

**Hamburg International  
Environmental Law Conference  
12<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> September 2013**

**12<sup>th</sup> September  
National and Regional Climate Protection**

8.15 AM Registration

9.00 AM Greetings

*Jörg Kuhbier*, Chairman of the Association "IURT e.V." and  
Former State Senator, Hamburg

*Prof. Dr. Hans-Joachim Koch*, University of Hamburg,  
FORUM - Research Centre for Environmental Law

**Part 1: Opening Address (09.30 – 10.30 AM)**

9.30 AM National Contributions for Global Emission Reductions  
Statement: *Prof. Mojib Latif*, GEOMAR Helmholtz Centre for Ocean  
Research and Christian-Albrechts-Universität Kiel, Ger-  
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10.30 – 11.00 AM Coffee - Break

**Part 2: Current National and Regional Climate Protection Law**

**I. Industrialised Countries (11.00 AM – 1.00 PM)**

Moderation: *Prof. Dr. Ivo Appel*, University of Hamburg,  
FORUM - Research Centre for Environmental Law

11.00 AM The Sleeping Giant Awakes?  
Statement: *Prof. David M. Driesen*, Syracuse University,  
College of Law, USA

11.20 AM	Climate Change and the Law in Japan Statement: <i>Prof. Yukari Takamura</i> , Graduate School of Environmental Studies, Nagoya University, Japan
11.40 PM	Legal Framework for Climate Protection in the EU and Germany Statement: <i>Dr. Simon Marr</i> , Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety, Germany
12.00 PM	Discussion
1.00 – 2.30 PM	Lunch

## II. Emerging Economies (2.30 – 4.50 PM)

Moderation: *Dr. Elisa Morgera*, University of Edinburgh, UK

2.30 PM	Climate Change Efforts in India Statement: <i>M. C. Mehta</i> , M. C. Mehta Environmental Foundation, India
2.50 PM	Climate Change Law in China - Is Renewable Energy Law an Effective Tool for Combating Climate Change? Statement: <i>Dr. Nengye Liu</i> , Marie Curie Fellow, School of Law, University of Dundee, United Kingdom
3.10 PM	Climate Change Law in Brasilia Statement: <i>Prof. Yanko Marcius de Alencar Xavier</i> , Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Norte, Brazil
3.30 PM	Climate Change Law and Development - a (southern) African Perspective Statement: <i>Prof. Oliver C. Ruppel</i> , University of Stellenbosch, Faculty of Law, South Africa
3.50 PM	Discussion
4.50 – 5.00 PM	Coffee - Break

### Part 3: Final Discussion (5.00 – 6.30 PM)

Moderation: *Apl. Prof. Dr. Dr. Joachim Sanden*  
Leuphana Universität Lüneburg, Germany

On the podium:

*Prof. Yanko Marcus de Alencar Xavier*  
*M. C. Mehta*  
*Dr. Simon Marr*  
*Prof. Mojib Latif*  
*Prof. David M. Driesen*  
*Prof. Oliver C. Ruppel*

### Part 4: Forum: Global Players in Climate Protection Law (2.30 – 4.45 PM)

Moderation: *Dr. Roda Verheyen*, Attorney at Law, Hamburg, Germany

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| 2.30 PM        | The Role of Environmental Non-Governmental Organisations<br>Statement: <i>Dr. Cathrin Zengerling</i> , Attorney at Law, Hamburg, Germany  |
| 3.15 PM        | The Inclusion of Expert Knowledge<br>Statement: <i>Prof. Dr. Olav Hohmeyer</i> , The German Advisory Council on the Environment, Coordinator at the IPCC and University of Flensburg, Germany                               |
| 4.00 PM        | Regional and Bilateral Initiatives for Climate Protection<br>Statement: <i>Enrique Lendo Fuentes</i> , Jefe de la Unidad Coordinadora de Asuntos Internacionales, Secretaria de Medio Ambiente y Recursos Naturales, Mexico |
| 4.45 – 5.00 PM | Coffee - Break  |
| 7.30 PM        | <b>Reception</b><br>Hamburg Chamber of Commerce – Commerzsaal   |

13<sup>th</sup> September

## Marine Environmental Protection and World Nutrition

9.15 AM Greetings

*Prof. Dr. Doris König*  
President, Bucerius Law School, Hamburg

### Part 1: Serious Threats to the Marine Environment by Overfishing (9.30 – 11.00 AM)

9.30 AM The Current State of International Fisheries and the Protection of Extensively Overfished Fish Stocks

Statement: *Prof. Dr. Manfred Niekisch*, German Advisory Council on the Environment, Frankfurt/Main, Germany

10.15 AM Regional Fisheries Management Organisations and their Efforts and Measures to Regulate Fishing Activities

Statement: *Prof. Rosemary Rayfuse*, University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia

11.00 – 11.30 AM Coffee - Break

### Part 2: Mariculture as Solution to the Problem of Overfishing? (11.30 AM – 1.00 PM)

11.30 AM The Development of Mariculture and its Contribution to World Nutrition

Statement: *Alessandro Lovatelli*, Aquaculture Officer, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), Rome, Italy

12.15 PM Mariculture and Environmental Protection – Problems and Regulatory Strategies

Statement: *Prof. Jorge Bermúdez Soto*, Pontifical Catholic University, Valparaíso, Chile

1.00 – 2.30 PM Lunch

### Part 3: Working Group Overfishing (2.30 – 4.00 PM)

- 2.30 PM                      Moderation: *Dr. Till Markus, LL.M.*, University of Bremen, Germany
- The Legal Framework of the Common Fisheries Policy of the European Union  
Statement: *Fernando José Correia Cardoso*, Legal Advisor EU-COM (DG Mare), Brussels, Belgium
- Enforcement Issues in Norwegian Fisheries Law  
Statement: *Prof. Dr. Tore Henriksen*, Universitetet i Tromsø, Norway
- New Steps in the Field of Control of IUU Fishing  
Statement: *Ass. Prof. Gabriela A. Oanta*, University of A Coruña Faculty of Law, Spain
- Product-Related Regulation: Certification of Seafood Products  
Statement: *Dr. Rainer Fröse*, GEOMAR Helmholtz Centre for Ocean Research, Kiel, Germany
- Also on the podium: *Professor Rosemary Rayfuse* and *Professor Manfred Niekisch*

4.00 – 4.10 PM              Coffee Break

### Part 4: Working Group Mariculture (4.10 – 5.30 PM)

- 4.10 PM                      Moderation: *Prof. Dr. Arndt Schmehl*, University of Hamburg, Germany
- Licensing and Permit Requirements: Norway  
Statement: *Martin Bryde*, Assistant General Director, Norwegian Ministry of Fisheries (Fiskeri- og Kystdepartementet), Oslo
- Licensing and Permit Requirements: Scotland  
Statement: *Dr. Matthew Gubbins*, Marine Spatial Planning Programme Manager, Marine Scotland Science, Aberdeen, Scotland/UK
- Product-Related Regulation: Certification of Mariculture Products  
Statement: *Margreet van Vilsteren*, Stichting de Noordzee (North Sea Foundation), Utrecht, Netherlands
- Also on the podium: *Prof. Jorge Bermúdez Soto* and *Alessandro Lovatelli*

## Part 5: Forum: Ocean Governance (2.30 – 5.30 PM)

2.30 PM                      Moderation: *Dr. Roda Verheyen*, Attorney at Law, Hamburg, Germany

The Evolving Framework for International Navigation in the Arctic  
Statement: *Prof. Aldo Chircop*, Schulich School of Law, Dalhousie  
University, Halifax, Canada

Regional Cooperations in Marine Environmental Law  
Statement: *Prof. Dr. Alexander Proelß*, University of Trier, Germany

Compliance with the Law of the Sea Convention  
Statement: *Prof. Robin Churchill*, University of Dundee Law School,  
Scotland, UK

Area-Based Management Tools as an Instrument of Ocean Governance  
Statement: *Dr. Bénédicte Sage-Fuller*, University of Cork College,  
Ireland

NGOs' Role in Ocean Governance  
Statement: *Markus Knigge*, Adviser, European Marine Programme,  
The Pew Charitable Trusts, Brussels, Belgium

## Part 6: Final Discussion (5.45 – 6.15 PM)