

**NATURAL RESOURCES B.S. DEGREE  
Specialization Option Checklist:  
Conservation Law Enforcement**

Date Prepared : By:

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| **Student Name** | **Student ID#** | **Current Institution/Campus/Major** |
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\*=Baccalaureate Core / ^ = WIC (Writing Intensive Course/ + = Core Ed (for students admitted in Summer 2025 onward)

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| **CONSERVATION LAW ENFORCEMENT SPECIALIZATION REQUIREMENTS** | | | | |
| **MEASUREMENTS (2-3 credits ) CHOOSE ONE** | | | **Fulfilled by:** | **Note #** |
|  | Field Sampling of Fish and Wildlife (3) | FW 255 |  |  |
| Wildlife Capture and Immobilization (2) | FW 328 |
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| **FOUNDATIONAL COURSES (16 credits) REQUIRED** | | | **Fulfilled by:** | **Note #** |
|  | Advanced Interpersonal Communication (3) | COMM 318 |  |  |
| ***OR*** Intercultural Communication (3) | COMM 326 |
| ***OR*** Nonverbal Communication (3) | COMM 328 |
|  | Recreation Resource Management (4) (can sub TRAL 357 here) | TRAL 251 |  |  |
|  | Principles of Fish and Wildlife Conservation (3) | FW 251 |  |  |
|  | Introduction to Crime and Justice (3) | SOC 241 |  |  |
|  | Science Writing (3) | WR 362+\* |  |  |
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| **RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (6 - 9 credits) CHOOSE TWO** | | | **Fulfilled by:** | **Note #** |
|  | Biodiversity and Conservation in Managed Forests (3) | FES/FW 452 |  |  |
|  | Coastal Ecology and Resource Management (HMSC) (5) | FW 426 |  |  |
|  | Avian Conservation and Management (3) | FW 451 |  |  |
|  | Mammal Conservation and Management (4) | FW 458 |  |  |
|  | Principles of Rangeland Ecology and Management (3) | RNG 341 |  |  |
|  | Parks and Protected Areas Management (3) | TRAL 357 |  |  |
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| **HUMAN DIMENSIONS (3 - 4 credits) CHOOSE ONE** | | | **Fulfilled by:** | **Note #** |
|  | ~~Multicultural Perspectives in Natural Resources~~ | ~~FW 340\*~~ |  |  |
|  | ~~Human Dimensions of Fish and Wildlife Management (3)~~ | ~~FW 439^~~ |  |  |
|  | Contemporary Families in the U.S. (3) | HDFS 201\* |  |  |
|  | Family Violence and Neglect (4) | HDFS 444 |  |  |
|  | Social Psychology (4) | PSY 360 |  |  |
|  | Sociology of the Family (4) | SOC 312\* |  |  |
|  | Social Dimensions of Sustainability (4) | SOC 381 |  |  |
|  | Criminology and Penology (4) | SOC 441 |  |  |
|  | Law and Society (4) | SOC 448 |  |  |
|  | Law, Crime and Society (4) | SOC 449 |  |  |
|  | Social Dimensions of Sustainability (3) | SUS 420 |  |  |
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| **FISHERIES, WILDLIFE AND ENVIRONMENTAL LAW (2-4 credits) CHOOSE ONE** | | | **Fulfilled by:** | **Note #** |
|  | Environmental Law, Policy and Economics (4) | AEC 253\* |  |  |
|  | Environmental Law (4) | AEC 432 |  |  |
|  | Fish and Wildlife Law Enforcement (2) | FW 341 |  |  |
|  | Fisheries and Wildlife Law and Policy (3) | FW 415 |  |  |
|  | Introduction to Ocean Law (3) | FW 422 |  |  |
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| **ELECTIVES** (9 credits minimum): Students will choose a minimum of 9 credits of appropriate coursework approved by an advisor from related fields such as criminal justice, fish and wildlife, forestry, recreation, anthropology, sociology, psychology and natural resources. | | | **Fulfilled by:** | **Note #** |
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| Note: Up to 6 credits of appropriate internships, projects or study abroad may be used to fulfill credit requirements in this option as approved by petition. | | | | |

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| **A Specialization Option is required for the Natural Resources major. (Minimum of 37 credits with at least 20 of those being upper division credits.) Required minimum GPA for the specialization is 2.25. This option is available on the Corvallis Campus and Ecampus.** | |

Revised 3.2025 for NR 3.0 for Natural Resources students admitted before Summer 2025