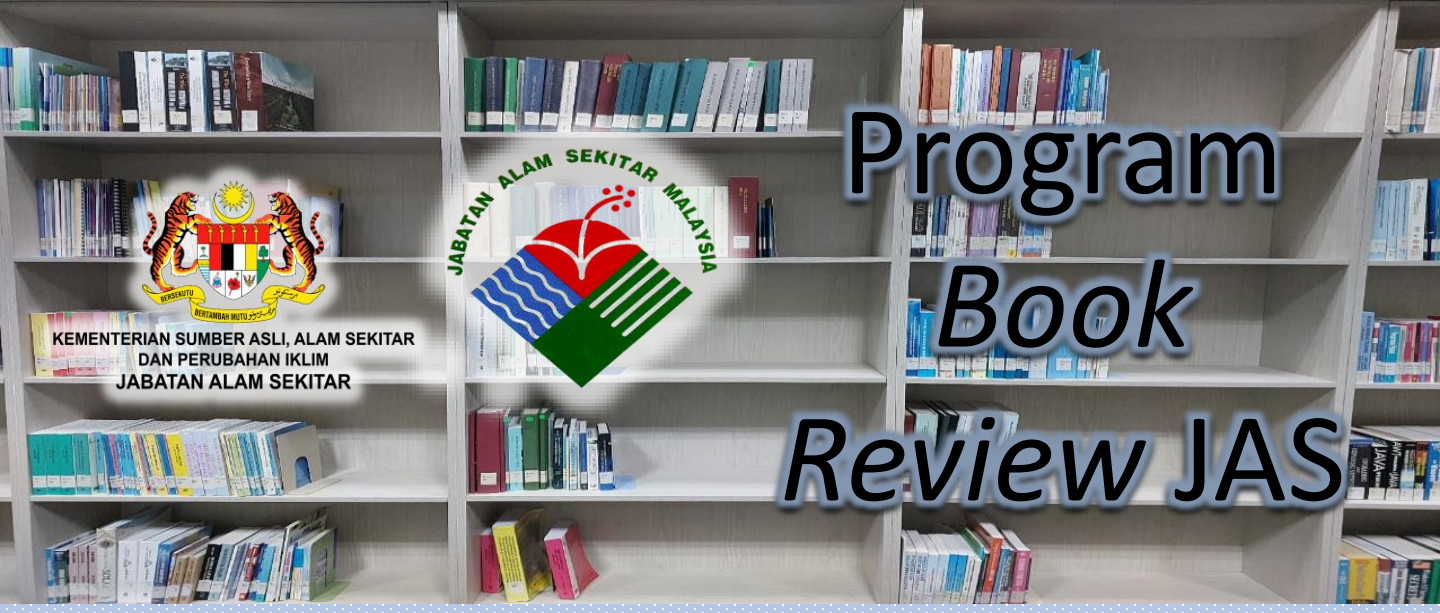

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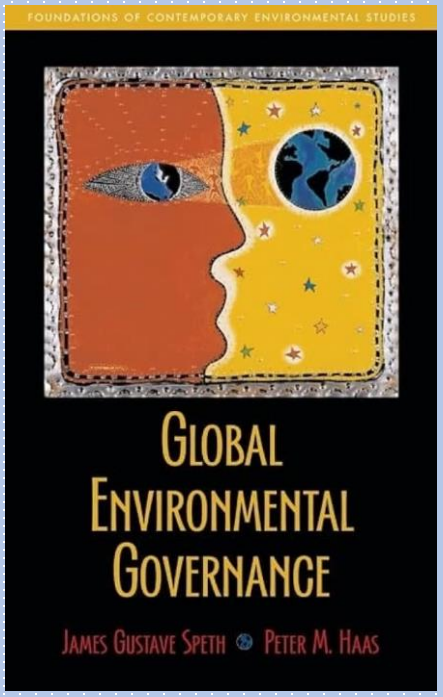

Global Environmental Governance, By **James Gustave Speth** and **Peter M. Haas** vividly portrays major environmental challenges and fundamental components of emerging science and sustainability practice to understand the latest thinking and developments. It also addresses the 10 most threatening global environmental problems that have not yet been successfully addressed 1) acid rain and regional air pollution, 2) ozone depletion,

3) climate disruption, 4) deforestation, 5) land degradation and desertification, 6) freshwater degradation and shortages, 7) marine fisheries decline, 8) toxic pollutants, 9) loss of biological diversity, and 10) excess nitrogen. In addition, the international environmental law and environmental information systems such as GRID (Global Information Resource Database), INFOTERRA; a global system of reference that networks 177 environmental information databases, GEMS (Global Environmental Monitoring Systems); a satellite-based system and IRPTC (International Registry of Potentially Toxic Chemicals) are important to be implemented by related stakeholders. Thus, the synchronization between environmental law, system, capacity building and building national concern will enhance the effectiveness of Environmental Governance.

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