

FY 2018 NCTC COURSE SCHEDULE

Academies

Advanced National Wildlife Refuge Management Academy – CLM4308	NCTC
August 6-17, 2018	
Fisheries Academy – CSP0100	NCTC
Feb 26-March 9, 2018	
National Wildlife Refuge Management Academy – CLM4307	NCTC
Oct 16-Nov 3, 2017	
April 9-27, 2018	NCTC
Project Leader Academy – LED6201	NCTC
April 9-20, 2018	
Wage Grade Academy – CLM5100	NCTC
March 26-30, 2018	

Aquatic Species Biology and Conservation

Coldwater Fish Culture – CSP1100	Bozeman, MT
July 9-20, 2018	
Conservation Biology of Freshwater Mussels – CSP1101	NCTC
August 6-10, 2018	
Ecology and Conservation of North American Crayfishes – CSP1105	Wheeling, WV
November 13-17, 2017	
Fish Identification – CSP2220	NCTC
October 23-27, 2017	
Freshwater Biomonitoring Using Benthic Macroinvertebrates – CSP2323	NCTC
May 21-25, 2018	
Freshwater Fish Culture – CSP1140	NCTC
August 27-31, 2018	
Freshwater Mussel Identification – CSP1103	NCTC
June 25-29, 2018	
Freshwater Mussel Propagation for Restoration – CSP1102	NCTC
September 24-28, 2018	

Introduction to Fish Health – CSP1150	NCTC
January 8-12, 2018	
January 22-26, 2018	Onalaska, WI
Principles & Techniques of Electrofishing – CSP2201	Marion, IL
October 23-27, 2017	

Communications

Business Communications Boot Camp – CLM8134	NCTC
March 26-28, 2018	
Communicating Science: Distilling Your Message – CLM8204	NCTC
December 4-6, 2017	
May 21-23, 2018	NCTC
Congressional Operations Seminar – CLM8196	Washington, DC
March 5-8, 2018	
Critical Writing/Critical Thinking – CLM3167	NCTC
July 16-20, 2018	
Digital Communications in Conservation Training Workshop – CLM7158	NCTC
September 11-13, 2018	
Negotiation Skills for Conservation Professionals: Building a Foundation – CLM8135	NCTC
Oct 31-Nov 2, 2017	
Writing with Clarity – CLM8201	Online
Jan 11-March 1, 2018	

Conservation Policy

Endangered Species Listing and Candidate Assessment – CSP3115	NCTC
April 23-27, 2018	
June 18-22, 2018	NCTC

Habitat Conservation Planning for Endangered Species – CSP3117	NCTC
October 30-Nov 3, 2017	
June 11-15, 2018	NCTC
Integrating NEPA into FWS Activities – CSP3121	NCTC
September 18-22, 2018	
Interagency Consultation for Endangered Species – CSP3116	NCTC
October 23-27, 2017	
February 12-16, 2018	NCTC
March 19-23, 2018	NCTC
June 4-8, 2018	NCTC
September 24-28, 2018	NCTC
Introduction to Species Status Assessment – CSP3910	NCTC
December 4-8, 2017	
May 21-25, 2018	NCTC
August 20-24, 2018	NCTC
Migratory Bird Conservation - A Trust Responsibility – CSP2102	Albuquerque, NM
November 13-17, 2017	
Feb 26-March 2, 2018	NCTC
Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Restoration (NRDAR) – CSP3111	NCTC
November 13-17, 2017	
Partners for Fish and Wildlife Habitat Restoration – CSP3127	Seeley, MT
May 7-11, 2018	
Restoration Policy, Planning, and Partnering – CSP3133	NCTC
July 30-Aug 8, 2018	

Decision Analysis

Adaptive Management: Structured Decision Making for Recurrent Decisions – ALC3176	NCTC
September 24-28, 2018	

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Advanced Structured Decision Making Practicum – ALC3138		
March 19-23, 2018		NCTC
Collaboration and Conflict Transformation in Multi-Party Processes – ALC3199		
October 16-20, 2017		NCTC
Conservation Coaches Network Workshop – ALC3158		
Jan 29-Feb 2, 2018		NCTC
Decision Analysis: Elicitation and Facilitation – ALC3190		
March 12-16, 2018		NCTC
Introduction to Structured Decision Making – ALC3171		
February 5-9, 2018		NCTC
April 30-May 4, 2018	Anchorage, AK	
August 13-17, 2018		NCTC
USFWS/USGS Structured Decision Making Workshop – ALC3159		
June, 2018	Honolulu, HI	

Ecological Adaptation

Climate Academy – ALC3193		
Starts January 10, 2018		Online
Climate-Smart Conservation with Scenario Planning – ALC3187		
November 13-17, 2017	Portland, OR	
May 21-25, 2018		NCTC

Geospatial Technologies

Advanced Geospatial Topics – CSP7305		
December 12-14, 2017		NCTC
Creating Maps that Work – CSP7203		
January 23-26, 2018		NCTC
FWS Geospatial Training Workshop – CSP7304		
March 6-9, 2018		NCTC

GIS Intermediate – CSP7204		
August 6-10, 2018		NCTC
GIS Introduction – CSP7101		
October 17-20, 2017		NCTC
Watershed Analysis and Hydrologic Modeling – CSP7306		
June 11-15, 2018		NCTC

Habitat Assessment, Restoration, and Management


Advanced Plant Identification: Grasses, Sedges, Rushes and Composites – CSP3130		
June 25-29, 2018	Holdrege, NE	
Applied Fluvial Geomorphology – CSP3210		
April 9-13, 2018		NCTC
Functional Framework for Stream Assessment & Restoration – CSP3275		
October 23-27, 2017		NCTC
River Assessment and Monitoring – CSP3410		
May 7-17, 2018		NCTC
River Morphology and Applications – CSP3310		
April 16-20, 2018		NCTC
Rotenone & Antimycin Use in Fish Management – CSP2132		
March 5-9, 2018	Rancho Cordova, CA	
Stream Habitat Measurement Techniques – CSP3200		
March 26-30, 2018		NCTC
Wetland Assessment, Restoration, and Management – CSP3106		
April 30-May 4, 2018	Yazoo City, MS	
June 18-22, 2018	Holdrege, NE	
Wetland Plant Identification – CSP3105		
July 9-13, 2018		NCTC

Human Dimensions

Foundations in Public Participation – CLM8227		
November 13-17, 2017		NCTC
Partnership and Community Collaboration: Managing by Network – CLM8123		
Starts January 17, 2018		Online

Leadership and Supervision

Advanced Leadership Development Program (ALDP) – LED6078		
Oct 30-Nov 3, 2017,		NCTC
Jan 22-Feb 2, 2018 &		
April 30-May 11, 2018		
Advanced Supervision – LED6166		
October 2-6, 2017		NCTC
June 4-8, 2018		NCTC
Crucial Conversations Workshop – FWS – LED5153		
October 23-24, 2017		NCTC
October 23-24, 2017	Honolulu, HI†	
October 25-26, 2017	Honolulu, HI†	
November 14-15, 2017	Bloomington, MN†	
November 16-17, 2017	Bloomington, MN†	
March 13-14, 2018	Hadley, MA†	
March 15-16, 2018	Hadley, MA†	
August 7-8, 2018	Atlanta, GA†	
August 8-9, 2018	Albuquerque, NM†	
September 25-26, 2018	Anchorage, AK†	
September 25-26, 2018	Hadley, MA†	
September 27-28, 2018	Hadley, MA†	
Discover and Enhance Your Potential – LED5128		
August 13-17, 2018		NCTC

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Discover Your Service: USFWS Foundations		
– LED5240		
October 3-6, 2017		NCTC
February 13-16, 2018		NCTC
May 15-18, 2018		NCTC
August 28-31, 2018		NCTC
Emerging Dynamics in Leadership – LED5125		
July 9-13, 2018		NCTC
Inspiring Leadership through Emotional Intelligence – LED5030		
October 11-12, 2017		NCTC
Oct 31-Nov 1, 2017	Hadley, MA†	
November 1-2, 2017	Falls Church, VA†	
November 2-3, 2017	Hadley, MA†	
June 28-29, 2018	Portland, OR†	
August 9-10, 2018	Atlanta, GA†	
Introduction to Team Leadership – LED6176		
January 8-12, 2018		NCTC
May 14-18, 2018		NCTC
Leading at the Speed of Trust (FWS) – LED5029		
October 25-26, 2017		NCTC
Feb 28-March 1, 2018		NCTC
June 26-27, 2018	Portland, OR†	
September 27-28, 2018	Anchorage, AK†	
Stepping Up to Leadership (SUTL) – LED6072		
December 4-15, 2017 & June 11-15, 2018		NCTC
March 12-23, 2018 & September 10-14, 2018		NCTC

Supervisory Skills Workshop - SUPSKILLS		
November 14-16, 2017		NCTC
February 6-8, 2018		NCTC
March 20-22, 2018	Anchorage, AK	
April 17-19, 2018	Minneapolis, MN	
May 8-10, 2018	Portland, OR	
May 30-June 1, 2018		NCTC
June 12-14, 2018	Lakewood, CO	
July 24-26, 2018		NCTC

Refuge Land Policy

Building a Strong NWRS Biological Program – CLM2150		
March 5-9, 2018		NCTC
Cultural Resources Overview – CLM2117		
Starts January, 2018		Online
Environmental Due Diligence: The Transaction Screen Process – CLM7173		
April 16-18, 2018		NCTC
NWRS Conservation Easements – CLM3177		
February 12-16, 2018		NCTC
Realty for Refuge Personnel – CLM7179		
April 9-13, 2018		NCTC
Refuge Improvement Act – CLM5309		
May 15-18, 2018		NCTC

Safety and Emergency Response

Inland Oil Spill Response for DOI – CSP3129		
October 16-20, 2017	Louisville, KY	
November 13-17, 2017	Albuquerque, NM	
December 4-8, 2017	Tulsa, OK	
Motorboat Operator Instructor (MOICC) Certification – SAF4101/USGS-SAF-MOICC		
September 17-21, 2018		NCTC

Statistics and Modeling

Conservation Area Design using Marxan – CSP4250		
July 16-20, 2018		NCTC
Data Wrangling – CSP1004		
May 21-25, 2018	Ft. Collins, CO	
Design and Analysis of Biological Monitoring – CSP4230		
September 24-28, 2018		NCTC
Field Data Management using MS Access – CSP1003		
Oct 30-Nov 3, 2017	Marquette, MI	
December 4-8, 2017		NCTC
Making Sense of Biological Data with R – CSP4200		
June 22-26, 2017		NCTC
October 16-20, 2018		NCTC
Modeling for Endangered Species Management – CSP2304		
Oct 30-Nov 3, 2017	Cedar Key, FL	
Modeling Principles for Natural Resources Management (Beginner Track) – CSP3156a		
January 16-May 3, 2018		Online
Modeling Principles for Natural Resources Management (Intermediate Track) – CSP3156b		
January 16-May 3, 2018		Online
Occupancy Modeling – CSP4141		
May 21-25, 2018	Vancouver, WA	
Species Distribution Modeling – CSP4220		
July 16-20, 2018		NCTC
Statistical Modeling for Conservation – CSP4210		
April 23-27, 2018		NCTC

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Visitor Services

Connecting People with Nature through Birds – OUT8163	
June 11-15, 2018	NCTC
Education Programs for Youth: School's Out – OUT8162	
March 19-23, 2018	NCTC
Interpretive Foundations – CLM8240	
June 5-28, 2018	Online
Introduction to Visitor Services – CLM8140	
October 23-27, 2017	Sherwood, OR
Process of Interpretive Planning – CLM8244	
February 5-9, 2018	NCTC
Teaching Youth Outdoor Skills – OUT8062	
April 23-27, 2018	NCTC
Visitor Services Planning – CLM8251	
January 9-25, 2018	Online
Volunteer Recruitment & Management – CLM8114	
Aug 2-Sept 6, 2018	Online

Wildlife Biology and Field Techniques

Acoustic Monitoring of Bats for Regulatory Compliance – CSP2111	
May 7-12, 2018	Mammoth Cave, KY
Applied Conservation Genetics – CSP3148	
July 16-20, 2018	NCTC
Applied Landscape-Scale Conservation Biology – CSP2101	
January 8-12, 2018	NCTC
Basic Bird Biology – CSP2100	
April 30-May 4, 2018	NCTC
Conservation Biology and Modeling – CSP1104	
Dec 26, 2017-Jan 12, 2018	Online
Field and Lab Techniques – CSP3101	
September 10-14, 2018	NCTC

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