

# 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 UCSS

**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 UCSS Catalog: [catalog.uccs.edu](http://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			
Conservation, Parks, and Outdoor Recreation Minor (18 hours)	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better.</li> </ul> <p>*NOTE: Prerequisites are required before taking the BIOL courses.</p>	GES Foundation Course	Complete one of the following courses: GES: 1000, 1500, 4420, 4750	3-4
	Core Courses	Complete three UNUSED courses from the following list. BIOL 3700* BIOL 3750* GEOL 1530 GES: 1010, 4280, 4410, 4420, 4500, 4650, 4750	9-12
	Electives	Complete 1-2 electives from the list below to meet total and upper-division hour requirements for the minor. ANTH 3180 COMM 2200 GEOL 3170, 3700 GES 3250, 3500, 4260, 4660 HIST 1560 or GES 1560 HSCI 1080, 1220 LEAD 1600 PHIL 1200 PSC 4350 PSY 4430 (Psychology and Climate topic only) 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)	
		<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>