

CONSERVATION, PARKS, and OUTDOOR RECREATION MINOR

ACADEMIC ADVISING

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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Minor Requirements

- 18 credit hours
- 9 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 Minor GPA
- Residency: Last 9 credit hours of the minor must be completed while registered at UCCS

NOTE: Speak with an academic advisor to declare a minor.

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: catalog.uccs.edu
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course pre-requisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule: see degree audit for list of course prerequisites within academic minor.

MINOR REQUIREMENTS

Explore Conservation: [Conservation, Parks, and Outdoor Recreation Minor | Department of Geography & Environmental Studies \(uccs.edu\)](http://www.uccs.edu/conservation-parks-and-outdoor-recreation-minor)

| Minor Requirements | | | |
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| Conservation, Parks, and Outdoor Recreation Minor (18 hours) | Course/Area | Course Title | Credit Hours |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better. <p>NOTE 1: Prerequisites are required before taking the BIOL courses.</p> <p>NOTE 2: Geography majors may double count a maximum of 9 hours between the major and minor. Please see your Academic Advisor for course recommendations.</p> | GES Foundation Course | <i>Complete one of the following courses:</i> GES: 1000, 1500, 4420, 4750 | 3-4 |
| | Core Courses | <i>Complete three UNUSED courses from the following list.</i> BIOL 3700 ¹ BIOL 3750 ¹ GEOL 1530 GES: 1010, 4280, 4410, 4420, 4500, 4650, 4750 | 9-12 |
| | Electives | <i>Complete 1-2 electives from the list below to meet total and upper-division hour requirements for the minor.²</i> ANTH 3180 COMM 2200 GEOL 3170, 3550, 3700 GES 3250, 3500, 4260, 4660 HIST 1560 or GES 1560 HSCI 1080, 1220 LEAD 1600 PHIL 1200 PSC 4350 PSY 4430 (<i>Psychology and Climate topic only</i>) SOC 3300, 4300 WEST 1010 | 2-6 |
| | Recommended Certifications | Students are strongly encouraged to earn certifications in Wilderness First Aid (minimum) or Wilderness First Responder (recommended) | |
| Total | | | 18 |