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THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY  
UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY, CANADA

THE INSTITUTE FOR OIL, GAS,  
ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND  
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT,  
NIGERIA (OGEES INSTITUTE)

# SUMMER INSTITUTE ON EXTRACTIVE RESOURCE GOVERNANCE

*A Capacity and Policy Development Training for Policy Leaders in the Oil, Gas, Mining,  
Quarrying, Dredging and Extraction Industries*

## OVERVIEW OF THE COURSE:

The School of Public Policy, University of Calgary, Canada, in conjunction with the Institute for Oil, Gas, Energy, Environment and Sustainable Development (OGEES Institute), Afe Babalola University, Nigeria present a three-day Summer Course on extractive governance and resource management. The aim of the course is to promote a close examination of the policy, legal and institutional imperatives for investments in Africa's extractive sector.

In an attempt to diversify economic earnings and to foster a shift from a 100 per cent focus on the oil and gas sector, many African countries have witnessed a significant rise in investments in minerals such as bentonite, marble, coal, diamond, iron ore, kaolin, gypsum, talc, rock salt, bitumen and tar sands. As interesting as these developments are, they raise fresh questions on how prepared African countries are in terms of policy framework, structures and fiscal policies to promote sustainable growth in the extractive sector. To promote sustainable investment, improved governance is a pre-requisite. A robust governance structure would foster and promote sustainable economic growth, poverty reduction, wealth distribution, stakeholder participation and effective social programming.

The University of Calgary, Canada and the OGEES Institute have put together this Summer Course to provide a forum for policy leaders to examine, learn and explore the essential pre-requisites for sustainable extractive governance. It aims to improve the capacity of local, state and national policy leaders on how to develop and adopt sound fiscal governance; legal and institutional framework; and a robust stakeholder consultation policy for the growing extractive industries.

This three-day course will be facilitated by world-class experts and academics from the School of Public Policy, University of Calgary; the OGEES Institute, Nigeria and selected experts and practitioners in the extractive industry. The aim of the Summer Course is to create an intellectual marketplace where scholars, business leaders, policy makers, and the public at large, can gather to discuss, debate, explore, apply and research key themes in sustainable extractive governance that are cross cutting to their areas of activities and influence.

At the end of the Summer Course, participants will be awarded an Advanced Certificate in Extractive Resource Governance.

## SCOPE OF THE COURSE:

- » Promoting Economic Growth through Royalties and Taxes
- » Balancing Fiscal Incentives, Tax Holidays and Subsidies
- » Promoting Sustainable Foreign Investments
- » Legal and Institutional Requirements for Sustainable Mining in Africa
- » The Importance of Public Private Partnership in Extractive Investments
- » Responsibility to Protect (R2P) and Extractive Investments
- » Balancing Environmental and Economic Goals: The Role of Law and Policy
- » Understanding Stakeholder Engagement and Corporate Social Responsibility
- » Rule of Law, Accountability and Transparency in the Extractive Sector
- » Conflict Management and Dispute Resolution: The Role of Courts, Tribunals and Specialized Bodies in Facilitating dispute resolution



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## ► FIVE REASONS TO ATTEND:

- » Develop a solid understanding of the law, policy and fiscal issues in extractive governance
- » Gain practical learning experience through interactive, discussion-based sessions
- » Acquire updated knowledge on best regulatory practices in the extractive industry
- » Network with international faculty, leaders and stakeholders in the extractive industry
- » Enjoy the attractive side events, ambiance and the comparative learning opportunities provided by the oil rich province of Alberta in Canada

## ► WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- » Legislators, policy makers, and industry regulators
- » Chairmen/Chairpersons and members of the Resources, Mining and Extraction Committees of the Senate, House of Representatives; State Parliaments and House of Assemblies
- » Senior Civil Servants in key ministries and parastatals
- » Officials of Regulatory and Fiscal Authorities such as the Central Bank; Securities and Exchange Commission; Federal Inland Revenue Service; Office of the Auditor General, Office of the Accountant General, Corporate Affairs Commission; Extractive Industry Transparency Institutions such as the NEITI, EFCC, DMO, ICPC, Infrastructure Concession Regulatory Commission, Revenue Mobilization, Allocation And Fiscal Commission, Bureau For Public Procurement, National Bureau Of Statistics
- » Executives of banking and other financial institutions
- » Professional And Industrial Unions in the Extractive and Resource Industry Such As NUPENG, PENGASSAN, MOMAN, IPMAN, DAPPMA, JEPTFON, etc
- » Executive Officers of companies, law firms, accounting firms, service providers and other extractive industry personnel
- » Community leaders and other stakeholders in the mining and extractive industry
- » University Professors, Researchers and Head of think tanks
- » Officers, Judges and Presidents of Specialized Judicial Courts and Institutes

## FACILITATORS

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## SIDE EVENTS

Opportunities to participate in the Global Petroleum Show and Exhibition, Calgary

Interactive visits to key ministries in Alberta and the Alberta Courts

Visits to the Stampede Park, and the Banff National Park

## Registration

The Seminar fee per participant is **US\$3,500**. This covers tuition, course materials, and continental breakfast.

**Places will be limited so please book early to be sure of a space.**

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