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Climate Law & Governance Global Leadership Award Laureate 2022

General Counsel / Legal Director, International Organisation:

* [Dr Patricia Kameri-Mbote](#), Legal Director, UNEP (Kenyan)

Citation: For leading UNEP's environmental law division in the global response to climate change.

Civil Society / Law Foundation Leaders:

* [Dr Caio Borges](#), Institute for Climate and Society (Brasil)

Citation: For supporting climate justice litigation in Brasil and worldwide.

* [Adv Lucie Greyl](#), General Coordinator & Climate Litigation Lead, A Sud - Ecologia e Cooperazione Onlus (Italy)

Citation: For advancing climate justice and community leadership in Italy and worldwide

Private Law Firms / Practitioners:

* [Adv Nina Pindham](#), Vice-Chair, UK Environmental Law Association / IBA Climate Law Coalition (Canada)

Citation: For engaging bar associations in climate law solutions and practice in the UK and globally

* [Adv Lunisinga Zulu](#), Chair, Law Association of Zambia (Zambia)

Citation: For advancing climate law and governance in Zambia and globally

Universities:

* University of Glasgow - [Prof Giedre Jokubauskaite](#), [Prof Henry Lovat](#), VP & Head of School [Prof Sarah Carter](#) (Scotland)

* Strathclyde University - [Prof Francesco Sindico](#) / [Dean Prof Claire McDiarmid](#) (Scotland)

* University Cambridge - [Prof Markus Gehring](#) / [Prof Diane Coyle](#) / [Faculty Chair Prof David Howarth](#) (UK)

Citation: For outstanding education, research and impact in climate law and governance, with thanks for outstanding hospitality and engagement in co-hosting the CLG academic pre-conference, the CLG Day 2022 and the CLG Specialisation Course during CoP26 in the UK

Climate Negotiators:

* [Amb Mariane Karlsen](#), Senior Negotiator, Norway / Chair, UNFCCC SBI (Norway)

Citation: For advancing understanding and implementation of the Paris Agreement internationally

* [Amb Janine Felson](#), Senior Negotiator, Belize / Spokesperson, UNFCCC AOSIS (Belize)

Citation: For advancing understanding and implementation of the Paris Agreement internationally

Climate Law Essay Competition Laureates 2022

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English/Spanish Essays

<i>Student Name</i>	<i>Link to Essay</i>	<i>School/Country/ Nationality</i>	<i>Ranking</i>	<i>Award</i>
Christian Gutzwiller	Net Zero: A vague Concept on the Lookout for Guidance Policies, Regulatory Measures and Structuring Elements for Effective Decarbonization	Univ California Los Angeles / USA Swiss	1	Platinum
Mikaella Bodeux	Copping Out? A Closer Look at the Phasedown of Unabated Coal Power Under the Glasgow Climate Pact	Utrecht University / Netherlands South African	1	Platinum
Rachel Wam	“Crimes Against Nature are Crimes Against Humanity”: The Planet v Bolsonaro in Reframing Climate Change through Litigation	University of California, Berkeley / USA Singaporean	2	Gold
Jorge Alejandro Carrillo Banuelos	Emergencia climática y derechos humanos: definiendo el alcance de las obligaciones estatales desde la Comisión Interamericana	Harvard Law School / USA Mexican	2	Gold
Kelly Gorman	Transforming the World's Food Systems: The Need for a Holistic Approach to Food Waste	University of Wisconsin-Madison / USA American	3	Silver
Kirsten Barratt, Megan Mannion, and Koailé Monaheng	Building Beyond Montreal and Basel: How a New “Plastics Treaty” Can Save Our Oceans	University of Cape Town and Rhodes University / South Africa South African	3	Silver
Che Yeon Kim, Zion Lee, and Ji Sung Park	Past and Future of South Korea’s Nuclear Energy Policies	Sciences Po Paris / France South Korean	3	Silver

Lara Shirley*	Negligence and the Anthropocene: To what extent does Sharma v Minister for the Environment contest the Anthropocene thesis?	University of Melbourne / Australia New Zealander	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation
Shaun Chua	Can A Nation's Constitution Afford Environmental Protection in Climate Litigation?	National University of Singapore Faculty of Law / Singapore Singaporean	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation
Rebecca Brimble	The Use of Inuit Qaujimagatugangit (Inuit Indigenous Knowledge) to meet Paris Agreement Climate Change Adaptation Obligations in the Circumpolar North	University of Glasgow / United Kingdom Scottish	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation
Putu B. Nugraha	Sustainable Development through the Lens of Local Wisdom and Customary Laws: Examples from Bali	Universitas Indonesia / Indonesia Indonesian	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation
Ifeanyi Nwokolo	Expanding Adjudicatory Frontiers. Incorporating Voices: Adapting the Designs of Hybrid Courts in Driving Access to Justice for Transnational Climate Change Claims Involving Corporations in the Global South.	University of Windsor / Canada Nigerian	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation

Arabic Essays

Student Name	Link to Essay	School/Country/ Nationality	Ranking	Award
Abdel Hamid Shehata Abdelrazek	The goal of carbon neutrality as a constitutional obligation on the State and corporations "ف حياد الكربون كالتزام دستوري علي الدولة و الشركات"	Cairo University / Egypt Egyptian	1	Platinum
Mayssa Mansour*	Legal responses to the climate change crisis, in light of environmental legislative development "السبل القانونية لمواجهة أزمة التغير المناخي في ظل تطور التشريعات البيئية"	Lebanese University / Lebanon Lebanese	1	Platinum
Motasem Jendeya	Human rights and climate justice in light of international conventions "حقوق الإنسان والعدالة المناخية وفق الاتفاقيات الدولية"	University Tunis El Manar / Tunisia Palestinian	2	Gold
Pakinam Alsonbaty Mahtab Ali Elshenawy	Disputes and environmental judicial protection in Egypt: Proposed legal frameworks to address the problem of climate change "المنازعات والحماية القضائية البيئية في مصر والإطارات القانونية المقترحة لمواجهة مشكله تغير المناخ"	Ain Shams University / Egypt Egyptian	2	Gold
Joman Rabah Al-Khateeb	Climate change within the framework of international law and international humanitarian law "التغيير المناخي في إطار القانون الدولي و القانون الدولي الإنساني"	University of Private Applied Sciences, Amman / Jordan Jordanian	3	Silver
Areej Olama*	Human rights and climate justice "حقوق الانسان و العدالة المناخية"	Herbon University / Palestine	3	Silver
Nasser Thabet	Human rights and climate justice: International criminal responsibility for climate crimes "حقوق الإنسان والعدالة المناخية المسؤولية الجنائية الدولية عن جرائم المناخ"	Doha Institute for Graduate Studies / Qatar Palestinian	4	Bronze – Judges' commendation
Abde Abde*	Trade and investment and their relationship to climate change "التجارة والاستثمار وما علاقتها بالتغير المناخي"	Palestine	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation
Salah Jubair* Saddam* Bador salem	Provisions of the 2015 Paris Agreement on Climate Change "أحكام اتفاق باريس عام 2015 بشأن تغير المناخ"	Karbala University / Iraq	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation
Mohab Elhakem*	Climate changes "التغيرات المناخية"	Hewlan University / Egypt	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation



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Alaa Grada*	The responsibility of Israeli occupation for the crimes of medical waste in Palestinian and International Legislation "مسئولية الإحتلال الإسرائيلي عن جرائم النفايات الطبية في التشريع الفلسطيني والدولي"	The Islamic University / Palestine	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation
Intissar Badr*	Global Climate Law and Governance 2022 "قانون المناخ العالمي والحكومة لعام 2022"	Lebanese University / Lebanon	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation
Yara Thaer Al Abbadi	Impact of climate change on human rights "أثر تغير المناخ على حقوق الإنسان"	Applied Science Private University / Jordan Jordanian	4	Bronze - Judges' commendation

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CLGI partners support an [international programme](#) of special preparatory, official side events & other sessions hosted by collaborating including among the Research and Independent NGOs (RINGOs) constituency and others at the COP27 and beyond:

- CLGI Egypt co-hosts Ain Shams University are convening a preparatory academic conference **Legal Aspects of Sustainable Development, focusing on Climate Change** at the Ain Shams University on 4-6 November 2022.
- Hosted entirely online for the benefit of the international community, the CLGI Programme Committee convenes the **Climate Law & Governance Day** global symposium on Friday 11 November 2022 during the COP27. CLGD 2022, with an intense programme of plenaries & sixteen sessions hosted by leading partners, featuring the **Climate Law & Governance Global Leadership Awards 2022 & International Climate Law & Governance Student Essay Contest 2022** Prizes recognizing negotiators, general counsel, & distinguished practitioners, academics & civil society leaders, also outstanding students, for their contributions: [Climate Law and Governance Day 2022 Tickets | Eventbrite](#)
- For COP27 delegates, observers, practitioners, students & others interested in learning more about the Paris



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- The official UNFCCC CoP27 side-event '**Strengthening Legal Tools & Capacity for Climate Justice & Resilience**' from 11:30 to 1:00 in Akhenaten, Blue Zone of COP27 on Thursday 17 November 2022 offers an interactive, online roundtable highlighting net zero climate law & governance innovations, as part of a programme of climate law & governance engagements at the UNFCCC COP27 from 01 - 12 November: https://seors.unfccc.int/applications/seors/reports/events_list.html

The CLGI Online Platform during COP27 also offers a virtual meeting point and dedicated space to share knowledge and materials, including about climate law and governance issues and activities, opening opportunities for exchanges among delegates and observers. CLGI will publish [blog contributions](#) during COP27, as well as legal working papers, articles and new books with world-leading presses based on COP27 collaborations, supporting further post-COP climate law and governance capacity-strengthening and partnership activities. The Climate Law and Governance Specialists Registry offers a portal for the registration and engagement of climate law and governance practitioners, professionals and specialists, towards meeting the Glasgow Climate Law and Governance Capacity 600 to 6000 Pledge.

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