

MIT OpenCourseWare
<http://ocw.mit.edu>

17.441 / 17.442 International Politics and Climate Change
Fall 2007

For information about citing these materials or our Terms of Use, visit: <http://ocw.mit.edu/terms>.

17.441/17.442
Final Exam – Take Home
Fall 2007

General Instructions

- Please answer the required question in section (A) below, and one question in section (B).
- Please be sure to note references as you draw on reading or on lectures. At least 3 different sources should be consulted per question (including class discussion). Identify the author, date, and page as relevant. You can use other sources if you wish, but in addition to, not instead of, the course materials.
- Please write as little or as much as you deem useful in order to: (a) convey your points and (b) meet the above reference requirements.

Date Due – No later than 4 days after SES #11

A. Required question:

Please write an essay on the evolution of international environmental law, addressing its evolution, concerns, and issues of current salience.

B. Select one of the two questions below:

1. Please write an essay on the connections between domestic politics and international politics in the course of addressing the challenges posed by climate change. In so doing, please provide specific examples as relevant.
2. Please compare and contrast the Convention on Biological diversity and the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change with respect to issues, actors, interests, science and technology, and institutional aspects.