

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

ON

**“STRENGTHENING CLIMATE JUSTICE INITIATIVES:
LIVELIHOOD CHALLENGES AT LOCAL LEVEL WITH A FOCUS ON FARMERS”**

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INSTITUTE OF LAW, NIRMA UNIVERSITY, AHMEDABAD (GUJARAT) INDIA.

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1. National and International legal framework for Climate Justice
2. Climate Justice Initiatives and Technological Interface
3. Local Initiatives to bring Climate Justice: National and / or International Experiences
4. Role of Government Policies and Schemes in Climate Justice Initiatives
5. Public Policy, Development and Climate Justice
- 6- Agricultural Insurance and Climate Justice Initiative in India: An Indian Farmer's Story
- 7- Civil Society and Climate Justice and Farmer as a beneficiary
- 8- The Economics of Climate Justice: Role of International Agencies
- 9- Climate Justice, Sustainable Development, Institutional Framework and Farmer in India
- 10- Globalization and Climate Justice Initiatives: Interventions or / and Interferences

Venue - Institute of Law, Nirma University, SG Highway, Ahmedabad-382481(Gujarat) India**Important Dates**

Abstract Submission	-	October 07, 2014
Full Paper Submission	-	October 20, 2014
Last Date for Registration	-	October 15, 2014

Details

Abstract to be submitted at ilnu.conference.paper@nirmauni.ac.in, consisting 250-400 words along with keywords.

The complete research paper should consist of 3500-5000 words (MLA Hand-Sheet 7th edition format).

Power point presentation can be used for paper presentation in the conference.

Two authors are allowed on single paper with individual registration.

Certificates would be distributed at the end of the conference.

Selected papers would be published in an edited book with an ISBN no.

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About the Conference

Climate Change is one of the harsh realities of present times which will bring catastrophic results for the mankind. We ourselves are culpable for the bane of Climate Change and are suffering from its repercussions. The point of Injustice is realised when we observe Rural and Poor people who are least responsible for the disaster of Climate Change as the most adversely affected folk. If we draw the focus on farmers, then we realise that they are facing biggest challenges of climate change as the adversity is affecting the soils, waters and other biological parameters which ultimately affects their livelihood. Moreover, they have no effective means to tackle this challenge. This shows disproportionate burden of climate change.

With a vision to bring Climate Justice, Institute of Law, Nirma University (ILNU) and National Council for Climate Change, Sustainable Development and Public Leadership (NCCSD) endeavours to invite students, research scholars, academicians, policy makers, practitioners, NGOs, regulatory bodies, farmers and various other stakeholders to initiate a dialogue on the theme 'Strengthening Climate Justice Initiatives: Livelihood Challenges at Local Level with a focus on Farmers' and to critically analyse the contribution of government policies, legal framework, technology and local initiatives to bring Climate Justice against the challenges faced by farmers at local level. The Conference is an initiative to have a deliberation upon the issues relating with Climate Justice with an approach to treat climate change as an issue of human rights and environment justice linking with equality and collective rights which will ultimately dissolve and alleviate the unequal burden created by climate change. It is an effort which will show the avenues for cleaner, healthier and ultimately fairer world to live in.