

### PROGRAM ON ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY LAW





# WORLD BANK INSPECTION PANEL 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Agenda - April 6, 2023

American University Washington College of Law, 4300 Nebraska Ave NW, Washington DC 20016

Afternoon Sessions: 2pm - 5.30pm

Location: Ceremonial Classroom, Room NT01 | Warren Building

13.30 - 14:00

Registration for Afternoon Sessions.

14:00 - 14:10

#### Introduction & Welcome

- David Hunter, Professor of Law , American University Washington College of Law
- Daniel Bradlow, Professor/Senior Research Fellow, Centre for Advancement of Scholarship, University of Pretoria
- Ramanie Kunanayagam, Chairperson, World Bank Inspection Panel (moderator)

## Afternoon Session I: Development Lessons from the Accountability Mechanisms: Formal Advisories and Informal Uptake

Moderator: Ramanie Kunanayagam, Chairperson, World Bank Inspection Panel

14:10 - 15:30

- Mark Goldsmith, Panel Member, World Bank Inspection Panel
- Julia Gallu, Senior Environmental/Social Advisory Specialist, Compliance Advisor/Ombudsman Office, IFC (TBC)
- Carla Garcia Zendejas, Director, People, Land & Resources Program, Center for International Environmental Law and Board Member at Center for Economic and Social Rights
- Balakrishnan Rajagopal, UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Housing, Professor of Law and Development, Department of Urban Studies & Planning, Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Director, Displacement Research and Action Network

15:30 - 15:45

Coffee Break



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### Afternoon Session II: Accountability and the Search for Remedy

Moderator: Marcos Orellana, Special Rapporteur on Human Rights and Toxic Substances, United Nations

15:45 - 17:15

- Richard Bissell, Lead Compliance Officer, United Nations Development Programme
- o Lori Udall, President, Montpellier Consulting
- o Margaux Day, Policy Director, Accountability Counsel
- Devesh Kapur, Starr Professor of South Asian Studies, School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University
- o Joe Athialy, Executive Director, Centre for Financial Accountability

17:15 - 17:30 Break