### WILDLIFE AND CONSERVATION BIOLOGY MINOR

https://colsa.unh.edu/natural-resources-environment/program/minor/wildlife-conservation-biology

#### Description

The minor in Wildlife and Conservation Biology serves as a concentrated study, beyond a student’s primary major, that allows students to explore their interest in wildlife ecology and conservation and their passion for nature and the outdoors.

Students interested in a minor in Wildlife and Conservation Biology must complete a minimum of 5 courses and 20 credits. Up to 8 credits can be used to satisfy both major and minor requirements. A maximum of 2 EcoQuest courses may be used to satisfy requirements. Appropriate course substitutes from other study-abroad programs may also be used with permission.

#### Requirements

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<td>NR 650</td>
<td>Principles of Conservation Biology</td>
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<td>or NR 433</td>
<td>Wildlife Ecology</td>
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**Category 2**

Select one of the following: 4

- MEFB 628 Marine Invertebrate Evolution and Ecology
- NR 425 Field Dendrology
- NR 506 Forest Entomology
- NR 655 Vertebrate Biology
- NR 712 Mammalogy
- ZOOL 542 Ornithology
- ZOOL 710 Sharks and Bony Fishes

**Category 3**

Remaining 12 credits may be chosen from the following: 12

- NR 615 Wildlife Habitats
- NR 625 Physiological Ecology
- NR 640 Wildlife Population Ecology
- NR 642 Introduction to Biogeography
- or NR 603 Landscape Ecology
- NR 664 Conservation Genetics
- NR 711 Wetland Ecology and Management
- NR 734 Tropical Ecology
- NR 740 Inventory and Monitoring of Ecological Communities
- NR 750 Sustaining Biological Diversity
- NR 765 Community Ecology
- NR 795 Investigations
- ZOOL 613 Animal Behavior
- or ZOOL 733 Behavioral Ecology

Total Credits: 20

1. NR 661 is considered an appropriate substitution.
2. Enrollments are capped and admission is not guaranteed to those pursuing a minor.
3. NR 660 is considered an appropriate substitution.
4. NR 663 is considered an appropriate substitution.
5. NR 795 requires working with an individual WCB faculty member on a special problem/issue.