Greetings! This week's lecture presentation from Harvard Hall is now online in streaming audio-video format with synchronized slides. Follow the links below to view the current lecture and assignments.

**Announcements**

**Mid-term**

The course mid-term will be held in class October 31, 2001. As this is Halloween, students have the option to take the exam online, but only if they have registered to do so by November 1st. Please see the information below regarding how to register.

**FORMAT**

Exam Coverage: lectures 2-7 and associated readings.

-25 (2 point) multiple choice questions  
-2 (25 point) essays

**ONLINE MID-TERM**

We are still working on the logistics of the online exam scheduled for 3 time blocks on Nov 2 and Nov 3.

Even if you have already signed up for the online midterm, you will need to sign up starting Monday October 29th for a specified time block.

Deadline to sign-up for exam is **November 1st**.

Students should visit the site, read instructions, test cookies etc., so they don't waste exam time. They need to login with the same HUID # used to view the lectures. The site will be programmed to admit only students who pre-registered during the signup period next week.

**FORMAT**

Exam Coverage: lectures 2-7 and associated readings.

-25 (2 point) multiple choice questions
-2 (25 point) essays (ok to open and use favorite word processor); do not close exam window, if students do they cannot reenter exam.

Exam is 75 minutes long.

Open to all students who DO NOT take campus exam on October 31st, BUT who have registered during the sign-up period.

We will send out more information regarding the online exam and registration process by Monday, Oct 29--please stay tuned.

Review Sessions
Campus Review – Sunday October 28th 1-3 PM Science Center B-09
Online Review – Tuesday October 30th 8 PM Course Chat Room
Students can also email questions via ASK-the-TA.

Urban Arc Tour
Saturday, October 27, 2001, 10:00–12:00pm
or
Sunday, November 18, 2001, 1:30–3:30pm

Please contact Fran Seasholes (617) 969-5927 to make a reservation for this field trip. The price has been reduced to $15.00 for students. This would be a great topic for paper #2. If you are planning to attend this Saturday’s tour, please call as soon as possible.

December 14, 2001
Students are invited to attend the American Meteorological Society’s Holiday Party. It will take place at 45 Beacon Street.

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Boston Harbor Cleanup
James Shine, PhD
Assistant Professor of Aquatic Chemistry
Harvard School of Public Health

This presentation will discuss recent efforts to address pollution problems in Boston Harbor, once known as the most polluted urban harbor in the United States. The presentation will focus on the recent diversion of sewage effluent from an outfall in Boston Harbor to a location 15 kilometers offshore in Massachusetts Bay. We will discuss the history of contamination in Boston Harbor, including regulatory aspects leading to a 1984 citizen's Class Action Lawsuit, the 1985 formation of the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA), and a court-ordered mandate to address the pollution problems. The lecture will highlight differences in Boston Harbor and Massachusetts Bay ecosystems that may alter the fate and effects of sewage, and will highlight the large monitoring effort undertaken by the MWRA to insure that Massachusetts Bay is not harmed by relocation of the sewage outfall.
Video Lecture, Assignments, and Readings for Week 07
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/week07em1.html

Weekly Feedback Assignment (All Students)
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/distance-students/feedback-frameset.html

Passwords
Passwords are required to access streaming audio-video lecture presentations.

Registered Harvard students of Environmental Management are authorized to view the materials during the current semester. After selecting the appropriate video link, a popup window (see above) will prompt you to enter a user name and password.

Help with Passwords
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/passwords.html

Upcoming Lecture
November 7, 2001
"Land Reclamation in Rural India"
Marcella D'Souza

Required Software for Viewing Lectures and Assignments
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Internet Explorer (5.5):
http://www.microsoft.com/windows/ie/
Realplayer 8 (Basic):
http://www.real.com/player/index.html
Adobe Acrobat Reader:

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Key Links
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General Help Information
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/HelpResources.html

Personalized Help via Email from Teaching Assistant
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/E126ask-the-TA.html

Help with Passwords
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/passwords.html

Syllabus
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/EM1-2001.PDF

Current Week's Lecture
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/week07em1.html

Upcoming Lectures (Video Index)
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/extension/environment/video-lectures.html

Website Home Page for Environmental Management I
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/environment
Environment News:

THE HARVARD ENVIRONMENT NETWORK BULLETIN
Volume 13, Issue 6, October 19, 2001
(Posted: October 19, 2001)

EVENTS
A weekly calendar of environmental events for the greater Boston community.
http://environment.harvard.edu/lists/archives/hen%2Dl/msg00289.html

SEMINARS
A guide to environmental research, education and outreach at Harvard University
http://environment.harvard.edu/envath/seminars.html

CONFERENCES
An electronic mail discussion list for environmental event, conference, and
publication opportunity announcements.
http://environment.harvard.edu/lists/archives/envconfs%2Dl/index.html

JOB OPPORTUNITIES
An electronic mail discussion list for environmental job and educational
opportunity announcements
http://environment.harvard.edu/lists/archives/envjobs%2Dl/index.html

More Info is Available on the Course Website (Home Page)
http://lab.dce.harvard.edu/environment

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Harvard Extension School Distance Education Program

COURSE NEWSLETTER FOR ENVR E-101 CRN-11925
Environmental Management I
John D. Spengler, Ph.D. and George D. Buckley

Classes meet at Harvard Wednesdays 7:35pm--9:30pm
Harvard Hall 104 - Harvard Yard
Streaming Media Presentation online by the next Monday

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[NOTE: Environmental Management uses the List Server designated 'NSCIE126' for both
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