Using Environmental Law Tools Address Global Pandemics in the Americas

The interfaces of the natural evolution of the COVID-19 pandemic will be the starting point of this third webinar of the WCEL series that will focus on factors related to enforcement of environmental law that have influenced this evolution and on how environmental law can also be a prevention tool. The need for sustainability and effective implementation of wildlife trade legislation to achieve integral and healthy ecosystems will be discussed. Scenarios and responses from the region will be analyzed within the framework of the environmental rule of law. The webinar will be in Spanish.

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Wildlife Trafficking and the Pandemic, Ideas to Rethink our Relationship with Nature
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Environmental Rule of Law: Perspectives and Responses
Ricardo Lorenzetti
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On the Pathway to Green Reconstruction: Policy Tools to Avert the Next Pandemic
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