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INTRODUCTION & OVERVIEW

The Centre Annual Review (CAR) is an Academic Peer Review published by the Centre for Energy, Petroleum and Mineral Law and Policy (CEPMLP). This publication features in-depth research conducted by recent graduates while spending a year immersed in CEPMLP's world-renowned program earning a masters degree in either law, economy or management. The articles featured here are based on research papers which first received a grade of A-5. These research papers were then subject to peer-review prior to publication.

This year marks the 19th edition of CAR. For the past twenty-three years, that CAR has been published; it has been a source of knowledge for students and professionals alike. This year twenty-five (25) recent graduates from CEPMLP have collectively contributed forty-eight (48) research papers to CAR. The analysis found within these papers provide current and well-researched reviews of many important topics and reflects the changes that are occurring within the energy and mining industry.

Of these forty-eight (48) research papers, twenty (20) have general applicability throughout the energy and mining sectors, and twenty-eight (28) involve research that is focused on an individual country or a small number of countries. These countries include Nigeria, Chile, the UK, Namibia, Mongolia, Peru, France, Argentina, Norway, Liberia, Zambia, Mexico, Argentina, Mozambique, Indonesia, South Africa, Ghana, and Brazil.

The research papers have been divided into four (4) sections and seventeen (17) sub-sections. These sections have been structured to allow the reader to easily locate an area of interest and being their exploration of that subject with articles that have general applicability before proceeding to those involving specific countries.

The sections, and subsections, are presented in a way that allows the reader to gain a full understanding of how the various aspects of energy and mining sectors related to one another. Below you will find an overview of the individual sections, and subsections, followed by a Table of Contents which includes links to each research paper.

Taken together, these research papers provide a rich and detailed overview of the energy and mining industry and reflect the multidisciplinary approach that CEPMLP and its graduates are known for. We at the CAR Publication Committee thank the authors who have graciously allowed CEPMLP to publish their work here, in the 19th edition of CAR for the benefit of students, professionals and anyone else looking to gain a deeper understanding of the energy and mining industry.

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