

**SYLLABUS**

UNIVERSITY OF DENVER STURM COLLEGE OF LAW  
 Oil and Gas Law  
 Fall Semester 2009  
 Room 255

Professor: Kendor P. Jones  
 Units: Three (3)  
 Time: M & W 4:15 p.m.-5:30 p.m.

**SCHEDULE OF READING ASSIGNMENTS**

- I. Lowe, Anderson, Smith and Pierce, Oil and Gas Law (5th Ed. 2008)  
 II. Selected oil and gas cases and materials

<b><u>Date</u></b>			<b><u>Pages</u></b>
August 17	-----	Movie: <u>The Prize</u>	1-9
August 19	Chapter 1	Introduction: Ownership	20-50
August 24	Chapter 1	Ownership (cont'd)	50-98
August 26	Chapter 1; Chapter 2	Ownership (cont'd); Conservation	98-113 131-149
August 31	Chapter 2	Conservation (cont'd)	149-172
September 2	Chapter 2	Conservation (cont'd)	212-242
September 7		LABOR DAY	No Class
September 9	Lecture	Tom McKee: "Title Opinions"	Handout
September 14	Chapter 3	The Lease	306-331; 336-352
September 16	Chapter 3	The Lease (cont'd)	361-393
September 21	Chapter 3	The Lease (cont'd)	393-432
September 23	Chapter 3	The Lease (cont'd)	432-465

September 28	Chapter 3	The Lease (cont'd)	465-480
September 30	Lecture	Brian Tooley: "Royalty Litigation"	Handout
October 5	Chapter 3	The Lease (cont'd)	480-528
October 7	Chapter 4	Titles and Conveyances	529-572
October 12	Chapter 4	Titles and Conveyances (cont'd)	572-611
October 14	Chapter 4	Titles and Conveyances (cont'd)	611-634
October 19	Chapter 4	Titles and Conveyances (cont'd)	634-668
October 21	Chapter 4	Titles and Conveyances (cont'd)	668-696
October 26	Chapter 4	Titles and Conveyances (cont'd)	696-722
October 28	Chapter 5	Contracts and Transfers	723-758; 766-783
November 2	Chapter 5	Contracts and Transfers (cont'd)	784-798
November 4	Chapter 5	Contracts and Transfers (cont'd)	798-813
November 9	Lecture	Steve Bain: "International Oil and Gas Law"	Handout
November 11	Chapter 6	Federal Lands	833-866
November 16	Chapter 6	Federal Lands (cont'd); Review	866-906
November 18		Review (cont'd)	No Assignment
December 4		<b>FINAL EXAM</b>	

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