

IAD Seminar  
Prof. Cole

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF TOPICS**  
(Revised 8/15/21)

Week 1 (8/24). Introduction to the Ostroms, the Workshop, and the Bloomington School of Political Economy

Week 2 (8/31). Public Choice, Polycentric Governance, and Public Service Provision

Week 3 (9/7). Governing the Commons

Week 4 (9/14). Brute Facts and Social Facts: Goods, Institutions and Organization

Week 5 (9/21). Law, Social Norms, and Rule-types

Week 6 (9/28). Property Theory and Institutions

(10/5). No class because of Law School Fall Break.

Week 7 (10/12). Analyzing Institutions: Frameworks, Theories, Models and Methods of Analysis

Week 8 (10/19). The IAD Framework

Week 9 (10/26). The SES Framework

Week 10 (11/2). Empirical Applications of the Workshop Analytical Frameworks

Week 11 (11/9). Application of the Workshop Analytical Frameworks to Your Projects

Week 12 (11/16). Puzzles and Challenges of Development

(11/23). No class – Thanksgiving Break

Week 13 (11/30). The Expanding Research Program: From Natural to Artifactual Commons

(12/7). No class. Students working on final papers.