

Interdisciplinary Water Resources Seminar GRAD592

Mondays 4:00 – 5:00 PM,
BSB Room 103

Fall 2016 Theme: *Topics in Western Water Law*

The purpose of the 2016 Interdisciplinary Water Resources Seminar (GRAD592) is to expose students to the various topics of western water law.

Specifically, the seminar will:

1. Discuss topics including: history and evolution of western water law, state compacts and federal water law, hybrid water law systems, water quality law, groundwater law, and environmental law
2. Provide in-depth discussion about water-related court cases
3. Provide students with the opportunity to interact with prominent water professionals

Students interested in taking the one-credit seminar should sign up for GRAD592, Water Resources Seminar, CRN 74006. The seminar will be held at 4:00pm Monday afternoons in **BSB Room 103**. (Students who have enrolled in GRAD592 in the past may also enroll for this offering.)

Seminar Organizers: Ryan Bailey, Troy Bauder, Pete Taylor, and Reagan Waskom.

Aug 22	Introductions and course overview
Aug 29	Justice Gregory Hobbs, <i>History and evolution of western water law</i>
Sept 5	No Class, <i>Labor Day</i>
Sept 12	Doug Sinor, <i>How water law is made today: statutes, case law, rule making, and the constitution</i>
Sept 19	Justice Gregory Hobbs, <i>Key Colorado court cases and statutes</i>
Sept 26	David Robbins, <i>Compacts and federal law</i>
Oct 3	Anne Castle, <i>Law of the River</i>
Oct 10	Andy Jones, <i>Groundwater law</i>
Oct 17	Trisha Oeth, <i>Water quality law</i>
Oct 24	Linda Bassi, <i>Instream flow law</i>
Oct 31	Dan Brown, <i>Water courts and the court process</i>
Nov 7	Larry MacDonnell, <i>Hybrid water law systems and evolving models of surface and ground water administration</i>
Nov 14	Amy Beatie, <i>Water transactions</i>
Nov 21	No Class, <i>Fall Break</i>
Nov 28	Dick Wolfe, <i>Water law administration and management</i>
Dec 5	Class discussion, semester assignment due (attendance required)

All interested faculty, students, and off-campus guests are encouraged to attend.

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