

Semester:	2		
Course Code:	ENCM 12752		
Course Name:	Sustainability, Social Responsibility and Environmental Management		
Credit Value:	2		
Status:	Compulsory		
Pre-requisites:	None		
Co-requisites:	None		
Hourly Breakdown:	Theory	Practical	Independent Learning
	30	-	70
Intended Learning Outcomes:			
After completion of this course unit, the student will be able to;			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. describe the relationships between societal views and the environment, 2. explain the contributions of sociological approaches to sustainable development, 3. introduce approaches of economics for environmental management, 4. explain the principles and tools of corporate social responsibility in environmental management, 5. explain the importance of environmental management, and 6. describe the concepts of sustainability and their contemporary significance. 			
Course Content:			
Introduction to environment, society and sustainability, introduction to environmental sociology, the social construction of nature, influence of beliefs, values and worldviews on environmental perceptions and management. Deforestation, environmental pollution, intensification of the use of natural resources. Importance of environmental management and principles of environmental management.			
Concept of sustainability, history and principles of sustainable development, economist's view on the environment, introduction to applications of economist's view of the environment, political economy of the environment. Environmentalism and environmental movements, social enterprises, ethics in environmental management.			
Corporate social responsibility (CSR), CSR and environmental reporting initiatives, CSR vs integrating environment into core business, case studies on CSR, Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), national context relating to SDGs and their measurement, environmental and social safeguards as applied by multilateral agencies and donors.			
Teaching /Learning Methods:			
A combination of interactive teaching sessions, computer based learning, self-studies, field based assignments and small group discussions.			
Assessment Strategy:			
Continuous assessment and end of semester examination. Percentage given for each sub-component indicates the percent contribution to the final marks.			
Continuous Assessment 30 %		Final Assessment 70 %	
Details:		Theory	Practical
Quizzes	5	70	-
Assignments	25		Other
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Recommended Readings:

1. Camilleri, M.A. (2017). Corporate Sustainability, Social Responsibility and Environmental Management: An introduction to Theory and Practice with case studies, Springer.
2. Harper, C. L. and Snowden, M. (2017). Environment and Society: Human Perspectives on Environmental Issues, Sixth edition. Routledge, New York.
3. Keen, M., Brown, V.A. and Dyball, R. (Ed) (2005). Social Learning in Environmental Management: towards a sustainable future, Earthscan, London.
4. Our Common Future. (1987). World Commission on Environment and Development. Oxford University Press. Oxford
5. Vanclay, F., and Esteves, A. M., (2015). Social Impact Assessment: Assessing and managing the social impacts assessment in projects, IAIA – International Association of Impact Assessment.