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- The shifting sands of property rights, federal railroad grants, and economic history: *Hask v. United States and the threat to rail-trail conversions.* (Winter 2008)
- Justice Kennedy and ecosystem services: a functional approach to Clean Water Act jurisdiction after *Rapanos*. (Winter 2008)
- Catch me if you can - the misapplication of the federal statute of limitations to Clean Air Act PSD permit program violations. (Winter 2008).



International Journal of Ecology & Development

- Performance of a submerged reef—a physical model study. (Fall 2008).
- The shifting sands of property rights, federal railroad grants, and economic history: *Hask v. United States and the threat to rail-trail conversions.* (Fall 2008).
- Model studies on horizontal and vertical floating pipe breakwater with live layers. (Fall 2008).

Customizable Journals and News



Journal of International Wildlife Law & Policy

- Relating the ecological and legal frameworks for nature conservation in Europe. (Jan-March 2009)
- Successful conservation—then what? The de-listing of *Arctocephalus* for seal species in Antarctica. (Jan-March 2009)
- A voice for the fish? Climate change litigation and potential causes of action for impacts under the United Nations fish stocks agreement. (Jan-March 2009)



Worldwide Energy

- INTEGRYS ENERGY SERVICES TURNS TRASH INTO ELECTRICITY. (Feb. 18, 2009).
- GE, SONATRACH, SONELGAZ EXPAND TURBINE SERVICES JOINT VENTURE. (Feb. 18, 2009).
- PEABODY ENERGY'S BLACK BEAUTY UNIT SIGNS 12-YEAR COAL PACT. (Feb. 17, 2009).



Canadian Journal of Forest Research

- Phenolic metabolites in the resistance of northern forest trees to pathogens—past experiences and future prospects. (Nov. 2008)
- Gap disturbance regime in an old-growth *Fagus–Abies* forest in the Dinaric Mountains, Bosnia-Herzegovina. (Nov. 2008)



Sustainable Facility

- Building a case for optimism: time for a tune-up. (Dec. 2008)
- DOE reaches 50 percent milestone toward commercial zero-energy buildings. (Dec. 2008)
- New ASTM standards initiative to support goals of global sustainability. (Dec. 2008)

Case Studies

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- Students' perceptions of a highly controversial yet keystone species, the black-tailed prairie dog: a case study. *Journal of Environmental Education*, Summer 2008.
- The relevance of problem-based instruction to learning about environmental health. *Environmental Health*, July-August 2008.
- Role of environmental health professionals in improving the built environment. *Journal of Environmental Health*, July-August 2008.

Referred Case Studies