

<b>Course title:</b> International Environmental Law			
<b>Course code</b> MPL 152	<b>No. of credits:</b> 3	<b>L-T-P distribution:</b> 34-11-0	<b>Learning hours:</b> 45
<b>Pre-requisite course code and title (if any):</b>			
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<b>Course type</b>	Core		
<b>Course offered in</b>	Semester 2		
<b>Course Description</b>			
<p>With the environmental issues moving to the centre-stage of international relations, International Environmental Law (IEL) has emerged as a well-established branch of International Law. The development of IEL has huge implications for countries like India that is in the process of development. In this context, this course is an attempt to study the development, actors and coverage of IEL. An attempt is also made to map the linkages of IEL with other areas of law. The foundational course on <i>Environmental Law and Policy</i> offered in the first semester would help in making the linkages between IEL and national environmental laws. The critical understanding of International Law gained in the <i>Law and Justice in a Globalizing World</i> course would help in appreciating the concerns of the developing world.</p>			
<b>Course objectives</b>			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. To analyse the historical foundations of IEL and the general principles around which it is built.</li> <li>2. To understand the international legal regime on protection of environment and its linkages with other branches of International Law.</li> <li>3. To critically analyse the compliance and dispute settlement mechanisms adopted and their effectiveness.</li> </ol>			