



Overview

InforMEA Diploma on the International Legal Framework on the Protection of the Atmosphere

Unlike individual InforMEA course certificates, the **InforMEA Diploma** will help you to gain a broader perspective and knowledge of the six thematic areas of InforMEA. You can follow the dedicated Learning Path for Climate and Atmosphere at your own pace to obtain the **InforMEA Diploma**.

You can still obtain individual-courses certificates, but when you complete all the courses listed in an **InforMEA Diploma**, you will obtain a higher-level certification.

Obtaining the diploma

Go to the Diploma page to start taking the mandatory courses. Once you have obtained all the individual course certificates, you will be able to download your **InforMEA Diploma** on the International Legal Framework on the Protection of the Atmosphere.

Mandatory courses

To obtain the **InforMEA Diploma**, you are required to successfully complete all the mandatory courses listed below:

- Introductory course to International Environmental Law
- Introduction to Environmental Governance
- Introductory Course on the International Legal Framework on Transboundary Air Pollution
- Introductory Course to the International Legal Framework on Ozone Depletion
- Global framework for a pollution-free planet
- Climate Change International Legal Regime

Learning Objectives

At the end of this learning path, will be able to:

1. Describe the sources of international law and the architecture of a Multilateral Environmental Agreement;
2. Explain the principles and concepts of International Environmental Governance;
3. Describe the consequences of transboundary air pollution and the key provisions and protocols of the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution;
4. Explain the process that depletes the ozone layer and its threats to humankind and the environment and recognize key milestone of the international legal framework regarding ozone depletion;
5. Explain the impact and cost of pollution and describe the international response to the challenges posed by pollution;
6. Describe the causes and effect of Climate Change, the mechanisms established by the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change and the key provisions and commitments established by the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement.