Wildlife Resources Management

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Wildlife Resources Management Program
The Wildlife Resources Management Program at Hocking College is a hands-on, experience-based curriculum where students actively learn and practice field skills which include wildlife, fish and plant field and lab identification; wildlife field data collection techniques such as survey, capture, radio telemetry, habitat and population sampling; and other general field skills such as GPS-GIS duties, map-making and natural resources equipment operation.

In addition, students leave the program with a strong conceptual understanding of wildlife management, ecology, and conservation, as well as botany and plant ecology and identification, and natural resources as a whole.

The Wildlife Resources Management degree is designed for students interested primarily in seeking employment in fish and wildlife careers after acquiring their two-year associate degree. Most positions with county and state parks, and the Ohio Division of Wildlife, require a two-year wildlife degree.

PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT

Examples of places where Hocking College alumni have worked or are currently working include the following:
Ohio Department of Natural Resources - Division of Wildlife

ALL-INCLUSIVE PRICING

Hocking College offers all-inclusive pricing and works with students to assure they have complete college funding, including financial aid, before they start classes. All-inclusive pricing includes the following:

PER SEMESTER
$300.....Learning Fee
$20.....Health Center Services
$75.....Career Center Services

OPTIONAL
$53.....Parking
$275....Smart Start*
*Recommended for all first-year college students

Pricing for housing and meal plans can be found at hocking.edu/residence-halls.

DEGREE TRACK

The listed degree track is for students beginning classes in May 2022 who will pursue an Associate of Applied Science in Wildlife Resources Management.

AUTUMN 1				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
8 Weeks (1)	FOR-1009	Dendrology I	2.00	$280
8 Weeks (1)	NRM-1112	Field Equipment Operations	2.00	$620
8 Weeks (1)	WLM-1056	Wildlife Ecology & Identification	3.00	$210
8 Weeks (1)	WLM-2219	Wildlife Radiotelemetry	1.00	$355
8 Weeks (2)	BIOS-1171	Zoology	3.00	$500
8 Weeks (2)	ENGL-1510	English Composition I	4.00	$50
8 Weeks (2)	ENVS-1134	Field Biology I	1.00	$100
8 Weeks (2)	FOR-1020	Forest Management Techniques	1.00	$50
16 Weeks	GS-1010	Pathway to Prosperity	1.00	$50
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**18.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$4,865**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$7,120**

SPRING 1				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
8 Weeks (1)	BIOS-1119	Botany	3.00	$450
8 Weeks (1)	FOR-1010	Dendrology II	1.00	$100
8 Weeks (1)	MATH-1113	College Algebra	4.00	$150
8 Weeks (1)	WLM-2145	Wildlife Techniques	3.00	$220
8 Weeks (2)	ENVS-1135	Field Biology II	1.00	$36
8 Weeks (2)	FMAQ-2266	Ichthyology	3.00	$695
8 Weeks (2)	WLM-2272	Ornithology	2.00	$160
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**17.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$4,461**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$6,716**

SUMMER 1				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
12 Weeks	NRM-2600	Natural Resources Practicum	1.00	$100
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**1.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$339.25**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$527.25**

AUTUMN 2				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
8 Weeks (1)	ENVS-2217	Aquatic Ecology	3.00	$290
8 Weeks (1)	WLM-2104	Wetland Ecology & Management	1.00	$250
8 Weeks (1)	CHEM-1131 **OR** WLM-2212	Enviromental Chemistry **OR** Ecology & Management of Grassland Wildlife	3.00 **OR** 2.00	$200 **OR** $100
8 Weeks (2)	GEO-1104	Introduction to GPS & GIS	3.00	$200
8 Weeks (2)	WLM-2115	Wildlife Management	3.00	$110
8 Weeks (2)	WLM-2210	Wildlife & NR Law & Policy	3.00	$175
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**15.00 - 16.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$3,775 - $3,875**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$6,030 - $6,130**

Spring 2				
SCHEDULE	**COURSE**	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	**COURSE FEE**
8 Weeks (1)	COMM-1130	Speech	3.00	$50
8 Weeks (1)	WLM-2251	Biostatistics for Wildlife Management	3.00	$40
8 Weeks (2)	WLM-2203	Environmental Ethics	3.00	$100
8 Weeks (2)	GS-2010	Pathway to Prosperity II	1.00	$50
16 Weeks	WLM-2650	Wildlife Capstone (SL)	4.00	$350
		SEMESTER TOTAL	**14.00**	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$3,240**
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$5,495**
		TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**65.00 - 66.00**	
		TOTAL IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$16,680.25 - $16,780.25***
		TOTAL OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		**$25,888.25 - $25,988.25***

QUESTIONS? CONTACT ME.

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**All courses and course fees are subject to change. Visit us online to see the most up-to-date curriculum and pricing for this program.*

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