

GEIG PROGRAMME

June 29th – Monday

8:30 a.m.

Welcome to Delegates: Antonio D'Aloia, Laura Westra

Plenary 1 - Food and Agricultural Issues - 1

Chair, Laura Westra (CA)

9:00 - 9:30 Valentina Vadi (IT) "Food Wars: Food, Intangible Cultural Heritage and International Trade"

9:30 - 10:00 Alicia Epstein (UK) "Sustainable Intensification of European Agriculture: What's sustainable About It?"

10:00 – 10:30 Barilla Rep. (IT) "The Milan Protocol"

10:30 - 11:00 Question Period and Health Break

Plenary 2 - Food and Agricultural Issues - 2

Chair, Laura Westra (CA)

11:00 - 11:30 Ngozi Stewart (Nigeria) "A Deontologically Based Legal Framework for the Regulation of Genetically Modified Crops"

11:30 - 12:00 Eva Cudlinova (Czech Rep.) "Soil as a Ground for our Food-Shift in Soil Perception: the Case for Responsibility for So Erosion"

12:00 - 12:30 Maria Sole Porpora (IT) "GMOs and the Fragmentation of Governance in the Food Sector"

12:30 - 1:00 Question Period

1:00 - 3:30 Lunch Break

Plenary 3 - Water Issues and Integrity

Chair, Don Brown (US)

3:30 - 4:00 Linda Te Aho (NZ) "The Common Good: The Role of Integrity in the Support of Life"

4:00 - 4:30 Joseph Dellapenna (US) "Law and Water: for Energy and for Life"

4:30 - 5:00 Michele Tempesta and Veronica Valenti (IT) "The Right to Water v. International Business in the ICSID"

5:00 - 5:45 Question Period and Health Break

Plenary 4 - Food and Agricultural Issues - 3

Chair, Joseph Dellapenna (US)

5:45 - 6:15 Mery Ciacci(IT) "The Right to Food Between Food Security and Food Sovereignty"

6:15 - 6:45 Nicolo` Melli (IT) "From Wastes to Available Resources: Breeding Experience"

6:45 – 7:15 Alessio Malcevschi (IT) "Back to the Future: How Biocharculture may provide a Sound Solution to fill the Technology Gap Between Rich and Poor Countries"

7:15 - 7:45 Question Period

Dinner on our own

June 30th – Tuesday

Plenary 5 - Public Health and Integrity

Chair, Massimiliano Montini (IT)

- 9:00 - 9:30 Colin Soskolne (CA) “David vs. Goliath: Voluntary Professional Societies and the Industrial Juggernaut”
- 9:30 - 10:00 John Quinn (Czech Rep.) “Human Security in Conflict with Disaster: The Case of Ukraine”
- 10:00 - 10:30 Paul Saoko (Kenya) “DDT Spraying in Malaria Control Violates Human Rights”
- 10:30 - 11:00 Question Period and Health Break

Plenary 6 - Public Health and Integrity - 2

Chair, Colin Soskolne (CA)

- 11:00 - 11:30 Sabrina Urbinati (IT) “The Ebola Outbreak as a Threat to International Peace and Security”
- 11:30 - 12:00 Janice Gray (AU) “Coal Seam Gas Mining, Public Protest and the Preservation of the Common Good”
- 12:00 – 12:30 Franz-Theo Gottwald (DE) “Bioeconomy - A Challenge to Integrity”
- 12:30 - 12:45 Question Period
- 12:45 - 3:30 Lunch Break

Plenary 7 - Climate Change

Chair, Colin Soskolne (CA)

- 3:30 - 4:00 Ada Grilli (IT) “Climate Change in the Arctic: Domino Effect in the Whole Planet”
- 4:00 - 4:30 Kathleen Mahoney (CA) “Ethical Imperatives for Lawyering in the era of Climate Change”
- 4:30 - 5:00 Yuliya Lyamzina (RU) “Women, Gender Equality and Climate Change”
- 5:00 - 5:30 Question Period and Health Break

Plenary 8 - Water Issues - 2

Chair, Laura Westra (CA)

- 5:30 – 6:00 Tullio Scovazzi (IT) “Recent Developments in Conservation and Sustainable Use of Marine Biodiversity”
- 6:00 - 6:30 Alexander Gillespie (NZ) “The Challenges of Freshwater in the 21st Century”
- 6:30 – 7:00 Pavel Cudlin (Czech Rep.) “Czech Water Footprint in the European Context”
- 7:00 - 7:30 Question Period

7:30 - Dinner/Reception offered by the University of Parma to All Participants – in the Gardens of the University

July 1st – Wednesday - Canada Day

- 9:00 - 3:00 Tour to Beach and Seaside Restaurant at Forte dei Marmi

Plenary 9 - Ecological Integrity and the Common Good

Chair, Janice Gray (AU)

- 4:45 – 5:15 Claire Breen (NZ) “The Role of Human Rights to Water in Post-Conflict Peace Building”
5:15 - 5:45 Elena Carpanelli (IT) “Possible Conflicts between the Safeguard of Cultural Diversity and Environmental Protection”
5:45 - 6:15 Laura Pineschi (IT) “The Protection of the Environment as a Common Good: Potential and Effective Role of International Courts and Tribunals”
6:15 - 6:45 Peter Costello (US) “Good Governance: How Unworking and Impossibility Navigates Commonality”
6:45 - 7:15 Question Period

Dinner on our own

July 2 – Thursday

Plenary 10 - Good Governance and Ecological Integrity

Chair, Klaus Bosselmann (NZ)

- 9:00 - 9:30 Antonio D'Aloia (IT) “Constitutionalism and Future Generations: Rights, Duties and Policies”
9:30 - 10:00 Jane Dwasi (Kenya) “Innovative Environmental Dispute Resolution Mechanisms in Kenya”
10:00 - 10:45 Question Period and Health Break
10:45 - 11:15 Massimiliano Montini (IT) and Francesca Volpe (IT) “The Need for a New Regulatory Approach for the Promotion of Ecological Sustainability”
11:15 - 11:45 Vicky Karageorgou (GR) “Evaluating the Appropriate Impact Assessment and Other Requirements of EU Conservation Law”
11:45 - 12:15 Question Period
12:15 - 3:00 Lunch Break

Plenary 11 - Disintegrity and the Problem of Asylum Seekers

Chair, Antonio D'Aloia (IT)

- 3:00 - 3:30 Susanna Borrás (Spain) “Migration with Dignity for Climate Justice”
3:30 - 4:00 Laura Westra (CA) “Escape from development and the Plunder of Resources: Causality and Responsibility”
4:00 - 4:30 Francesca Mussi (IT) “Climate Induced Migration: What Legal Protection for Climate Migrants at the International Level?”
4:30 - 5:00 Anne Venton (CA) “Canada's Immigration and Refugee Protection Act: Political Tool or Instrument of Fairness?”
5:00 - 5:45 Question Period and Health Break

Plenary 12 - Good Governance and Democracy

Chair, Katrina Rogers (US)

- 5:45 - 6:15 Peter Venton (CA) "Democratic Capitalism: A Prerequisite for the Earth Charter Vision"
6:15 - 6:45 Norman Dyson (CA) "Citizen United v. Federal Elections Commission"
6:45 – 7:30 Question Period

Dinner on our own

July 3 – Friday

Plenary 13 - Good Governance and the Media

Chair, Peter Venton (CA)

- 9:00 - 9:30 Robert Rattle (CA) "Digitally Mediated Collective Behaviour and Sustainability"
9:30 - 10:00 Rose Dyson (CA) "Weapons of Mass Distraction"
10:00 - 10:45 Question Period and Health Break
10:45 - 11:15 Nancy Tzu-Mei Chen, Yin-Jun Tung and Yun-Chia Lo (Taiwan) "Reawakening the Ancient Wisdom in Search of a Sustainable Future"
11:15 - 11:45 Francesco De Vanna (IT) "Shaping the Rule of Law for Global Governance"
11:45 - 12:15 Alessandra Solazzo (IT) "Legal Instruments for New Rurality"
12:15 -12:30 Question Period
12:30 - 3:30 Lunch Break

Plenary 14 - Ecological Integrity and Good Governance

Chair, Laura Westra (CA)

- 3:30 - 4:00 Lucia Scaffardi (IT) Monica Cappelletti (IT) "The Recent Reinvigorated Debate over Gene Patenting"
4:00 - 4:30 Tung-Jye Wu and Esther Jiang (Taiwan) "Towards Ecological Integrity: Non-GMO Movements in Taiwan"
4:30 - 5:00 Simone Gabbi (EFSA) (IT) "Ethics and Regulatory Science in the XXI Century: An Answer to the Conundrum of Accountability?"
5:00 - 5:30 Question Period and Health Break
5:30 - 6:30 Keynote Presentation - Klaus Bosselmann (NZ) – "Governing the Commons: Can States be Trustees?"
6:30 - 6:45 Question Period
6:45 - 7:30 Closing Words and Future Plans - Laura Westra (CA) - Colin Soskolne (CA) - Klaus Bosselmann (NZ)