

Meet the Students

Hiba Hassan Fatima – South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation



Hailing from Karachi, Pakistan, Hiba is a second-year law student at the Lahore University of

Management Sciences. Her interests in political science, feminism, and human rights shape her academic concentration.

Phyllis Kasyoka – African Union



I believe in the duty placed upon people to continuously reshape society into an equitable, fair, and just

arena for all who live in it. I have hence grown to respect the power of law to occasion this needed transformation. Law has offered, for centuries, the best avenue through which injustices and inequities are weeded out and the disenfranchised are empowered to hold out their own. Unfortunately, it has also been used to disenfranchise. To use it for the former is my life's goal, hence, my study of it.

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Matija Kajić – European Union

Matija Kajić is a masters Student at Utrecht University pursuing a Legal Research degree, alongside her work as



a student assistant at RENFORCE, the Utrecht Centre for Regulation and Enforcement. Driven by the reciprocity between the fields of law and politics, interested in emerging climate change studies, and sustainable development technologies, as well as the policy implications which accompany them. Further driven by a passion for languages, the arts and world culture, which stems from the experience of being an international student from a young age.

Nathália Montemagni Pires – Organization of American States



I am in the last year of the Law School of the University of São Paulo - USP, and since the first year I have been studying environmental law and indigenous rights. During the course, I had the opportunity to participate in two research groups focused on environmental law, “Oficina de Direito Ambiental” and “Clínica de Direito

Ambiental Paulo Nogueira Neto”, and also in a university legal advisory group for traditional communities, “SAJU Tuíra”.

Tāwhiao McMaster – Alliance of Small Island States



Kia Ora, I am descendant of two rivers in Aotearoa/New Zealand. The Waikato river of Taniwharau (hundred dragons) and the Whanganui river that comes from the mountains to sea; which in 2017 through the Te Awa Tupua Act, is a river that is recognized as a legal person.

Miranda Steed – Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development



Miranda Steed is a second-year law student pursuing her juris doctor degree at the William S. Richardson School of Law, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. Her interests include international environmental law and international human rights law.

She is particularly interested in the intersection between the two fields. Before attending law school, Miranda earned her bachelor's degree in international studies and French.