

COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN DIMENSIONS OF NATURAL RESOURCES
CURRICULUM GUIDE FOR
B.S. NATURAL RESOURCE TOURISM
NATURAL RESOURCE TOURISM CONCENTRATION

This concentration prepares students for positions with businesses and agencies who provide recreation and tourism. Program requirements and course prerequisites/schedules will change periodically. It is the student's responsibility to check with their advisor each semester. (Total credits = 120).

Student's Name: _____ . Expected Graduation Date: _____

Credits		Course	AUCC Category	
YEAR ONE (Total 28 credits)				
_____	Computers	3	BUS 150 Business Computing Concepts & Applications F, S, SS	1A
_____	Writing	3	CO 150 College Composition [CO 130 or Composition Challenge Essay (score of 3, 4, or 5) or SAT Verbal/Critical reading score of minimum 570 or SAT Evidence Based Reading/Writing score of minimum 620 or ACT COMPOSITE score of minimum 26 or Directed Self-Placement Survey code of 15.] F, S, SS	
_____	Economics	3	ECON 202 Principles of Microeconomics (MATH 117 or 118 or 141 or 155 or 160)	3C
_____	Math	1	MATH 117 College Algebra in Context I (Math Placement Exam or Math Challenge Exam required) F, S, SS	1B
_____	Math	1	MATH 118 College Algebra in Context II (MATH 117 or Math Placement Exam or Math Challenge Exam required) F, S, SS	1B
_____	Math	1	MATH 124 Logarithmic & Exponential Function (MATH 118 or Math Placement Exam or Math Challenge Exam required) F, S, SS	1B
_____	Political Sci	3	Political Science Elective (select course from list on back) F, S, SS _____	
_____	Bio/Phys Sci	4	Select course from approved AUCC Biological/Physical Sciences list F, S, SS _____	3A
_____	Bio/Phys Sci	3	Select course from approved AUCC Biological/Physical Sciences list F, S, SS _____	3A
_____	Arts/Hum	6	Select 2 courses from approved AUCC Arts & Humanities list F, S, SS _____	3B
YEAR TWO (Total 29 credits)				
_____	Accounting	3	ACT 205 Fundamentals of Accounting F, S, SS	
_____	Law	3	BUS 205 Legal and Ethical Issues in Business F, S, SS	
_____	P&PA	3	NRRT 231 Principles of Parks & Protected Area Management F	
_____	Tourism	3	NRRT 270 Principles of Natural Resource Tourism F,S	
_____	Hospitality	3	RRM 101 Hospitality Industry F, S	
_____	Speech	3	SPCM 200 Public Speaking F, S, SS	
_____	Logic	3	STAT 201 General Statistics (MATH 100 to 200 - at least 1 credit) F, S, SS	
_____	Elective	8	Select 100/200-level courses from guided elective list _____	
YEAR THREE (Total 31 credits)				
_____	Mgmt	3	MGT 305 Fundamentals of Management F, S, SS	
_____	Marketing	3	MKT 305 Fundamentals of Marketing (ECON 101 or AREC 202 or ECON 202) F, S, SS	
_____	Policy	3	NR 320 Natural Resources History & Policy F, S	
_____	International	3	NRRT 320 International Issues in Recreation & Tourism (Junior standing) F, S	
_____	Internship	1	NR 377 Pre-Internship I F	
_____	Measurements	3	NRRT 376 Human Dimensions Research and Analysis (STAT 201) F, S	
_____	Pub Rel	3	NR 400 Public Relations in Natural Resources (NR 320) F, S, SS	
_____	Adv Writing	3	Select course from approved AUCC Advanced Writing course list F, S, SS _____	2
_____	Diversity	3	Select course from approved AUCC Diversity & Global Awareness course list F, S, SS _____	3E
_____	History	3	Select course from approved Historical Perspectives course list F, S, SS _____	3D
_____	Electives	3	Select 300/400-level courses from guided elective list _____	
INTERNSHIP - AFTER JUNIOR OR SENIOR YEAR (minimum 5 credits)				
_____	Internship	5	NRRT 487 Internship (NR 377) F, S, SS Location: _____	
YEAR FOUR (Total 27 credits)				
_____	Recreation	3	NRRT 330 Social Aspects of Natural Resource Management (Sophomore standing) F, S	4B, 4C
_____	Promotion	3	NRRT 372 Tourism Promotion (NRRT 270) F, S	
_____	Planning	3	NRRT 442 Tourism Planning (NRRT 270) F, S	
_____	Event	3	NRRT 460 Tourism Event & Conference Planning (NRRT 270 or RRM 101) F, S	4A
_____	Impacts	3	NRRT 470 Tourism Impacts (NRRT 270) F, S	
_____	Mgmt	3	NRRT 471 Starting & Managing Your Own Tourism Enterprise (NRRT 231 or NRRT 270) F, S	
_____	Electives	9	Select 300/400-level courses from guided electives list	

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Political Science Guided Electives (select one of the following)

POLS 101	3	American Government & Politics F, S, SS
POLS 103	3	State & Local Government & Politics F, S
POLS 131	3	Current World Problems F, S (also satisfies AUCC 3E)
POLS 232	3	International Relations F, S (also satisfies AUCC 3E)
POLS 241	3	Comparative Government & Politics S (also satisfies AUCC 3E)

Natural Resource Tourism Guided Electives

AGRI/IE 270	3	World Interdependence – Population & Food S (also satisfies AUCC 3E)
ANTH 100	3	Introductory Cultural Anthropology F, S (also satisfies AUCC 3C)
ANTH 310	3	Peoples and Cultures of Africa (ANTH 100) S
ANTH/ETST 319	3	Latin American Peasantries (ANTH 100 & ANTH 200; or ETST 100) S
ANTH 329	3	Cultural Change (ANTH 100 or ANTH 200) F
E 403	3	Writing the Environment (one course in literature or CO 301A-D or E 311A-C) S
ECON/AREC 340	3	Introduction: Economics of Natural Resources (AREC 202 or ECON202) S
ECON/AREC 346	3	Economics of Outdoor Recreation (AREC 202 or ECON 202) F
GR 100	3	Introduction to Geography F, S (also satisfies AUCC 3C)
GR 320	3	Cultural Geography (GR 100) F
HIST 100	3	Western Civilization, Pre-Modern F, S, SS
HIST 101	3	Western Civilization, Modern F, S, SS
Language	3	A Foreign Language course F, S, SS
LAND 110	3	Introduction to Landscape Architecture F
NR 319	4	Geospatial Applications in Natural Resources (Junior standing) F, S
NR 322	4	Introduction to Geographic Information Systems F, S
NR/GR 323	3	Remote Sensing of Natural Resources F
NR 422	4	GIS Applications in Natural Resource Management (NR 322) F, S
NR 440	3	Applications in Conservation Planning (NRRT 340) F
PHIL 345	3	Environmental Ethics (Sophomore standing or higher) F, S
PSY 100	3	General Psychology F, S, SS (also satisfies AUCC 3C)
PSY 315	3	Social Psychology (PSY 100) F, S, SS
PSY 316	3	Environmental Psychology (PSY 100) F, S, SS
NRRT 350	3	Wilderness Leadership (offered through CSU Online Plus) F
NRRT 351	3	Wilderness Instructors (offered through CSU Online Plus) S
NRRT 431	3	Protected Areas, Working Lands, Livelihoods (NRRT 231, LIFE 220) S
SOC 100	3	General Sociology F, S, SS (also satisfies AUCC 3C)
SOC 105	3	Social Problems F, S (also satisfies AUCC 3C)
SOC 320	3	Population-Natural Resources & Environment (SOC 100 or SOC 105) F
SOC 341	3	Sociology of Rural Life (SOC 100 or SOC 105) S
SOC 362	3	Social Change (SOC 100 or SOC 105) S

OR other advisor approved guided electives (300 or 400 level)

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