

FOREIGN INVESTMENTS, CLIMATE CHANGE AND PROTECTION OF FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS

Wednesday 21 June 2023, 14-18
Alma Mater Studiorum Università di Bologna

Sala Armi, via Zamboni 22, Bologna

14.00 – 14.15 **Coffee and Registration**

14.15 – 14.30 **Welcoming Remarks**
Federico Casolari, *University of Bologna*

Chair: Ludovica Chiusi Curzi, *University of Bologna*

14.30 – 16.00 **FIRST SESSION**

Business and Human Rights and its Relevance to the Investment Agenda
(Siniša Milatović, *United Nations Development Programme*)

The Sustainable Development Clauses in the New Italian Model BIT
Davide D'Urso, *Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation*

International Investments and Sustainability: The Business Sector Perspective (ENI)

International Investment Law and the Clean Energy Transition (Lea Di Salvatore, *Columbia Center on Sustainable Development, Columbia University*)

16.00 – 16.15 **Coffee break**

16.15 – 17.45 **SECOND SESSION**

The Role and Relevance of Investment Treaties in Promoting Renewable Energy Investments (Ladan Mehranvar, *Columbia Center on Sustainable Development, Columbia University*)

The Right to Regulate in International Investment Law (Giovanni Zarra, *University of Naples – Hogan Lovells*)

Investment Law and Climate Change through the Lens of a Practitioner (Cecilia Carrara, *Legance*)

The Role of Counterclaims in Protecting Human Rights and the Environment (Simon Batifort, *Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP*)

17.45 – 18 **Concluding Remarks**
Attila Tanzi, *University of Bologna – President of ILA Italy*

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