

Environmental Justice

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First Assignment:

Course Materials:

This course will be organized around a law review article entitled, “THE SEVEN DEGREES OF RELEVANCE: WHY SHOULD REAL-WORLD ENVIRONMENTAL ATTORNEYS CARE NOW ABOUT SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT POLICY” by Professor J.B. Ruhl (8 Duke Envtl. L. & Pol’y F. 273 (1998)).

The textbook/handbook that will be used is Professor Hill’s: ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE: LEGAL THEORY AND PRACTICE (5th edition) (published by the Environmental Law Institute) (October 2022).

Course Readings:

MODULE 01 – INTRODUCTION

- Constitutional Environmentalism.
- textbook, “Introduction,” pp. 1-23.
- textbook, Chapter 1, “Prologue,” pp. 25-38.
- textbook, Chapter 2, “Environmental Rights Amendments,” pp. 84-108, and 119-124.