



UWSL

“INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ENVIRONMENTAL GOVERNANCE”

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CONCEPT NOTE

Environmental conservation is facing complex, non-linear, and cross-scale challenges against the background of global environmental change, and it is of great importance to have a clear recognition of environmental governance. The rules, practices, policies, and institutions that shapes human's interaction with the environment are referred to as environmental governance. Good environmental governance takes into account the roles of everyone who affects the environment. Human societies must alter their course and avoid critical tipping points that could result in rapid and irreversible change while also ensuring sustainable livelihoods for all. The urgent challenge from a social science perspective is how to organize the co-evolution of societies and their surrounding environment, or, in other words, how to develop effective and equitable governance solutions for today's global problems. Mechanisms, both institutional and non-institutional, for ensuring that the long-term sustenance of environmental resources is not hampered in any way, therefore assume a greater importance. Institutions include both government and non-government organizations.

ABOUT KARNAVATI UNIVERSITY

Karnavati University is a State Private University dedicated to excellence in teaching and focused on interdisciplinary learning. Apart from **Unitedworld School of Law (UWSL)**, **University has other schools namely, Unitedworld Institute of Design (UID), Unitedworld School of Business (UWSB), Unitedworld School of Liberal Arts and Mass communication (USLM), Unitedworld School of Computational Intelligence (USCI), Karnavati School of Dentistry (KSD), and Karnavati School of Research (KSR).**

The University's prime motive is not only to develop lawyers, designers, managers, researchers, media professionals and dentists but professionals with human values who make noteworthy contributions to society.

ABOUT UWSL

(Unitedworld School Of Law)UWSL is duly recognized by the Bar Council of India and is imparting high quality legal education in the state of Gujarat for more than half a decade. UWSL offers interdisciplinary law programs like B.A.LL. B (Hons.), BB.A.LL.B. (Hons.) with specializations in IPR, Business Law, Criminal Law, International Law, LL.M. as well as doctoral programs.

UWSL conducted an, "**International Interdisciplinary Conference On Covid-19 & Its Impact On Human Right**" on 27th August 2022. More than 200 papers were submitted, with 100 chosen for presentation at the conference. Participating delegates were from around the world, including Taiwan, Indonesia, the USA, and Nepal. Some of the issues dealt with in the conference included- impact of Covid-19 on migrant laborers, trade, business and economy, underprivileged children, working of the judiciary, education system, healthcare and many more. Selected papers have been sent for publication to Scopus-indexed journals and furthermore, many articles have been shortlisted for publication in UWSL Journal of Law.

ABOUT THE CENTRE

The Centre for Research on Environmental Studies (CRES), established by UWSL, Karnavati University, is to create and promote environmental sensitivity among the students, society, and other diverse stakeholders. It also encourages research in the field of environment to bridge the gap between the law, policy, and its implementation in society. It tries to achieve social justice by encouraging the protection of the right to the environment. The Centre also emphasizes on spreading awareness among the people about their fundamental duty to protect and conserve the environment.

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

Over the course of time, laws, rules, procedures, and regulatory measures have been made to become increasingly stringent. Because of political, social, economic, administrative, and capacity factors, these laws, rules, procedures, and regulatory measures fall far short of their goals and objectives. It is generally accepted that environmental performance has not kept up with the rate of growth in a way that is sustainable, despite the fact that the government has taken a lot of positive steps in this direction.

When it comes to tackling climate change on both a national and international scale, India is among the most forward-thinking nations. In the last four years, many state and national clean and green development projects have been finished. This has helped fight climate change and adapt to it in a big way. A number of new policies and initiatives in various fields, such as e-mobility, green transportation, renewable energy, waste management, reforestation, water, etc., have also been introduced to minimize the impact of climate change.

The conference's goal is to provide a broad multi-sectoral approach to environmental protection and conservation that advocates for its consideration in other policy concerns (for example, trade, transportation, agriculture, human security, national security, and so on). This approach will advocate for the consideration of environmental protection in various policy areas, using a variety of methodologies and starting from a variety of areas of priority.

Papers are invited for the themes mentioned below:

1. Clean Energy
2. Climate Change And Its Impact
3. Preservation, Protection, And Conservation Of The Environment
4. Protection Of Wildlife
5. Marine Ecosystem
6. Indigenous Communities And Environmental Justice
7. Environmental Federalism
8. Disaster Management
9. Biological Diversity
10. Ipr And Environment
11. Food Security
12. Covid-19 And Environment
13. Sustainable Development Goals And Environment
14. Human Settlements And Environment

Note: The above themes are not exhaustive, any contemporary topic related to environment law will be considered.



SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Submission guidelines are as follows:

- The Abstract shall not exceed 250 words. (Including 3-5 keywords)
- Abstract/full paper must contain the details of the author and co-author. Complete address, e-mail id, and mobile number. The details of all the author/s should include their name, academic and professional qualifications, institutional affiliation, and current designation under the Title of the Paper. A maximum of one Co-author is allowed.
- The abstract/full paper should be in Times New Roman, font size 12, with 1.5-line spacing, and the footnotes in Times New Roman, font size 10, with single-line spacing. Paper title in 14 (Bold) and all sub-headings in 12 (Bold) and line spacing at 1.5.
- The Abstract should be followed by an outline of the paper with a brief discussion including a clear statement of the research's objective, methodology, important findings, implications, and key references.
- The submission of the abstract/full paper must be in MS Word only. (No other format will be accepted)
- The word file containing the abstract/full paper has to be saved and uploaded in the name of the author along with the title of paper. (Ex- Author's Name_Title of the paper)
- The Submission of abstract/full paper which are made through google form will only be considered. Abstract/Full paper submitted through email id will not be entertained.
- A full paper must include a Title, abstract, Introduction, Methodology, Conclusion, etc. The length of the full paper including tables, diagrams, illustrations, references, etc. shall not be less than 3500 words and shall not exceed 5000 words.
- The citations must conform to any uniform citation style.
- The submission should contain a disclaimer to the effect that the piece is original and has not been published or is under consideration for publication elsewhere.
- The abstracts will be peer-reviewed by the organizing committee, and only shortlisted abstracts will be invited to submit final papers.
- The final paper should be submitted after the intimation of acceptance of the abstract.
- No abstract or full paper shall be accepted after the last dates of submission, respectively.
- Participants/Paper Presenters have to pay the required registration fees only after the acceptance of the abstract. In the case of co-authorship, only the author has to pay the registration fee, and the co-author need not pay an additional fee.
- All submissions are subject to a Plagiarism check.
- Upon selection of the Abstract, the participants shall submit the full paper.

IMPORTANT DATES

Last date for receipt of the abstract	February 5, 2023
Notification of Acceptance of the Abstract	February 7, 2023
Last Date of Registration	February 20, 2023
Receipt of full paper	February 22, 2023

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/FIVTYy3YwowGbYtx6>

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