Syllabus: Introduction to Environmental Law

Week 1: Intro, The Environment and the Courts (Scope of Judicial Power, Standing to Sue and Jurisdiction)
Week 2: Common Law Remedies (Nuisance, Trespass)
Week 3: Land Use I (Zoning, Limits on Development)
Week 4: Land Use II (Critical Areas (Landmarks, Wetlands, Flood Plains), Riparian Rights, Public Trust Doctrine)
Week 5: Land Use III (Takings, Coastal Zone Management), Fish & Wildlife
Week 6: Air Quality I (Stationary Sources)
Week 7: Air Quality II (Mobile Sources)
Week 8: Noise, Water Quality I (Rivers & Harbors Act)
Week 9: Water Quality II (Clean Water Act)
Week 10: Water Quality III (Oil Drilling & Transport), Energy, Solid Waste
Week 11: Hazardous Waste
Week 12: Pesticides, Toxic Torts
Week 13: Environmental Quality Review
Week 14: Electric Generation, International Environmental Law