

GES 400 H Schedule as of 10/09/08

Note: this schedule may change over the course of the semester.

Date	Overview of class	Presenter	Due
8/27/2008	Intro to course; Intro to process	Stacy Langsdale, SVP USACE	
9/3/2008	Case studies: Potomac River Basin and Lake Ontario	Mark Lorie, Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin	PostAssignment 1 PreAssignment 1
9/8/2008	Introduction to the Delaware River Basin Case Study	Megan Rivera, HydroLogics	PreAssignment 2
9/10/2008	Introduction to Performance Measures	Megan Rivera, HydroLogics	PostAssignment 2
9/15/2008	Basics of reservoir operations/Water Supply/Flood control	Megan Rivera and Dan Sheer, HydroLogics	
9/17/2008	Environmental issues in the Delaware River Basin	Ken Wagner, ENSR	PostAssignment 3
9/22/2008	Introduction to groundwater; group meetings	Megan Rivera, HydroLogics	PreAssignment 3
9/24/2008	Economic issues in river basins (geared toward recreational interests)	John Boland, JHU	
9/29/2008	group work and meetings		
10/1/2008	Legal issues in river basins	Lewis Jones, King and Spalding	PreAssignment 4 PM report due Friday 10/3 by 5PM
10/6/2008	Legal issues in the DRB	Pam Bush, DRBC	
10/8/2008	Group meetings		If you did not have an adequate PM in the draft report, please post updated report by 5 PM Friday
10/13/2008	PERFORMANCE MEASURE MEETING		
10/15/2008	Introduction to OASIS	Megan Rivera, HydroLogics	
10/20/2008	Practice using OASIS	Megan Rivera, HydroLogics	
10/22/2008	Finish exercise 0 and Start Modification 1	Megan Rivera, HydroLogics	Revised PM report due
10/27/2008	Do Modification 4 & 3 (if time)		Finished Modifications 1 & 2

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			(in groups or individually)
10/29/2008	Intro to Ip Begin coding your ideas	Dean Randall, HydroLogics	PreAssignment 5—submit an idea for an operational change
11/3/2008	Work in groups to code new ideas	Sam Lebherz, UMBC	Post-Assignment 4 due—write-up for Modifications 1-4; also submit the .1v and plot files for Modification 4.
11/5/2008	Overview of other modeling tools; opportunity to amend performance measures	Megan Rivera, HydroLogics; Stacy Langsdale, SVP USACE	
11/10/2008	Applying principles of negotiation from <i>Getting to Yes</i> to our upcoming CAN process	Megan Rivera, HydroLogics	
11/12/2008	principles of negotiation and public participation theory	Linda Manning, SRA International	Memo to Governor (results of a possible alternative with explanation)
11/17/2008	Work in groups		
11/19/2008	Work in groups		Submit your groups proposed operations (brief explanation with model run)
11/24/2008	Prep for CAN session		PreAssignment 6
11/26/2008	group meetings, examples of other CAN processes	Megan Rivera, Hydrologics	
12/1/2008	CAN Session		PreAssignment 7
12/3/2008	CAN Session		PostAssignment 5
12/8/2008	Assessment surveys; debrief, Q/A, party		Final report due