



CSS 235 -- Fall 2013 Review for Exam One

- Review the main discoveries revealed in the article “1491” by Mann
- For Leopold, concentrate on “A Land Ethic,” not “Thinking like a mountain.”
- Review “Wild Horses and the Political Ecology...” by Rikoon
- What was the point of Giono’s “The Man Who Planted Trees?”
- How do the social sciences contribute to natural resource management and what are some of the approaches or research methods used by the social sciences as described by Haider and Morford?
- What did Brick and Weber say about balancing ecocentrism and anthropocentrism?
- Review guest speaker Phil Cook’s presentation (including government structure, important laws & policies)
- What are some of the ways we involve the public in decision making?
- What were some of the main points that UI natural resource librarian Jeremy Kenyon made about where and how and why to search for information, particularly scientific information.
- What is plagiarism and how can you avoid it?
- What were some of the main points from the video we watched about Gifford Pinchot and John Muir?
- Who was Aldo Leopold and what were the main points in the reading from him?
- Review why the federal government is involved in providing for public access to natural resource lands for several reasons and a variety of federal agencies and laws have evolved over time to provide this. (Krumpe’s presentation and agency overviews by Vincent)
- Review highlights in America’s long history of creating legislation and bureaucracies to deal with providing public ownership and access to natural resources.
- Why did guest speaker Phil Cook, your instructor, and readings say that the public should be involved in decision making?
- What are some of the basic concepts of collaborative or transactive planning as presented by your instructor? What is appreciative inquiry? How do they differ?
- What are the lessons learned from Burton’s article?