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Ninth Annual Red Clay Conference

April 4 - 5, 1997

You have reached the web page for the Ninth Annual Red Clay Conference, hosted by the University of Georgia Environmental Law Association and sponsored by the Georgia Environmental Policy Institute and the Turner Foundation.

The Red Clay Conference is an annual event planned and sponsored by the Environmental Law Association (ELA) in which various speakers and panelists present issues pertaining to environmental law. This year, the theme of the conference is "Earth, Air, and Water." We will be taking a look at topical issues relating to clean air and clean water, such as the proposed EPA ozone and pm standards, and recent developments regarding water pollution, the Clean Water Act, the city of Atlanta, and the Georgia Environmental Protection Division. Additional topics include Etowah River basin protection, the Mall of Georgia plans and impacts, business, politics, and current legislation.

Our opening keynote lecturer will be Prof. Carol Rose, the Fred A. Johnston Professor of Property and Environmental Law at Yale University.

Saturday morning, the opening keynote will be presented by Dr. Jim Porter of the University of Georgia Institute of Ecology. In "Connected Ecosystems: Disconnected Policies," Dr. Porter will discuss environmental regulation, focusing on ecosystem management in the Florida Everglades.

Panelists include Doug Haines of the Center for Law and the Public Interest, representatives from the Department of Natural Resources, and Georgia State Senator Steven Langford (29th district).

Environmental attorneys practicing in Georgia are invited and will be able to receive CLE credits for their attendance at the conference. 5 CLE hours are anticipated.

We are continually updating this site. Please check back frequently. A final schedule of events will be available soon.

Friday, April 4th

- 12:30 Registration
- 1:00 86th Sibley Lecture. Professor Carol Rose, Yale School of Law.* The Sibley Lecture honors the late John A. Sibley and attracts outstanding legal scholars of national prominence to the law school. Prof. Rose writes extensively on property and environmental law.
- 3:30 Panels:
 - Regulating Our Air*
 - Citizen Suits for Clean Water*
 - Environmental Ethics*
- 5:30 Sibley/Red Clay Reception

Saturday, April 5th

- 8:30 Registration and Complimentary Breakfast
- 9:30 Dr. James Porter, UGA Professor of Ecology "Connected Ecosystems: Disconnected Policies"
- 11:00 Panels:

- Green Politics on Red Clay*
- Mall Sprawl
- Georgia Rivers Network
- $\circ\,$ Innovative Technologies
- 12:15 Lunch (\$6); speaker Rick Parrish, Southern Environmental Law Center
- 1:45 Panels:
 - $\circ\,$ Chattahoochee and the Other Georgia*
 - $\circ\,$ Coastal Zone Management*
 - Georgia Rivers Network
- 3:15 Panels:
 - Eco-Business
 - Changes: Etowah River Basin
 - Georgia Rivers Network
- * denotes CLE session

We have just published the first edition of our newsletter, GREEN TIMES, and it is available <u>on-line</u>.

At this time, you may <u>register for the Conference on-line</u>. Prices are \$2 for students and professors, \$5 for general public, and \$60 for attorneys wishing CLE credit.

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