

Agenda

Arizona Water Law Basics Prior appropriation doctrine Reasonable use doctrine The law of subflow Federal reserved water rights	<i>J. Burnside</i>
Arizona Water Rights/Water Regulation Groundwater Management Act of 1980 AMA water rights Assured and adequate water supply Current issues	<i>J. Burnside</i>
Water Right Evaluations Determining validity/ownership Verifying historic use (beware of forfeiture) • Inspect place of use / point of diversion • Question potential seller • ADWR records • Land records • Ariel photography • Electrical records	<i>F. Breedlove</i>
Handling the Application, Lease, Transfer and Sale of Water Purchase/sale of water rights Modifications Leases Exchanges Transfers Negotiating and drafting agreements	<i>F. Breedlove</i>
Handling Water Rights Disputes: Adjudication Procedures and Litigation Tips The adjudication process Ownership disputes Condemnation disputes Lease disputes Opposing an application for new water rights Modification disputes Easement disputes	<i>R. Snow</i>
Ethics and Water Law Multiparty representation and ethical challenges Compliance issues, risks and ethics	<i>R. Snow</i>

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Learning Objectives

- You'll be able to:**
- Understand** and **apply** the prior appropriation and reasonable use doctrines in matters involving Arizona water rights.
 - Focus** on specific issues in Arizona water rights, including Active Management Area (AMA) water rights regulation.
 - Evaluate** the validity and ownership of disputed water rights.
 - Handle** water rights applications, leases, transfer and sale.
 - Discuss** the process for adjudicating water rights in Arizona.
 - Explore** ethical issues involved in water rights disputes.



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| Explore the doctrines of prior appropriation and reasonable use | Handle the application, lease, transfer and sale of water |
| Discuss the Groundwater Management Act of 1980 | Work on water right adjudications |
| Evaluate water right to determine validity and ownership | Handle ethical issues in water law |

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6.0 ASFPM CECs |



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Faculty

John Burnside *Snell & Wilmer L.L.P.*
Mr. Burnside covers water rights and water quality as part of a broad-based environmental and natural resources law practice at Snell & Wilmer. Mr. Burnside regularly counsels and represents significant water interests in the State of Arizona, with a particular focus on mining and energy. He has extensive experience litigating contested water rights claims in Arizona's Gila River General Stream Adjudication, including multiple arguments and trials before the Special Water Master. Mr. Burnside has in-depth experience with the complex legal and technical issues surrounding Arizona water rights at the intersection between groundwater and surface water.

Fred Breedlove *Snell & Wilmer, LLP*
Mr. Breedlove focuses his practice in environmental and natural resources. His previous experience includes managing the natural resource programs for the Arizona State Land Department, serving as legislative liaison for the Arizona Department of Water Resources, and as an attorney at Squire Patton Boggs. Mr. Breedlove has worked closely with ranchers and farmers to address resource management concerns including water availability, cultural resources, grassland restoration, invasive species, and environmental contamination. Mr. Breedlove has represented mining companies, land developers, private water and energy utility businesses, government agencies, and investment firms while in private practice, primarily on water resource planning and development matters.

Riley S. Snow *Snow Law*
Mr. Snow represents clients in Arizona and Utah on matters related to water rights, real property, and resource development. He regularly appears before land and water agencies and in state and federal court. His clients include governmental entities, national and multi-national corporations, water companies, cooperatives, partnerships, and individuals. Mr. Snow has litigated numerous general adjudication claims in Arizona and Utah. He has also litigated quiet title, easement, right-of-way and condemnation claims in both states.

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HydroCAD for Hydrologic and Hydraulic Modeling
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Obtaining Phase 1 and Phase 2 Environmental Site Assessments
- Monday, June 10, 2024 | 9:00 - 11:00 am CDT

How to Design, Construct and Maintain a Gravity Retaining Wall
- Tuesday, June 11, 2024 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm CDT

Soils in Construction
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Trenching and Excavation Safety in Construction
- Friday, June 14, 2024 | 1:00 - 4:15 pm CDT

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Federal Wetlands Science, Law, and Compliance Post-Sackett
- Friday, June 14, 2024 | 9:00 am - 4:20 pm CDT

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Generation Interconnection under the RTO Model and Changes Coming from Order 2023
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