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on the topic

"International Environmental Law in relation to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and AI: A Multidisciplinary Approach"

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ABOUT VFSTR

Vignan's Foundation for Science, Technology and research (VFSTR) (Deemed to be University), Vadlamudi, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh provides education in a diverse and intellectually stimulating environment. It imparts value addition training to students to make them competent and inspired budding legal practitioners, Engineers and Managers. The university celebrates the power of knowledge, cultivates vision and encourages new ideas, as well as aims to inculcate human values and build awareness about the self and society around. The institute is well known for its dedicated faculty, state of art infrastructure. As a Deemed to be university, it is in the process of improving its standards to the level of a global technical institution. The latest curriculum has been prepared after consulting the veterans from industry, legal practitioners and distinguished academicians possessing a rich teaching and research background.

ABOUT VIL

Established in 2020, Vignan Institute of Law (VIL) is a premier constituent institution of Vignan's Foundation for Science, Technology and Research (VFSTR), approved by the Bar Council of India (BCI). VIL's mission is to advance legal knowledge and nurture professionals equipped for advocacy, legislation, and judicial reform. Vignan Institute of Law offers 5-year B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) and BBA., LL.B.(Hons.) Degree Programmes since its inception with an intake capacity of 60 students each for B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) and BBA., LL.B. (Hons.) and VIL also offers Ph.D. (Law) Program and LLM (2 Years) Course with Constitutional Law, Corporate Law and Intellectual Property Rights Specializations with an intake capacity of 40 students.

ABOUT AVRC

The Aequitas Victoria Research Centre is a research platform of the Aequitas Victoria Foundation (Registered under Societies Registration Act 21 of 1860, India), a non-profit making and non-governmental organization that aims for making justice accessible to everyone. As rightly said, "Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere", therefore it is one of the prime objectives of the organization to serve the best interest of justice to the fullest extent possible through various initiatives. The AVRC aims to fulfill the requirement of establishing a comprehensive, structured, and organized mechanism to carry out research works in different fields to make the Aequitas Victoria Foundation capable of achieving its goals. The Centre is expected to work as a think tank for the Foundation and to conduct research activities on proposals accepted by the Foundation considering the demand of the society and the need of the time.

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

Environmental protection and sustainable development have emerged as critical priorities in contemporary international law and global governance. The growing challenges of climate change, biodiversity loss, environmental pollution, resource depletion, and ecological degradation necessitate effective legal frameworks and international cooperation. The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), adopted in 2015, provide a comprehensive global framework for addressing these interconnected challenges and promoting a balance between environmental protection, economic development, and social justice. International environmental law plays a vital role in advancing these objectives through international treaties, customary principles, institutional mechanisms, and judicial interventions. However, persistent challenges relating to treaty implementation, State responsibility, environmental accountability, climate finance, and equitable resource distribution continue to hinder the achievement of global sustainability targets. These concerns also raise important questions regarding environmental justice, human rights, intergenerational equity, and the responsibilities of State and non-State actors.

The conference aims to provide an interdisciplinary platform for academicians, researchers, legal professionals, policymakers, research scholars, and students to critically examine contemporary developments in international environmental law and their implications for sustainable development.

SUB-THEMES :

- International Environmental Law and Global Environmental Governance
- International Environmental Treaties: Implementation, Compliance and Enforcement
- Sustainable Development Goals and Environmental Sustainability
- Climate Change Law, Climate Justice and the Paris Agreement
- State Responsibility and Liability for Transboundary Environmental Harm
- Biodiversity Conservation, Forest Protection and Wildlife Law
- Environmental Human Rights and the Right to a Clean and Healthy Environment
- Environmental Justice, Intergenerational Equity and the Rights of Future Generations
- Environmental Protection and International Human Rights Law
- Environmental Impact Assessment and the Precautionary Principle
- Corporate Environmental Responsibility, ESG and Sustainable Business Practices
- Renewable Energy, Energy Transition and Sustainable Development
- Environmental Pollution, Waste Management and the Circular Economy
- Environmental Governance, Public Participation and Access to Environmental Justice
- Indigenous Peoples, Traditional Knowledge and Environmental Conservation
- Environmental Litigation and the Role of International and Domestic Courts
- Artificial Intelligence, Emerging Technologies and Environmental Protection
- Environmental Law and Policy in India: Implementation of International Obligations
- Comparative Environmental Law and International Best Practices
- Environmental Governance and the Role of International Organisations
- Emerging Challenges and Future Directions in International Environmental Law

Any other topic that is relevant to sustainable development.

The above themes and sub-themes are not exhaustive. Participants are free to choose any other topic that falls within the domain of the main theme of the Conference.

OBJECTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE :

The Conference aims at achieving the following objectives:

1. Foster Multidisciplinary Collaboration
2. Examine Legal Frameworks and Policies
3. Promote Sustainable Practices

EXPECTED OUTCOMES :

At the end of the conference, the following outcomes are expected to outline:

1. Enhanced Legal and Policy Frameworks
2. Interdisciplinary Research and Collaboration
3. Increased Awareness and Advocacy

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES :

The participants shall strictly adhere to the following guidelines:

- **Co-authorship for each paper is allowed for up to two authors.**
- **No single author can submit more than one abstract.**
- **The abstract shall be separately typed in, or pasted into the Abstract Submission Google Form only (P.S.: No e-mails).**
- **After acceptance of the abstract, the authors are required to register by paying the registration fees.**

Note: Receipt of payment of Registration fees has to be uploaded in the Registration Form.

A provision for Early Bird Registration has been provided which will be valid only till Nov 12, 2026.

- **After the process of registration is completed, final papers are to be submitted.**
- **All submissions shall be made within the scheduled date.**

FORMATTING GUIDELINES FOR PAPERS :

The research papers shall adhere to the following formatting guidelines:

- **The length of the paper shall not be less than 3,000 words and more than 5,000 words.**
- **The paper shall have an abstract of a maximum of 250 words with four to six keywords.**
- **The Heading of the paper shall be typed in Capital, Bold, Font Size 16, Times New Roman, Central Aligned.**
- **The main body shall be in Times New Roman, Font Size 12, Line Spacing 1.5, Justified Aligned.**
- **Sub-headings shall be in Bold but shall not be in the capital with Font Size 12, Line Spacing 1.5, Justified Aligned.**
- **Images shall be Central Aligned and with clarity and authorities shall be duly cited wherein case if images are self-created then such images shall be mentioned in the Footnote Section; All charts and tables shall be center-aligned and the authorities shall be duly cited;**
- **OSCOLA 4th Edition shall be used for citation and footnotes shall be in Times New Roman, Font Size 10, Justified aligned, and Single Line Spacing.**

PERKS :

- All submitted Abstracts shall be published in a Book of Abstracts;
- All the Paper Presenters shall be provided with a Certificate of Presentation
- Selected papers shall be published in an International ISSN Journal named Annual International Journal on Analysis of Contemporary Legal Affairs (AIJACLA) e-ISSN: 2583-1437 and other papers will be published in ISBN Book and a Soft Copy of the Book shall be made available for free;
- All participants will be provided with a participation certificate.

WHO MAY PARTICIPATE ?

The Conference is multidisciplinary.

The Judges, Advocates, Academicians irrespective of any disciplines, Research Scholars, Students, or any other professionals who have done any research or any activities in the field of Environment Law and Sustainable Development can participate in this seminar.

IMPORTANT DATES :

- Date of Release of Call for Papers: Oct 28, 2026
- Last Date for Early Bird Registration: Nov 12, 2026
- Last Date for Abstract Submission: Dec 01, 2026
- Last Date of Submission of Full Paper: Dec 06, 2026
- Last Date of Registration: Dec 06, 2026
- Conference Date: Dec 12, 2026

REGISTRATION DETAILS :

- Students (Discounted Early Registration)- Rs. 600
- Students/Research Scholar (Online)– Rs. 750
- Research Scholar (Discounted Early Registration)-Rs. 700
- Research Scholar (Online)- Rs. 850
- Academicians/Practitioners (Discounted Early Registration)- Rs. 800
- Academicians/Practitioners (Online)– Rs. 950
- VIL Students/Research Scholar - Free
- VIL Academicians/Staff- Free

P.S.: In case of co-author, both the authors will have to register separately.

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- Students/Research Scholar/Academicians (Online)- Rs. 200
- VIL Students/Research Scholar - Free



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