

# Natural Resources Minor

## OSU-Cascades

Students majoring in other programs at OSU can choose to complete the Natural Resources minor. The minor is intended to provide a broad exposure to the natural resources field. It offers course work that integrates a number of natural resource disciplines.

### **Choose four of the following five courses (12-13):**

- FOR 111: Introduction to Forestry (3) *COCC course*
- FOR 251: Recreation Resource Management (4) *COCC course*
- FW 251: Principles of Fish and Wildlife Conservation (3) *COCC course*
- RNG 341: Rangeland Ecology and Management (3)
- NR 407: Managing Natural Resources for the Future (2)

### **One upper-division course from each of the following breadth requirements courses list (9-11):**

Land and Water (Choose one)

- SOIL 366: Ecosystems of Wildland Soils (3) \*pre-req FOR 208
- FW 479: Wetlands and Riparian Ecology (3) \*pre-req BI 370
- GEO 306: Minerals, Energy, Water, and the Environment (3)
- GEO 307: National Park Geology and Preservation (3)
- GEO 308: Global Change and Earth Sciences (3)
- RNG 355: Desert Watershed Mgmt. (3)

Political Dimensions (Choose one)

- FES 365: Issues in Natural Resources Conservation (3)
- FW 350: Endangered Species, Society and Sustainability (3)
- GEO 335: Introduction to Water Science and Policy (3)
- GEO 423: Land Use in the American West (3)
- PS 475: Environmental Politics and Policy (4)

Resource Values/Philosophy (Choose one)

- FW 340: Multicultural Perspectives in Natural Resources (3)

***Any additional classes from the breadth requirements course list to total 28 credits. (see OSU catalog from entire list)***