

International Regulatory Frameworks for Climate Change & Environmental Management

ENVM3104 & ENVM7124, UQ, Brisbane, Australia



SUMMER SEMESTER 2017

This course examines the major international environmental treaties since 1945 set within their political and historic context.

A major focus in 2016 will be the challenge of implementing the Paris Agreement, which was agreed at the UN Climate Change Conference (COP22) in Paris in December 2015.

The major assessment item is a research paper to develop skills in evaluating and improving the effectiveness of environmental policy.

The course includes a field trip to a World Heritage property at Springbrook south of Brisbane (a photograph of which is shown below).

Summer semester course in 2017

The course will be taught over 5 days in the summer semester in 2017:

- Monday 27 November 2017 – lectures
- Tuesday 28 November 2017 – lectures
- Wednesday 29 November 2017 – field trip
- Thursday 30 November 2017 – lectures
- Friday 1 December 2017 – lectures

Assessment:

- research proposal (5%), due within 7 days of lectures concluding
- research paper (50%), due 15 January 2018
- exam (45%) in the semester 3 exam block in February 2018

The course will be available internally & externally (via recorded lectures).

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