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## MEP Training Program

# Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs)

Italy, May 17-31, 2008

## Course Agenda

### **Theme: Implementation of Multilateral Environmental Agreements in Italy**

Lecture: The Role of the Italian Ministry for Environment Land and Sea: Focus on MEAs Implementation and Enforcement: the Kyoto Protocol (S.Leggio, RAS Department, IMELS)

Lecture: MEAs Enforcement Instruments in Italy (A. Burali, APAT)

### **Theme: Policies and Enforcement of MEAs**

Lecture: Overview on EU organization and EU Environmental Policy (M. Montini, Environmental Legal Team, University of Siena)

Lecture: The Legal Framework for MEAs in International and EU Laws (F. Romanin, Environmental Legal Team, University of Siena)

Lecture: The enforcement of MEAs in the European Union (F. Romanin, Environmental Legal Team, University of Siena)

### **Theme: MEAs: Social and Economic Issues**

Lecture: Introduction to the History of Venice (L. Pes, Assistant Dean, Venice International University; Professor of Contemporary History, University IUAV of Venice, Italy)

Lecture: Social and Economic Impacts of Multilateral Environmental Agreements (P. Sandei, Associate Programme Officer, UNEP – United Nations Environment Programme)

Lecture: How States Can Cooperate in Protecting their Shared Environmental Resources (I. Musu, President, TEN Center and Professor, Ca' Foscari University of Venice)

### **Theme: MEAs Development; Chemical and Wastes-related Agreements**

Lecture: History and Development Trends of MEAs (S. Stec, Head of Environmental Law Programme, REC and Professor, CEU)

Lecture: Legislation Development and Enforcement of Key Chemicals- and Wastes-related MEAs (C. Boljkovac, Manager, UNITAR - United Nations Institute for Training and Research)

Lecture: Key Provisions of a Number of Chemicals- and Wastes-related International Agreements (C. Boljkovac, Manager, UNITAR - United Nations Institute for Training and Research)

### **Theme: Agreements on Biodiversity**

Lecture: Multilateral Agreements on Biodiversity and the EU (I. Higuero, UNEP Coordinator for the PEBLDS Joint Secretariat, UNEP Regional Office for Europe)

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Site Visit to Valle Averte - WWF Natural Reserve (P. Rosa Salva, Professor, Ca' Foscari University of Venice)

**Theme: Policies Applied to the Industrial Sector**

Site Visit to Terreal Italia - Firm Associated to Unindustria Venezia

Site Visit to Unindustria Venezia – Industry Association (E.Bonafè, Environment and Safety Consultant, Unindustria)

**Theme: Best Available Technology for Paper Production**

Site Visit to Burgo Cartiere (Verzuolo, Cuneo)

**Theme: POPs Reduction and Elimination in Agriculture Sector**

Lecture: Climate Change and Plant Disease (E. Casulli, Researcher, Agroinnova)

Lecture: Agroinnova Projects in China: an Overview (M. Pugliese, Researcher, Agroinnova)

Site Visit to AGROINNOVA Facilities (Greenhouses, Laboratories etc.)