



**Next Generation Compliance in Asia**  
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[Next Generation Compliance](#) is an integrated strategy that incorporates technological and social innovations with regulatory structures to increase transparency and improve compliance with environmental law. Every nation has limited resources that must be effectively used to foster greater compliance with the law and improved protection for people and the environment. More efficient techniques such as prioritizing high risk threats through regulations, incentive programs to motivate compliance, and advanced technology for more accurate and less expensive monitoring can help all countries leap forward in the effectiveness of their enforcement efforts.

This is the third in a global series of workshops designed to share the best practices and advancements in Next Generation Compliance. It is especially valuable for environmental enforcement in Asia, a region that encompasses countries with varying levels of resources and sophistication, and can provide a range of enforcement options for every nation. The program will provide you with a deeper understanding of the specific strategies of Next Generation Compliance to help you determine how your respective governments can utilize and benefit from these cutting-edge compliance methods. You will learn from colleagues and experts from Asia and beyond on how these “NextGen” ideas are working in their programs and how they could be applied in other national contexts and legal systems.

We are requesting submissions for presentations and volunteers to lead discussions based on your experience and expertise with Next Generation Compliance. The attached draft agenda is meant as a guide, but specific topics may vary based on your responses. Attendees will benefit from your insight into some of the possible techniques that could potentially be adopted by their countries. Below are some suggested topics:

- Advanced technology used for pollution monitoring and to detect violations (e.g., sensors, drones, satellites, etc.).
- Information analysis and reporting tools that improve the use of environmental monitoring and compliance data and increase transparency and oversight.
- Regulatory programs that increase efficiency and save resources (e.g., building compliance into requirements so they are easier to implement and enforce).
- Innovative enforcement responses to achieve more widespread compliance.
- Effective collaborations between the public and private sector in achieving next generation compliance goals.
- Successful case studies of using next generation compliance methods.

For more information on Next Generation Compliance at the US EPA, please go to <http://www2.epa.gov/compliance/next-generation-compliance>, and to see what is happening in the other countries, including the results from the conferences in Washington, DC, and Rotterdam, The Netherlands, go to the International Network for Environmental Compliance and Enforcement: <http://inece.org/topics/next-gen-compliance/>.

This conference will provide an invaluable opportunity to meet fellow environmental enforcement officials, and to learn about the latest developments in environmental compliance and enforcement.

We hope that this conference will equip all of the attendees with the knowledge to pursue and develop next generation compliance techniques in each of your country’s environmental enforcement and compliance frameworks.