# nvironmental and energy

nvironmental and energy law are broad fields of law, aimed at protecting the environment, energy transition, and sustainable development.

### **TOPICS**

**MISSION** 

Biodiversity protection:
 protected areas
& species protection

Rights of nature

Climate change

Biodiversity protection: wildlife trade

Animal rights and animal welfare

Ecological restoration

Protection of freshwater

Public participation

Renewable energy law &

energy efficiency

Impact of light & noise pollution on biodiversity

Environmental law enforcement

Environmental impact assessment

Environmental governance

Environmental refugees



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## **COLLABORATIONS**

Within the faculty: Maritime Institute & GRILI

Outside of the faculty: EELF, IUCN AEL, VVOR, EnerGhentIC

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## CONTRIBUTIONS TO SCIENCE, SOCIETY AND ECONOMY

Our expertise covers academic research and policy advice relevant at national, regional (EU) and international level (UN) and relates to several of the **Sustainable Development Goals**. We aim to contribute to corporate and public governance in achieving sustainable development on environment related topics.













Besides academic research output, the Centre provides expertise on environmental law and energy law for local, regional and national authorities, and makes use of the press and other media to inform the public about current environmental issues.

From its start in 1982 the Centre has been involved in **preparing and** supporting environmental policy for public authorities at national, EU and international level (OECD, UNEP, ...) through numerous research assignments.

Research has led, directly or indirectly, to **new or adapted legislation**, such as waste management, soil remediation, integral water policy, nature protection, marine environmental law, and the transposition of EU environmental directives.





