Seminar Description:
There are almost eight billion people in the world, the population will be ten billion by 2050. How will we feed all these people? What are the health challenges and environmental challenges going forward? We will discuss the major issues related to global environmental health including soil, air, water, food and labor using examples and case studies from around the globe.

Goals:
In this class we will look at population and resource distribution, relate these to health disparities and environmental risks and environmental related diseases. We will also discuss how, as a planet, we can work to mitigate these risks and health threats.

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Class times and dates:
Friday  September 4
Friday  September 11
Friday  September 18
Friday  September 25
Friday  October 2

Topics:
Week 1: Introduction to Global Environmental Health Issues
Week 2: Occupational Health Issues
Week 3: Food Production Issues
Week 4: Clean Air and Clean Water
Week 5: Student Presentations
Materials:
Assigned readings on the CANVAS site for our class, at https://rutgers.instructure.com/courses/71010

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