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## **UGC SPONSORED TWO DAY NATIONAL SEMINAR ON**

### **“SCIENCE, ECONOMICS AND POLITICS OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND INDIA’S RESPONSE TO INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATION.”**

**4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2017**

University School of Law established in 1977 and providing LL.M in IPR and Ph.D Programme and this year started Integrated course of B.Com LL.B (honors) at Center of Excellence, School of Law, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad is organizing a UGC Sponsored National Seminar on: **“Science, Economics and Politics of Climate Change and India’s Response to International Obligation”** from 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.

#### **Object**

Climate is one of the pivotal and dynamic forces in the natural history of the earth. It is becoming increasingly important for scientists to communicate their findings effectively to those informing and formulating policy. Climate change, arguably the most serious challenge facing mankind, requires exceptional abilities to communicate complex science, whilst managing the uncertainties that characterise it. With growing pressure for policy makers, practitioners, civil society organizations, members of the public to change their own practices to reduce greenhouse gases and adapt to impacts of climate change, scientists are under increasing pressure to engage with these audiences effectively. This conference is based on following objectives:

- To promote research and development activities in Climate Change Mitigation, Vulnerability, and Adaptation, nationally and internationally.
- This conference will try to make a bridge between government & non-governmental organizations concerned in such activities.

- To create and disseminate the knowledge about Climate Change and Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation
- To make a platform for scientists and other personnel to discuss issues and policies related to Climate Change.
- To enhance contribution to new developments in the field of Environmental Sciences through the findings and discussion of the conference
- Promote young researchers and scientists to carry forward more studies and research on Climate change

### **Seminar Themes**

#### **The broad themes of this seminar are:**

- (1) History and Genesis of Climate change
- (2) Climate change and Science.
- (3) Climate change and International Politics.
- (4) International Law and Climate change.
- (5) Carbon Credit and Climate change.
- (6) India's Response to climate change Policy and Law
- (7) Role of Indian Judiciary in the protection and preservation of Environment.
- (8) Climate Change and Mitigation
- (9) Role of Civil Society

***This is not an exhaustive list, and papers are welcome in other related areas.***

### **Abstract Submission**

Abstracts containing not more than 250 words (identifying your chosen Theme/Sub-Theme) may be submitted along with a short bio data indicating your educational background, institution and contact details to [conferenceuslgu@gmail.com](mailto:conferenceuslgu@gmail.com)

### **Deadline**

Last Date for Abstract Submission

& Registration Form : 21th January, 2017 latest by 11.59 pm

Last Date for Submission of Full Paper : 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2017

## Submission Guidelines

### Abstracts:

There is no streamlined format for the abstract. Authors must identify their chosen sub-theme in their abstracts. Co-authorship is allowed, subject to registration of both and both presence is required.

### Main Paper:

1. The length of the paper shall not exceed 4500 words, excluding footnotes and the abstract.
2. The submission shall be in MS-Word format (.doc or .docx) and must be typed in A4 paper with one inch margin on all the sides.
3. Font size shall be Times New Roman 12, with 1.5 spacing. Font size for the footnotes shall be Times New Roman 10, with 1 spacing.
4. Bluebook 20th Edition citation shall be followed.
5. Only Authors whose abstracts are selected are allowed to present paper.

### Participants

The Conference is open for contributions from Judicial Members, Policymakers, Academicians and Students (Law, Science, Humanities & Other Social Sciences) Research Scholars from India and Abroad, NGOs and the practitioner, Scientists

### Registration

Authors whose abstracts are selected after initial screening must confirm their participation by sending the Registration Fees on or before 20th January, 2017.

Due to paucity of funds the participants are requested to arrange their travel expenses from their institution. However the local hospitality will be provided to all.

**We have limited facility of accommodation for outside participants on the basis first come first serve on registration.**

**Delegates : Rs.500/-**

**Students of Law : Rs.300/- (Students should submit their registration form through their Institution)**

For Registration D.D should be send in the favour of “**Registrar, Gujarat University**” payable at State Bank of India, Ahmedabad.

**Prof. Dr. S.P.Rathor**

Convener

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