

Managing the Colorado River in Interesting Times: Overallocation, Drought and Climate Change

*A joint colloquium talk hosted by the University of Arizona
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This is a critical time for the State of Arizona and key sectors of its economy, given the impacts of the 17-year drought on the Colorado River and historic overallocation of its supplies created by the “structural deficit” on the watershed. This colloquium will present the history of Colorado River management from 1922 to the present, focusing on the evolution of decision making on the river over time, the impacts of changing climatic and hydrologic conditions on water supplies, and current negotiations between the seven Basin States and Mexico.

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**ENR2 Building,
Agnes Nelms Haury Lecture Hall
(Room S107)**

