



The Hague Environmental Law Facility

International Organisations and other centres based outside The Netherlands

The following organisations based outside The Netherlands were consulted or researched in the Feasibility Study for The Hague Environmental Law Facility.

This list relates to [The Hague Environmental Law Facility \(HELFL\)](#).

16 Organisations



Center for International Environmental Law (CIEL)

The Center for International Environmental Law (CIEL) is a non-profit organisation that aims at protecting the environment, promoting human health, and ensuring a just and sustainable society by the use of international law and institutions. It

does...

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Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution

The Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution was signed in 1979 and entered into force in 1983 and contains eight protocols. Parties to the Convention commit to limit, reduce and prevent air pollution, including long-

range transboundary...

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Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes

UNECE member States are aware of the need for cooperation if they are to ensure that transboundary waters are used reasonably and equitably. They know that they share the same water resources and rely on each other to apply effective solutions. This...

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Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents

The Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents aims at the prevention, preparation and response to transboundary effects of industrial accidents, either in terms of air or water pollution. The Convention also encourages...

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ESPOO Convention (Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context Project)

The Espoo (EIA) Convention sets out the obligation to assess the environmental impact of certain activities at an early stage of planning. Under the Convention states are obliged to notify and consult each other on all major projects under...

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Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO)

The Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations (FAO) was founded in 1945 and it is a neutral organisation composed of developed and developing countries, grouped together with the aim of defeating hunger in the world. It is a platform...

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Implementation and Enforcement of Environmental Law Network (IMPEL)

The EU Network for the Implementation and Enforcement of Environmental Law (IMPEL) is an international non-profit association established by the Member States and the EEA countries. IMPEL was established in 1992 and it is located in Brussels,...

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Institute for European Environmental Policy (IEEP)

The Institute for European Environmental Policy (IEEP) is an independent non-profit institute that aims at promoting environmental sustainability in Europe through policy analysis. It carries out research and consultancy work on the development,...

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International Network for Environmental Compliance and Enforcement (INECE)

The International Network for Environmental Compliance and Enforcement (INECE) is the only global network of environmental compliance and enforcement practitioners. INECE has different goals: raising awareness of compliance and enforcement,...

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IUCN (World Conservation Union) Academy of Environmental Law

The IUCN Academy of Environmental Law is hosted by the Faculty of Law of the University of Ottawa. It focuses on research and teaching of environmental law mainly by encouraging the development of collaborative research programmes between member...

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IUCN Environmental Law Centre

The IUCN Environmental Law Centre (ELC) was established in Bonn in 1970. The ELC is part of the IUCN staff acting as legal secretariat of the IUCN, which is located in Gland, Switzerland. A few other lawyers are employed in the IUCN regional...

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Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs Covention)

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) is an international legally binding agreement, signed in 2001 and entered into force in 2004. POPs according to the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)...

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UNEP Economics and Trade Branch

The Economics and Trade Branch (UNEP-ETB) is located within the United Nations Environment Programme's Division of Technology, Industry and Economics (UNEP-DTIE). Its mission is to conserve the environment, reduce poverty, and promote sustainable...

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UNFCCC/Kyoto Protocol Secretariat

The United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) is a framework for intergovernmental efforts to tackle the challenge posed by climate change. The Convention provides a platform for governments to gather and share information on...

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UNITAR United Nations Institute for Training and Research

Since its foundation in 1965, the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) has been operating in the field of capacity building....

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WTO Commission on Trade and Environment

The World Trade Organisation (WTO) is an international organisation that deals with the rules of trade between nations, through the application of the worldwide-adopted

WTO...

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