

Course Change Request

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In Workflow

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History

1. Apr 9, 2019 by Carol
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2. Oct 3, 2019 by Carol
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Catalog Pages referencing this course

[Conservation Studies \(CONS\)](#)
[Interdisciplinary Programs and Courses](#)
[Smithsonian-Mason School of Conservation](#)

Select modification type:

Simple

Are you completing this form on someone else's behalf?

No

Effective Term: Spring 2020

Subject Code: CONS - Conservation Studies

Course Number:
630

Bundled Courses:

Is this course replacing another course? No

Equivalent Courses:

Catalog Title: Species Monitoring & Conservation

Banner Title: Species Monitoring/Conserv

Will section titles vary by semester? No

Credits: 3

Schedule Type: Lecture

Hours of Lecture or Seminar per week: 3

Repeatable: May be repeated within degree (RD)

Max Allowable Credits: 9

Default Grade Mode: Graduate Regular

Recommended

Prerequisite(s):

A general biology (or relevant species-related) course and a statistics course, or permission of instructor.
Prior coursework in environmental science, zoology and ecology recommended.

Recommended

Corequisite(s):

Required

Prerequisite(s) /

Corequisite(s)

(Updates only):

Registrar's Office Use Only - Required Prerequisite(s)/Corequisite(s):

| And/Or | (| Course/Test Code | Min Grade/Score | Academic Level |) | Concurrency? |
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Registration

Restrictions

(Updates only):

Registrar's Office Use Only - Registration Restrictions:

Field(s) of Study:

Class(es):

Include

Limited to students with a class of Senior Plus. (SCRRCLS_ONLY_SP)

Limited to students with a class of Non Degree (SCRRCLS_ONLY_ND)

Limited to students with a class of Advanced to Candidacy. (SCRRCLS_ONLY_DC)

Limited to students with a class of Graduate. (SCRRCLS_ONLY_GR)

Level(s):

Include

Enrollment limited to students with a level of Non-Degree (SCRRLVL_ONLY_ND)

Limited to undergraduate level students. (SCRRLVL_ONLY_UG)

Limited to graduate level students only. (SCRRLVL_ONLY_GR)

Degree(s):

Exclude

Non-Degree Undergraduate Degree students may not enroll. (SCRRDEG_NO_NDU)

School(s):

Catalog

Description:

Explores monitoring and conservation research methods and approaches for specific taxa through lectures, case studies, lab exercises, and field work. Each course includes not only significant time in the field practicing field data collection methods but also significant time in the computer lab learning the latest data analysis tools. Notes: Offered through the Smithsonian - Mason School of Conservation Studies in cooperation with the Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute on site in Front Royal, VA. Course Format: This course is taught as an intensive, mixed format (lectures and computer work) offering, in a residential full-day (8:30am-6pm), 2 week session. Students complete pre-course assignments, and are graded in participation, computer exercises and a final exam. Some night and early morning sessions may occur.

Justification:

Added more information to Catalog Description.

Does this course cover material which crosses into another department? No

Learning Outcomes:

Attach Syllabus

Additional Attachments

Specialized Course Categories:

Additional Comments:

Reviewer Comments