

WFCB Minor

2026–2027



Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation Biology (WFCB) is an ecologically oriented major that addresses the interactions of humans with animals in both natural and disturbed environments. Students are trained in the basic sciences, mathematics, and the biology and conservation of vertebrates in California and in many other parts of the world. The emphasis on basic sciences provides our students with the intellectual flexibility to handle the varied and often unexpected problems faced by biologists in the field and laboratory. It also makes sure students are prepared for graduate and professional schools and for alternative careers.

Required Courses	Prerequisites	Qtr(s)**	Units	Completed	
Complete					
WFC 100	Field Methods in Wildlife, Fish, & Cons. Bio	BIS 2B or equivalent; consent of instructor	III	4	_____
Choose one course					
WFC 151	Wildlife Ecology	BIS 2B or equivalent	I	4	_____
WFC 168	Climate Change Ecology	BIS 2B or equivalent	II	4	_____
Choose one course					
WFC 154	Conservation Biology	BIS 2B or equivalent	II	4	_____
Choose one course					
WFC 110	Biology & Conservation of Wild Mammals	BIS 2A-C or equivalent	III	3	_____
WFC 111	Biology & Conservation of Wild Birds	BIS 2A-C or equivalent	I	3	_____
WFC 120	Biology & Conservation of Fishes	BIS 2A-C or equivalent	I	3	_____
WFC 134	Herpetology	BIS 2A-C or equivalent	II	3	_____

Choose two to four additional upper division courses*

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*WFC 190, 191, 192, 195, 197T, or 199 may not be used to fulfill this requirement. Contact your staff advisor for approval of a WFC 198 course.

NOTE: Only one course may be used to meet both your major and minor requirements.

I = fall quarter, II = winter quarter, III = spring quarter, IV = summer session

**Course offerings are subject to change. Check with your adviser for the most updated listings.