



U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

National Conservation Training Center

Conserving the Nature of America

CSP3116 - Interagency Consultation for Endangered Species

Course Code	CSP3116
Course Title	Interagency Consultation for Endangered Species
Description	<p>Target Audience: Primary U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and National Marine Fisheries Service biologists responsible for conducting project review of potential impacts to listed, proposed, or candidate endangered species. Action agency biologists and consultants are welcome to attend.</p> <p>Summary and Objectives: Participants acquire basic information on conducting interagency consultation under Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act. Key information needs and procedures are addressed, with a focus on the information needs related to biological assessments and opinions. Lectures and discussions emphasize interagency exchange of information and solutions to support species conservation.</p> <p>Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss the components of interagency consultation and describe related requirements and procedures; • Describe the necessary information included in a biological assessment or opinion; • Describe and apply the "may affect/no effect," "jeopardy/no jeopardy," and "adverse modification" determination processes; • Describe the Section 7(a)(1) conservation obligation and give examples of national consultations; and • Explain the importance of Section 7 consultation in implementing the conservation mandates of the Endangered Species Act. <p>Prerequisite: Endangered Species Act of 1973 - Overview (CSP3114). Note that if you enroll in this course you will be added to the wait list, but not enrolled, until you complete this prerequisite.</p>
Delivery Method	Instructor Led
Non-FWS Fee	\$796.00
Instructional Hours	32
Credits/CEUs	3.0
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Curriculum Category	Conservation Policy
Course Frequency	Multiple per year
Registration Link	Register in DOI Talent
College Credit Name	Semester Hours
College Credit Value	2

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Start	End	Location	Session Contact
10/28/2019	11/1/2019	National Conservation Training Center (NCTC)	Brenda Hooper; brenda_hooper@fws.gov
2/3/2020	2/7/2020	National Conservation Training Center (NCTC)	Brenda Hooper; brenda_hooper@fws.gov
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