SAN JUAN MINING CAMPS: A HISTORICAL TOUR
JUNE 22-26, 2015
Dr. Duane Vandenbusche & Dr. Bruce Bartleson

SAN JUAN MINING CAMPS TOUR SCHEDULE

JUNE 22
Check-in at Western State Colorado University, Kelley Hall, 7:30am
Leave for Montrose–Ute Indian Museum
Ouray, Hot Springs Inn

JUNE 23
Ouray – Box Canyon – Beaumont Hotel – Red Mountain Pass – Telluride Tram
Bear Creek Lodging, Telluride

JUNE 24
Grand Imperial Hotel, Silverton

JUNE 25
Silverton – Old Hundred Mine Tour -- Silverton to Durango Narrow Gauge Railroad, Diamond Circle Melodrama – Best Western, Durango

JUNE 26
Durango – Bachelor-Syracuse Mine – Owl Creek Pass – Gunnison

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A breathtaking tour of the great San Juan mining country with emphasis on Montrose, Silverton, Ouray, Telluride, and Durango. Visit and learn about one of Colorado’s most storied mining regions. Ride on the famous Durango-Silverton narrow gauge railroad, tour the Old Hundred mine, and stay at some of the most famous historic hotels in Colorado. The classes crosses Red Mountain and Ophir Passes, and visit several historic mining museums. The mining frontier, narrow gauge railroads, geography, unique Victorian architecture, geology, and social history is emphasized. The tour also includes a variety of stops along the way; museums, mines, historical sites, geological sites, Ouray slide show, Ute Indian Museum, Box Canyon and more!

COURSE COSTS:
$740 (includes course fee, travel, lodging, ticket on the Durango-Silverton Railroad, and all tours and museums). Does not include food and personal expenses.

PROFESSORS
Dr. Duane Vandenbusche has taught at Western State Colorado University since 1962 as a professor of history. He teaches classes in Colorado History and History of the Gunnison Country. Dr. Bruce Bartleson taught Geology at Western State Colorado University for 33 years from 1965-1998, and is now a professor emeritus. Dr. Bartleson specializes in Colorado Geology with emphasis on the Western Slope.

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