

| TEACHING PLAN | | | | | |
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| Bootcamp: Where Environment meets Journalism (December 01 - 15, 2011) | | | | | |
| Date | Session Title | What will be covered | Faculty | Time | |
| 01.12.11 (Thurs.) | Introduction | Registration formalities, introductions. Environment-development challenges in contemporary India | Sharmila Sinha (Prog Officer - Education and Training) & Aditya Batra (Prog Dir- South Asia Prog) | 09:30 am - 11:30 am | |
| | TEA | | | 11:30 am - 11:45 am | |
| | | Environmental Reportage: Global reporting with a village dateline | Richard Mahapatra (Senior Editor, Down to Earth Magazine) | 11:45 am - 1:00 pm | |
| | LUNCH | | | 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm | |
| | Invited speaker | The environment/development debate in contemporary India: Shift to rights and entitlements | Harsh Mander (Member - National Advisory Council, Govt of India) | 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm | |
| | TEA | | | 3:30pm- 3:45pm | |
| Assignment | About assignment: 'Building resilience in the Thar desert' | Aditya Batra | 3:45 pm - 5:30 pm | | |
| MODULE > Overview of the Environment-development debate | | | | | |
| 02.12.11 (Fri.) | Invited speaker | Environmental regulation, accountability, public consultation EIA: A case study in environment governance | Kanchi Kohli (activist, writer, teacher and a member of Kalpvriksh) | 10:00 pm - 11:15 am | |
| | TEA | | | 11:15 am - 11:30 am | |
| | Invited speaker | Agriculture: Knowledge and development debate | Rajeshwari Raina (Scientist, National Institute of Science, Technology & Development Studies (NISTADS - CSIR) | 11:30am - 1:00pm | |
| | LUNCH | | | 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm | |
| | MODULE > Natural resource management | | | | |
| | | Discussion (Web magazine content and design) | Aditya Batra and Sharmila Sinha | 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm | |
| TEA | | | 3:15 pm - 3:30 pm | | |
| Invited speaker | Exploring the gap between policy intent and implementation: Views on rural development | N.C. Saxena (Former Secretary, Planning Commission; Present member, National Advisory Council Govt of India) | 3:30pm - 5:00pm | | |
| 03.12.10 (Sat.) | Overview | State of the resource: Urban & rural water management | Gita Kavarana (Exec Dir - Research & Development) | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm | |
| | TEA | | | 12:00pm - 12:15pm | |
| | Workshop | Create a rural and urban poverty line (based on supplied data) | Richard Mahapatra (Senior Editor, Down to Earth Magazine) | 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm | |
| | LUNCH | | | 1.30 pm - 2.30 pm | |
| | MODULE > Environmental conflicts | | | | |
| Invited speaker | Environment & the legal system | Ritwick Dutta (Environment Lawyer) | 2:30pm - 3:45pm | | |
| 05.12.11 | Invited speaker | Ecological rights & conflicts: People, forest and resources | Shankar Goplakrishnan (Secretary --Campaign for Survival and Dignity, New Delhi) | 11:45 - 1:00pm | |
| | LUNCH | | | 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm | |

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| (Mon.) | Invited speaker | Agriculture Poverty and the Right to Food Debate | Biraj Patnaik (Principal Adviser to the Commissioners of the Supreme Court on Food Campaign) | 2:00pm - 3:15 pm |
| | Field visit 06.12.11 (Tue.) to 10.12.11 (Sat.) | | | |
| 12.12.11 (Mon.) | Day off for group assignment | | | |
| 13.12.11 (Tue.) | Invited speaker | Challenges of covering environment in a corporatized media | Paranjay Guha Thakurta (Writer Journalist and Film maker) | 10:30 pm - 11:45 pm |
| | MODULE > Urban environmental challenges | | | |
| | TEA | | | |
| | Overview | Urban environmental challenges | Anumita Roychowdhury (Executive Director - Research and Advocacy) | 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm |
| | LUNCH | | | |
| | Invited speaker | Public Mobility: Bus Rapid Transit System in Delhi as a case | Sandeep Gandhi (Architect, Transport Research and Injury Prevention Programme, IIT Delhi) | 2:00pm - 3:15pm |
| | TEA | | | |
| 14.12.11 (Wed.) | Invited speaker | Waste - the informal economy - it's people and their sustainability | Bharati Chaturvedi (environmentalist and writer, is the founder and director of Chintan Environmental Research and Action Group) | 10:00 am - 11:30 am |
| | LUNCH | | | |
| | Field visit | Field visit to Yamuna | Sharmila Sinha and water team | 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm |
| MODULE> Climate change and global environmental governance | | | | |
| 15.12.11 (Thurs.) | Overview | The burden sharing conundrum: From mitigation to adaptation | Chandra Bhushan (Deputy Director General, CSE) | 11:30 am – 1:00 pm |
| | TEA | | | |
| | Discussion | Renewable energy options for India and the world | Jonas Hamberg and C Joel Kumar (Research Assistant, Renewable Energy Prog) | 2:00pm - 3:30pm |
| | LUNCH | | | |
| | Feedback | Wrapping up, discussion | Aditya Batra, Sharmila Sinha | 3:00pm onwards |
| Field Trip Details | | | | |
| | DATE | DETAILS | Resource Person | TIME |
| | 5.12.11(Mon) | Delhi to Jodhpur | | Leaving Delhi at 17. 30 |
| | | Proceed to Youth Hostel - Rest & breakfast | | Jodhpur at 4:30am |
| | | Proceed to Grameen Vikas Vigyan Samiti (GRAVIS) Office for Lecture | | 10:00am |

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| 6.12.11 (Tues) | Session 1 - Introduction and Overview - Jodhpur's 'development' - Past, present and future - changing eco system | Dr Prakash Tyagi - Director, GRAVIS | 10:30am - 11:15am |
| | Break | | 11:15am - 11:30am |
| | Industry and Development -How Jodhpur, Pali and Balotra have 'developed' into an economic hub | Dr Mahnot - Director Desert Science School, Jodhpur | 11:30am - 12:15am |
| | Break | | 12:15pm - 12:30pm |
| | Briefing on desert ecosystem: Environment, NRM challenges | Dr Satish Lodha (Principal Scientist, Central Arid Zone Research Institute, Jodhpur) | 12:30pm - 1:15pm |
| | LUNCH | | 1:15 pm - 2:00pm |
| | Visit to Mehrangarh Fort. Walk around the old city | Dr Karni Singh (Director -Mehrangarh Museum Trust) | 2:00pm - 5:00pm |
| Night at Jodhpur | | | |
| 7.12.11 (Wed) | Leave for Salawas (15 km one way) from Youth Hostel | | 8:00am |
| | Visit to Basni, Salawas, and Railway Station Area | Prahlad Singh Bhati (School of Desert Sciences) | 9:00am - 1.00pm |
| | LUNCH | | 1:30pm - 2:30pm |
| | Visit to Khejardli the Bishnoi Village - community led environment movement initiated by women in 1730 AD | | 3:30pm - 5:00 pm |
| Night at Jodhpur | | | |
| 8.12.11(Thurs) | Leave for Gagadi village. Visit a nearby village to see community pasture lands, group wells, ponds etc. (To see: Rainwater harvesting techniques like Taanka, Khadin, village Naadi/pond, Horticulture units and Village resource Centre, etc.). | Rajendra Kumar (GRAVIS,Jodhpur) | 10:00am - 2:00pm |
| | LUNCH | | 2:00pm - 3:00pm |
| | Understanding water security in a desert ecoscape - local visit | | 3:00pm - 6:00pm |
| Night at Jailu Gagadi | | | |
| 9.12.11 (Fri) | Morning interact with villagers living nearby after morning tea | Gagadi - GRAVIS Resource Centre | 7:00am - 9:00am |
| | Breakfast | | 9:00am - 10:00am |
| | Enroute visit villages affected by sandstone mining, visit GRAVIS hospital | Sursagar area - sandstone mining | 10:00am - 2:00pm |
| | LUNCH | | 2:00pm - 3:00pm |
| | Visit to Arid Forest Research Institute. | Discussion with Dr Rathor (Director -- Arid Forest Research Institute) | 3:00pm- 4:30pm |
| | Leave for Jodhpur. Dinner at Jodhpur. Proceed for Railway Station. Jodhpur to Delhi | | |
| 10.12.11 (Sat) | Reach Delhi. Day off. | | |

