Introduction to Natural Resources and Environmental Sciences

2nd 8-week course available this fall.

Introduction to natural resources (forests, fisheries, soils, aquatic systems) and environmental science. Emphasizes renewable natural resources, ecological concepts, energy use, biodiversity of species, biogeochemical cycles, and air, water, and soil pollution. Provides natural science basis for understanding contemporary environmental issues and natural resource management. This is an online course taught on Compass with no classroom sessions. However, you must be present for evening exams at 7:00 pm on November 2 and November 16, the final exam date and time to be announced at a later date. Further information at: http://go.illinois.edu/NRES102.

“I enjoyed being able to move at my own pace, and the lecture material was very organized and easy to read.”
—Student in online NRES 102 in Spring 2010

“The course manages to cover a wide variety of topics, effectively, in a short period of time. The instructor also does a good job of explaining the topics through added notes.”
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“I really like the way how the professor put in his own experience into the slides. It makes learning interesting. Also the slides are really easy to study along with the textbook.”
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