

Introduction to NASA Remote Sensing Data for Water Resources Management

NASA Applied Remote Sensing Training Program (ARSET)

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Every Thursday, 5 webinars: one hour per week

Registration: *Course is free but you must register. Please register for one session only. Space is limited. You will be notified by email if your registration has been approved.*

Agenda:

Week 1: Overview of NASA Remote Sensing and Earth Systems Modeling Data for Water Resources Management

Course Introduction

Fundamentals of Remote Sensing

Introduction to Atmosphere-Land Models

Strengths and Limitations of Remote Sensing and Model-based Data

Week 2: Overview of Precipitation, Run Off

Satellites, Sensors, and Models for these Data

Examples of Data Applications: Extreme Precipitation and Flood Monitoring

Week 3: Overview of Soil Moisture, Evapotranspiration

Satellites, Sensors, and Models for these Data

Examples of Data Applications: Irrigation Management, Agricultural Mapping, Drought Monitoring

Week 4: Overview of Reservoir Water Height, Ground Water

Satellites, Sensors, and Models for these Data

Examples of Data Applications: Reservoir and Lake Height Monitoring, Drought Monitoring, Terrestrial Water Sustainability

Week 5: Overview of Web-tools for Data Access and Imaging (with live demos)

Spatial and Temporal Selection of Data, Access to Digital Data

Data Mapping, Importing Data into GIS