Haub School Update

Ruckelshaus Institute Update

- We are postponing or moving online several Ruckelshaus Institute convening events due to coronavirus. For example, we have cancelled and are hoping to reschedule public meetings for non-motorized recreation planning on the Pole Mountain unit of the Medicine Bow National Forest.
- Many upcoming screenings and film festivals for our documentary film “Deer 139” are also cancelled around the world. Some of these are moving online. “Deer 139” will screen online with the Environmental Film Festival in the Nation’s Capital, the International Wildlife Film Festival, and the Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour for a limited time.
- The Ruckelshaus Institute team is staying in contact and working remotely to prepare for future projects such as release of our next issue of Western Confluence magazine, recruiting for our next cohort of Collaboration Program in Natural Resources participants, and strategizing for future initiatives. We are all committed to continuing our work to support informed, inclusive, and effective decisions around complex environment and natural resource challenges facing our communities.

Academic Programs Update

- Haub School faculty are working diligently to transition from on-campus to online course delivery
- Our faculty are confident that they can deliver high quality education experiences online to our students

Overall Update

- We are working closely and collaboratively as faculty, staff and administration to maintain operations and safety for our team and students
- We are working remotely but communicating very effectively. The tools and resources provided by UW to accomplish this are very helpful
- UW administration has risen to our challenges, while still trying to maintain operations very effectively