What is a Wildlife Management minor?
The Wildlife Management Minor provides students in agriculture (primarily natural resources and animal science), biology and related majors with a foundation in wildlife conservation and management.

Students are required to complete a core set of wildlife courses that provide an understanding of basic concepts, principles, and practices of wildlife studies applicable to multiple careers that include wildlife management, teaching, outreach, and land stewardship.

Completion of the minor will satisfy most of the requirements for employment with the federal government as GS 0486 Wildlife Biologist. Completion of the minor core classes will also satisfy many of the courses required to become a certified wildlife biologist as recognized by the professional organization The Wildlife Society.
How can I use a wildlife management minor?
Students who graduate with the minor find employment with state and federal wildlife management and land stewardship agencies as well as public and private organizations.

Required Courses
Minor: A minimum grade of “C” in AGR 305, AGR 321, AGR 431, AGR 417, GIS 316, and AGR 435

Courses
Listed courses may not be taught every semester or every year.

AGR 305: Wildlife Damage Management (3, sp).
AGR 321: Natural Resources Policy and Law (3, sp, even).
AGR 417: Wildlife Conservation (3, sp, odd). Prerequisites: BIO 150 and BIO 150l or BIO 104L.
AGR 414: Soil, Water, Air Quality Management (3, sp). Prerequisite: AGR 211.
AGR 435: Wetlands Management (3, fa, even). Prerequisites: CHM 101, GIS 208, and AGR 211.

About Us
Our Faculty
Our diverse faculty and staff have real-world agriculture and science expertise to increase your knowledge and experience during your college career. The staff and faculty are committed to using their time, talents, and intellectual resources to mentor you to success.

Our Students
Agriculture degree graduates will not only play key roles in for-profit enterprises but also serve in humanitarian, ministry, and governmental organizations around the world in pursuit of their lifelong career goals.

Facilities and Skills Development
Students have the opportunity to gain practical experience by visiting farms, research laboratories, and companies, and by participating in projects, attending conferences, and talking to business leaders and governmental agencies. Additionally, students will increase their involvement through classroom activities, internships, Ag club, collegiate FFA Chapter, and corporate-sponsored student organizations. An agriculture minor experience will further develop the leadership, team, and communication skills and other positive attributes of students.