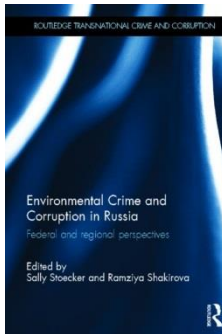


Environmental Crime and Corruption in Russia: Federal and Regional Perspectives

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TraCCC will host the editors of the newly-published *Environmental Crime and Corruption in Russia: Federal and Regional Perspectives*, which offers fresh new insights into environmental challenges in several regions of the Russian Federation. The volume, composed almost entirely of TraCCC-commissioned research in Russia, examines diverse, global problems such as the protection and disposal of nuclear waste and the impact of air and water pollution on the incidence of chronic disease.

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