

GRG 339K: Environment, Development, and Food Production

Spring 2016 Schedule (subject to change)

January	20	W	Pressing Received Wisdom
	22	F	Andean Agriculture: An Example
	25	M	Antecedents
	27	W	Mutation and Hybridization
	29	F	Domestication Processes
February	1	M	Dump Heaps
	3	W	Horticulture and Gardening
	5	F	Automatic Selection
	8	M	Deliberate Selection
	10	W	Sexual Translocation Theory, etc.
	12	F	Diffusion
	15	M	Exam 1
	17	W	Slash and Burn Shifting Cultivation
	19	F	Technological Change: Land and Labor
	22	M	Technological Change: Labor and Tools
	24	W	Dynamic Land Use and Labor Productivity
	26	F	Diminishing Returns
	29	M	Investments
March	2	W	Spatial Dimensions of Economic Rent
	4	F	Raised Fields and Draining Wetlands
	7	M	Raised Fields: Other Functions
	9	W	<i>The Secret of El Dorado</i>
	11	F	Reality Check: no class meeting
	14-18	M-F	SPRING BREAK
	21	M	Reality Check: no class meeting
	23	W	Wet Rice: Ecology
	25	F	Wet Rice: Water Control and Land Use
	28	M	Exam 2
	30	W	Professional Conference: no class meeting
April	1	F	Professional Conference: no class meeting
	4	M	Taro Cultivation
	6	W	Building Taro Terraces
	8	F	<i>The Harvest of Fear</i>
	11	M	Terracing: Forms and Functions
	13	W	Terracing: Variations on a Theme
	15	F	Erosion and Reclamation

	18	M	Soil Moisture Retention
	20	W	Springs, Qanats, and Norias
	22	F	Utilizing Runoff
	25	M	Canal Irrigation
	27	W	Aqueducts and Siphons
	29	F	Irrigated Fields and Water Distribution
May	2	M	<i>Hope in a Changing Climate</i>
	4	W	Overview
	6	F	make-up (if needed)
	14	Sa	Exam 3 9am-noon, CLA 0.102

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