

Mahla Pearlman ORATION 2016

and presentation of the

2015-16 Mahla Pearlman AUSTRALIAN YOUNG ENVIRONMENTAL LAWYER of the Year Award



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The Oration title is

*“Addressing Climate Injustice: Human Rights
and Climate Change in the Courts”*

Professor Jacqueline Peel, University of Melbourne,
will deliver this prestigious Oration in 2016.

The Honourable Justice Rachel Pepper of the Land and Environment
Court of New South Wales will chair the event.

The **Mahla Pearlman Oration and Award** honours the memory
of the late Honourable Mahla Pearlman AO, the former Chief
Judge of the Land and Environment Court of New South Wales
(1992–2003), and former President of the Law Council of
Australia (1989–90). The annual event is a tribute to Chief Judge
Pearlman’s achievements and inspiration to younger generations of
environmental lawyers.

The Legal Practice Section of the Law Council of Australia and the Environment and
Planning Law Association (NSW) Inc co-host the commemorative Oration.

The Mahla Pearlman Australian Young Environmental Lawyer of the Year Award is
presented at the Oration to a young lawyer who has made a significant contribution
to environmental law.

The Award is conferred annually by the Australian Environment and Planning
Law Group of the Law Council’s Legal Practice Section.

Thursday 10 March 2016

5pm – 7pm, including drinks
and nibbles provided by
EPLA (NSW)

Commonwealth Law Courts
Building
Queens Square, Sydney

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encouraged to attend
this free event.*



Professor Jacqueline Peel has taught at the University of Melbourne’s Law School for the past 14 years. Professor Peel has published widely in her areas of expertise including six books: *The Precautionary Principle in Practice*, *Environmental Law: Scientific, Policy and Regulatory Dimensions* (with L. Godden); *Science and Risk Regulation in International Law*; *Principles of International Environmental Law* (3rd ed, with P. Sands); *Australian Climate Law in Global Context* (with A. Zahar and L. Godden) and *Climate Change Litigation: Regulatory Pathways to a Cleaner Energy Future* (with H. Osofsky). During 2013–15 Professor Peel was a Visiting Scholar with the Stanford Water in the West program working on topics related to climate change adaptation governance and law reform. She is also one of the current elected co-chairs of the International Environmental Law Interest Group of the American Society of International Law. Professor Peel is also a member of the Australian Panel of Experts on Environmental Law.

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