marko Berglund</i>
WEDNESDAY	<i>2nd July 2008</i>
Session 13 9.00 - 10.00. a.m.	Arctic issues by <i>Ms. Ann-Britt Ylinen</i>
Session 14 10.00 -10.45. a.m.	Antarctic issues by <i>Mr. Ewan McIvor</i> , Senior Environmental Policy Adviser, Antarctic Territories Environment and Policy, Australian Antarctic Division
10.45 - 11.15 a.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 15 11.15 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.	Protection of the Baltic Sea by <i>Ms. Ulla Kaarikivi-Laine</i> , Director, Ministry of the Environment of Finland
12.30 - 2.00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK
Session 16 2.00 - 2.45 p.m.	Global Programme of Action, by <i>Mr. Ole Vestergaard</i>
Session 17 2.45 - 3.30 p.m.	The UNFCCC and the Kyoto Protocol Overview, IMO links and Moving forward by <i>Mr. Cam Carruthers</i>
3.30 - 4.00 p.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 18 4.00 - 5.30 p.m.	Marine Genetic Resources by <i>Dr. Dire Tladi</i> , Principal State Law Adviser, Office of the Chief State Law Adviser, South African Department of Foreign Affairs
THURSDAY	<i>3rd July 2008</i>
Session 19 9.00 - 10.30 a.m.	Simulation exercise on the compliance mechanism under the London Dumping Protocol led by <i>Mr. Cam Carruthers</i> and <i>Mr. Marko Berglund</i>
10.30. – 11.00 a.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
11.00. a.m. – 12.30 p.m.	Simulation exercise (cont.)
12.30 - 2.00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK
2.00 - 4.00 p.m.	Simulation exercise (cont.)

4.00 - 4.30 p.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
4.00 - 5.30 p.m.	Simulation exercise (cont.)
7.00 p.m.	Reception hosted by the Ministry of the Environment of Finland
<i>FRIDAY</i>	<i>4th July 2008</i>
Session 20 8.30 a.m.	Departure for excursion from Pietermaritzburg to Durban
9.30 a.m.	Activities at uShaka Aquarium
11.30 a.m.	Visit to ORI (Oceanographic Research Institute) for presentation
1.30 p.m.	Lunch
2.30/3.00 p.m.	Travel to Salt Rock
4.00 p.m.	Check in at Salt Rock Hotel
<i>SATURDAY</i>	<i>5th July 2008</i>
8.30 a.m. – 5.00 p.m.	Activities and presentations in and around the Salt Rock area
<i>SUNDAY</i>	<i>6th July 2008</i>
8.00 a.m.	Leaving Salt Rock and travel to Natal Sharks Board
9.00 a.m.	Presentation at Natal Sharks Board
10.30 a.m.	Return to Pietermaritzburg
12.00 a.m. →	<i>free time</i>

WEEK 2	
<i>MONDAY</i>	<i>7th July 2008</i>
Session 21 9.00 - 10.30 a.m.	Main issues of international environmental law-making by <i>Prof. Gerhard Loibl</i> , Diplomatic Academy, Vienna
10.30 - 11.00. a.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 22 11.00 - 1.00 p.m.	Interactive session on international environmental law-making moderated by <i>Prof. Gerhard Loibl</i>
1.00 - 2.30 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK
Session 23 2.00 - 2.30 p.m.	Tales from the Oceans: An Educational Video, Environmental Education and Training Team, UNEP
Session 24 2.30. -3.30 p.m.	Fragmentation of International Environmental Law by <i>Associate Professor Louis Kotze</i> , North West University
3.30 - 4.00 p.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 25 4.00 - 4.45 p.m.	Legitimacy of international environmental law with a focus on marine issues by <i>Prof Tuomas Kuokkanen</i> , University of Joensuu
4.4.5 – 5.30 p.m.	General introduction to the Global Environment Facility by <i>Mr. Matti Nummelin</i> , Senior Environmental Adviser, Ministry for Foreign Affairs; Adjunct Professor, Helsinki University
7.00 p.m.	Reception hosted by the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland
<i>TUESDAY</i>	<i>8th July 2008</i>
Session 26 9.00 - 10.30 a.m.	Discussion on the basis of the preparatory papers prepared by participants
10.30 - 11.00 a.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
11.00 a.m. - 12.30 a.m.	Discussion (cont.)
12.30 - 2.00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK
Session 27 2.00 - 2.45 p.m.	Negotiations leading to the adoption of the UN Convention on the Law of the Sea by <i>Dr. Iwona Rummel-Bulska</i> , UNEP
Session 28 2.45 - 3.30 p.m.	Drafting Coastal and Marine Legislation by <i>Mr. Robert Wabunoha</i> , Legal Officer, UNEP
3.30 - 4.00 p.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
Session 29 4.00 - 4.45 p.m.	Drafting Coastal and Marine Legislation (cont.)
Session 30 4.45-5.30 p.m.	Montevideo Programme with a focus on marine issues by <i>Dr. Iwona Rummel-Bulska</i>
<i>WEDNESDAY</i>	<i>9th July 2008</i>
Session 31 9.00 a.m.	Departure for excursion from Pietermaritzburg to Tala Game Reserve
10.00 a.m –	Game drive in Tala Game Reserve
2.00 p.m.	Drive to Phezulu Safari Village
2.30. – 9.00 p.m. .	Zulu dancing and dinner

9.00 p.m.	Return to Pietermaritzburg
THURSDAY	<i>10th July 2008</i>
Session 32 9.00 - 10.30 a.m.	Negotiation exercise on International Whaling Commission led by <i>Mr. Ed Couzens</i> , Senior Lecturer, University of KwaZulu-Natal
10.30 - 11.00 a.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
11.00 - 11.30. 11.30 – 12.30.	Negotiation exercise (cont.) Introductory lecture on International Whaling Commission by <i>Mr. Ed Couzens</i>
12.30 - 2.00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK
2.00 - 3.30 p.m.	Discussion on the basis of the preparatory papers prepared by participants
3.30 - 4.00 p.m.	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
4.00 p.m. - 5.30 p.m	Discussion (cont.)
FRIDAY	<i>11th July 2008</i>
Session 33 9.00 - 9.45 a.m.	Development and Implementation of Regional Seas Conventions by <i>Mr. Dixon Waruinge</i> , Programme Officer, UNEP
Session 34 10.15 - 11.30 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tour de table - Evaluation of the course chaired by <i>Prof. Michael Kidd</i>, <i>Prof. Tuomas Kuokkanen</i> and <i>Mr. Robert Wabunoha</i> - Collection of evaluation forms - Discussion of the strengths and weaknesses of the course - ways to improve the next course and training needs not addressed during the course
Session 35 11.30 - 12.30 p.m.	<p>Awarding of certificates Closing remarks by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Representative of KwaZulu-Natal, <i>Prof. Michael Kidd</i> - Representative of UNEP, <i>Mr. Robert Wabunoha</i> - Representative of the University of Joensuu, <i>Prof. Tuomas Kuokkanen</i>
12.30 p.m.	FAREWELL LUNCH