

**Public Lands Law and Policy**  
**NRM 204, 3 Credits**  
**Spring Semester 2009**  
**Arctic Health, Room 183**  
**Tuesday & Thursday, 2:00-3:30**

**Syllabus**

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If you have a physical or learning disability, please advise me in writing of any special consideration necessary by the beginning of the second class. I will do everything possible to accommodate you in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

This class covers the major laws and policies governing the management of public lands.

## **Class Schedule**

### **Thursday January 22**

1. Course Introduction  
The Philosophy of Public Land
  - Thinking about natural resources [Wilkinson preface and 1-27]
  - Wise Use v. Preservation (Pinchot v. Muir) [Reading packet 1-15]

### **Tuesday January 27- Thursday January 29**

2. The National Forests
  - Organic Act and Multiple Use Sustained Yield Act (MUSY) [Reading packet 19-27; Wilkinson 120-142]

**Tuesday March 17- Thursday March 19**  
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## **Course Requirements and Grading:**

### Textbooks:

There is a required reading packet which I will hand out in class, and a text book that you must purchase at the campus book store. The text is