







#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT DIPLOMACY: INTERNATIONAL DIALOGUE AT THE SERVICE OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HUMANS

## 2nd International Congress on Sustainability Diplomacy

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The development of biodiversity and the awareness of human vulnerability in the context of an unbalanced environment has profoundly modified the dialogue between States. It is no longer just a question of discussing the sharing of natural resources, of defining demarcation lines for marine or land spaces, of bringing into play the responsibility of a State towards another State or of protecting this or that species at the international level. It is a question of finding new ways of international cooperation to anticipate and fight against global changes and their transnational effects. This new geopolitical challenge calls for the necessary cooperation among States because of the environmental interconnections that bind States and make them interdependent. Their actions cannot remain isolated, the new challenges call for coordination in a spirit of solidarity more that of competition. The object of sustainable development diplomacy is bringing together the stakeholders around environmental issues or inviting them to introduce environmental issues into discussions concerning other objects (trade, transport, energy, construction, etc.). This diplomacy must be based on transparency and the desire for shared management of the common good that is the "Earth and earth ecosystems". Sustainable development diplomacy cannot ignore either that such management must involve all the parties, not only the States, more also the NGOs and the citizens and leave them a place in the discussions, in the form of a paradiplomacy whose results must be taken into consideration. It is then up to us to reflect on the different organizational modalities of these forms of diplomacy within the framework of plural negotiations, regulation, conventional mechanisms, even selfmanagement, in order to participate in the construction of a "geo-law" for the protection of the planet and humans.

#### Solemn table

#### TR.1 - 14:00 - 15:10 (France/GMT +2) - Principles of environmental diplomacy

Moderation: Philippe Billet **Marcelo Varella** (UniCEUB) - Diplomacy and sustainability **Silvia Nonna** (Argentina) - Sustainability diplomacy in federal States and Escazu agreement **Philippe Billet** (U. Lyon 3) - Environmental diplomacy and solidarity

## TR.2 -15:10 - 16:20 (France/GMT +2) - Environmental diplomacy and sustainability

Moderation: Clarissa D'Isep

Sandrine Maljean-Dubois (Aix-Marseille Université) - Diplomacy of climate Philippe Orliange - (U. Unib) - Diplomacy and the Sustainable Development Goals 2030 Clarissa D'Isep (PUC-SP) - Diplomacy and water

# TR.3 - 16:20 - 17:40 (France/GMT +2) - Environmental diplomacy and ecosystems and associated services

Moderation: Alexandra Aragão Alexandra Aragão (U. Coimbra) - Diplomacy and technology for monitoring ecosystem services Ana Flávia Barros (UnB) - Diplomacy and ecosystem services Edgar Fernandez (Costa Rica) - Planetary diplomacy Gustavo Hernandez (Cuba) - Constitution, environmental diplomacy and public policies for sustainable development in the Caribbean

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