



January 30th, 12h00 am
UFPA Professional - KP11

Seminar

“ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE AND CONFLICTS: a challenge for the future”

Brief description on the programme

After a general introduction on environmental justice, human rights, it will be a thematic focus on environmental justice and conflicts (starting from the third Research on the forgotten conflicts just published by Caritas Italiana, “Famiglia Cristiana” and “Il Regno”) and a focus on the role of the media on these issues. It will follow discussion and proposals to promote global-local action for lobbying and advocacy against poverty, about environmental justice, the seventh goal of the Millennium Development Goals to reach within 2015.

Speakers

- Rev. Fr. Gianpaolo Salvini, Director of “LA CIVILTA’ CATTOLICA”, Rome;
- Mr. Paolo Beccegato, Responsible of International Department CARITAS ITALIANA;
- Mr. Alberto Bobbio, journalist of “FAMIGLIA CRISTIANA”;
- other representatives of countries, or organizations working locally on these issues.

Expected outcomes

- definition of the concept of “environmental justice”;
- analysis of climate changes and their impact on the poor and risks of conflicts;
- analysis of the role of international media;
- proposals of new environmental social economic and humanitarian lobby and advocacy policies and actions.

General goal related to the activity

Guaranteeing economic, social, human cultural and environmental rights, especially the right to healthcare, education, housing, employment, decent work, communication and food security and sovereignty.

Key-word

Justice (social, environmental, alternative, fiscal,international)

Activities connected

- “Millennium Development Goals” Campaign
- “Forgotten conflicts” Campaign
- “Create a climate Justice” Campaign

Languages

English and Italian

Participants foreseen

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