







RGSL Summer School "Legal Challenges in International Investments, Indigenous Peoples and Environment Protection"

Final Programme

Date and time	Session	Lecturer (institution)
Sunday, 26 May	Arrival to Riga	
Monday, 27 May		
09:00-09:30	Introduction & Project Overview	
9:30-11:30 15 min break	Rights to Land and Natural Resources: Indigenous Peoples' Rights (Definitions of Terms, UNDRIP, ILO 169, ICCPR, CRC and other relevant International Standards and Case Law)	Gudmundur Alfredsson (RGSL)
11:45-13:00	Seminar: Shell/Ogoni case study	 Presentation by Patrick Jacob (UVSQ) Sandrine Clavel (UVSQ) Gudmundur Alfredsson (RGSL) Ilze Dubava (RGSL) Ilari Hovila (UL) Prof. Joshua Castellino (guest speaker)
13:00-14:00	Lunch break	
14:00-16:00	Seminar cont.: Shell/Ogoni case: Business Law confronted with Environmental Law and Human Rights	See above

Tuesday, 28 May

09:00-10:45 15 min break	Environmental Litigation, Indigenous Peoples and Multinational Corporations: An Overview of the Available Procedural Options	Patrick Jacob (UVSQ) Sandrine Clavel (UVSQ)
11:00-13:00	Contribution of the Regional Human Rights Courts	Ineta Ziemele (RGSL)
13:00-14:00	Lunch break	
14:00-16:00	Seminar: Human Rights in support of the protection of the Environment? The	Presentation by Gudmundur Alfredsson (RGSL) Patrick Jacob/Sandrine Clavel
	case of Indigenous Peoples.	(UVSQ) Ilari Hovila (UL)
Wednesday, 29 May		
09:00-10:45 15 min break	Indigenous Peoples facing MNC: How can NGOs contribute? What Other Means Can Be Employed?	Gudmundur Alfredsson (RGSL) Patrick Jacob (UVSQ) Sandrine Clavel (UVSQ) Prof. Joshua Castellino (guest speaker)
11:00-13:00	Jurisdiction and admissibility issues	Patrick Jacob (UVSQ)
13:00-14:00	Lunch break	
	Interaction between Investment Laws, Business and Access to Natural Resources	Ilze Dubava (RGSL)
Thursday, 30 May		
09:00-10:45 15 min break	Human Rights and Business (Global Compact, UN Guiding Principles), with a focus on Extractive Industries and Indigenous Peoples' Rights	George Ulrich (RGSL)
11:00-13:00 15 min break	Procedure-Related Issues: Claims and Counter-Claims, Taking and Administration of Evidence, Amicus Curiae, Publicity v. Confidentiality, etc.	Sandrine Clavel (UVSQ)

13:00-14:00	Lunch break	
14:00-15:30	Seminar: Sami rights in Finland: Challenges Faced by the Traditional Livelihoods practised by the Saami	Presentation by Tanja Joona (UL) Patrick Jacob (UVSQ) Sandrine Clavel (UVSQ) Gudmundur Alfredsson (RGSL)

Friday, 31 May

09:00-10:45 15 min break	Rights to Land and Natural Resources: Free, Prior and Informed Consent and Environmental Concerns	Gudmundur Alfredsson (RGSL)
11:00-13:00	Settlements and decisions: available remedies, review procedures, effectiveness, implementation	Patrick Jacob (UVSQ) Sandrine Clavel (UVSQ)
13:00-14:00	Lunch break	
14:00-16:00	Visit to the Livonian Institute [TBC]	

Saturday, 1 June

10:00-12:00	Conclusions
12:00-13:00	Lunch break
13:00-16:00	Evaluations: short paper presentations
Sunday, 2 June	Free day
Monday, 3 June	Departure from the Riga airport