

Forestry, Fisheries, and Wildlife Minor School of Environment and Natural Resources Effective Summer 2018 1/8/23 Cheryl Walter, Minor Coordinator 210 Kottman Hall 2021 Coffey Road 614-292-2265 walter.266@osu.edu

The minor in Forestry, Fisheries, and Wildlife is designed to provide students with a practical background in conservation and management of biota, specifically aquatic or terrestrial wildlife or forest plant communities. This minor is intended to provide students with an understanding of how wild plant and or animal populations and their habitats are conserved and managed to sustain diverse and viable plant and animal populations, ecosystem health, and consumptive and non-consumptive utilization by humans.

A total of 14 semester units are required for this minor

Course number	Course Title	Credit hours	
Required Core Coursework:			
ENR 2100	Introduction to Environmental Science	3	
ENR 3300	Introduction to Forestry, Fisheries, and Wildlife	3	

Controlled Electives:

Select courses from one of the following focus areas to meet the 14-unit minimum requirement

Forestry Focus

ENR 3321	Biology and Identification of Woody Forest Plants	3
ENR 3333	Silviculture	3
ENR 5340	Forest Ecosystem Management	3
ENR 5797.08	Study at a Foreign Institution: China Research	3
Fisheries and Wildlife Focu	s	·
ENR 4342	Freshwater Fisheries Management	3
ENR 5280	Stream Ecology	4
ENR 5348	Aquatic Population Ecology & Management	3
ENR/ENTMLGY 5350.01	Taxonomy and Behavior of Aquatic Invertebrates	3
ENR 5350.02	Taxonomy and Behavior of Fishes	3
ENR 5355	Aquaculture	3
ENR 5358	Applied Vertebrate Physiological Ecology	3
ENR 5360	Principles of Wildlife Ecology and Management	3
ENR 5364.01	Mammalian Wildlife Biology and Management	3
ENR 5364.02	Avian Wildlife Biology and Management	3
ENR 5370	Management of Wildlife Habitat	3

Restrictions and General Information

- The minor is not available to students majoring in Environmental Science, Natural Resource Management or Forestry, Fisheries and Wildlife. Students majoring in Environmental Policy & Decision Making (EPDM) cannot choose the Forestry Focus. For EPDM students: Since both core courses are required in EPDM, an additional course from the controlled electives must be selected.
- A maximum of 6 approved study abroad credits (ENR 5797 or a related study abroad experience as approved by an ENR advisor) may be used toward the minor unless specified otherwise.
- 3. A minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio is required in the minor course work; and a minimum grade of a C- is required for each course used to complete the minor.
- 4. A minor should be declared at the time a student accumulates 60 hours.
- 5. A student is permitted to overlap up to 6 credit hours between the GE and the minor.
- 6. The minor must contain a minimum of 12 credit hours distinct from the major and/or additional minors (i.e. if a minor requires more than 12 credit hours, a student is permitted to overlap those hours beyond 12 with a major or with another minor).
- 7. The minor must include at least 6 hours of upper-level or upper-division course work (3000 or above).
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count in the minor, and no more than 3 credit hours of course work graded Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory may count toward the minor.
- 9. A student is permitted to count up to 6 total hours of transfer credit and/or credit by examination.
- 10. No more than 3 credit hours of xx93 may count toward the minor.