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MEP Training Program Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs)

Italy, May 16-30, 2009

Course Agenda

Theme: Implementation of Multilateral Environmental Agreements in Italy

<u>Lecture:</u> Environmental Policy at Local Level in Italy and the Role of the Ministry for the Environment (P. Manzione, Department for Environmental Research and Development, IMELS)

Lecture: MEAs Enforcement Instruments in Italy (A. Burali, ISPRA-APAT)

Theme: Policies and Enforcement of MEAs

<u>Lecture:</u> Overview on EU organization and EU Environmental Policy (M. Montini, Environmental Legal Team, University of Siena)

<u>Lecture:</u> The Legal Framework for MEAs in International and EU Laws (F. Romanin, Environmental Legal Team, University of Siena)

<u>Lecture:</u> The Enforcement of MEAs in the European Union (F. Romanin, Environmental Legal Team, University of Siena)

Theme: MEAs: Principles, History and Trends

Lecture: Introduction to the History and Environmental Issues of Venice (F. Zennaro, TEN Center - VIU)

Lecture: How States Can Cooperate in Protecting their Shared Environmental Resources (I. Musu, Professor, Ca' Foscari)

Lecture: History and Development Trends of MEAs (S. Stec, Central European University)

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<u>Lecture:</u> Social and Economic Impacts of Multilateral Environmental Agreements (P. Sandei, UNEP – United Nations Environment Programme)

<u>Lecture:</u> Legislation Development and Enforcement of Key Chemicals and Wastes-related MEAs (C. Boljkovac, UNITAR - United Nations Institute for Training and Research)

<u>Lecture:</u> Key Provisions of a Number of Chemicals and Wastes-related International Agreements (C. Boljkovac, UNITAR - United Nations Institute for Training and Research)

Theme: Agreements on Biodiversity

<u>Lecture:</u> Multilateral Agreements on Biodiversity and the EU (F. De Tejada, Spanish Ministry of Environment Counsellor to UNEP)

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Site Visit to Valle Averto - WWF Natural Reserve (P. Rosa Salva, Professor, Ca' Foscari University of Venice)

Theme: Policies Applied to the Industrial Sector

<u>Site Visit</u> to Unindustria Venezia – Industry Association (E. Bonafè, Environment and Safety Consultant, Unindustria)

Theme: Private Companies' Commitment to achieve Kyoto goals

<u>Site Visit</u> to Novamont (M. Caggiano, Novamont) <u>Site Visit</u> to Radici Chimica (R. Zaffaroni, Radici Chimica)

Theme: MB phase out in Montreal Protocol

Lecture: MB phase out in Montreal Protocol (P. Colla, Researcher, Agroinnova) Site Visit to AGROINNOVA Facilities (Greenhouses, Laboratories etc.)