Thinking about Conservation Law Enforcement as a major?

Then check out the Student Law Enforcement Association’s (SLEA) working clinic. SLEA will cover what law enforcement jobs look like right now. There will be information on developing a resume and a cover letter along with information on how to navigate WILENET and Wisc.Jobs. Also, seniors will discuss what they wish they knew now. Highly advised for freshman and sophomores considering this major to attend.

Monday, Feb 20; TNR 170 at 6pm

Need a resume? Have Questions? Meet with a CNR SSC Peer Mentor!

CNR SSC Peer Mentors have new appointment availability through Navigate! Stop in (TNR 122), call or click HERE to schedule a meeting on any of the following topics.

- Major/Minor/Involvement Questions
- Graduation Planning
- Resumes, Cover Letters, Job Search Help
Wisconsin Center for Wildlife Seminar Series

Join us each Thursday from February 9 through March 16, 2023 at 4 pm in TNR 170, for a total of six informative talks all about black bears.

February 23: The Anishanaabe (Ojibwe) and Makwa (Bear) Relationship

March 2: Bridging the Gap Between Black Bear Science and Policy at the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Click here to see locations, dates, and recordings!

USAjobs Virtual Open House

Join the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest Virtual Open House on Wednesday, February 22nd for an overview of two student intern indefinite positions, a review of the steps to apply, and questions will be addressed.

Register Here

Applications accepted through the USAJOBS links below from February 15-27, 2023. See CNR Job Board soon for more information too.

- Student Trainee (Biology & Natural Resources) located in Hayward, WI—Apply here: USAJOBS - Job Announcement
- Student Trainee (Archeology) located in Rhinelander, WI—Apply here: USAJOBS - Job Announcement

Registration is due by February 27th!

Sign up Here! Open to all students.
Did You Miss The CNR Career & Job Exploration Fair?

If you were unable to attend the CNR career fair on Tuesday, Feb 7th check out the list of employers here! Many of our employers are looking to hire you so look them up online!

Make your CNR SSC Peer Mentor meeting to update or create your resume for summer employment or the All-Major Career & Internship Fair on February 28th.
Abstract submissions are due **Friday, March 3rd at 11:59PM**

Photo days will take place in the NFAC Atrium from 11am-1pm
- Friday, March 3rd
- Monday, March 6th

Other important dates include:
- Booklet Review: March 27th-31st
- Poster Print by Date: April 14th
- Poster Hanging: April 20th

**CNR Symposium Photo Contest**

Are you an avid nature photographer interested in showcasing your best nature photos? Submit them to our CNR Research Symposium Photo Contest! The winning photo will be utilized as the cover photo on the symposium booklets that are printed. **But like all contests, we have a few rules**

- Max of three photo submissions per person
- Photos must be in good taste and semi-professional
- Photos must be as large as possible (4000 x 3000 pixels or better) and sent as a file attachment (formats accepted: jpeg, png, jpg)

Photos will be voted on by the CNR Symposium committee. The winner of the photo contest will receive a $50 Fleet Farm Gift Card! Runner up will receive a $25 Fleet Farm Gift Card **SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 28TH!** Submit all photos with the subject line "2023 Photo Contest" to cnrurs@uwsp.edu
Preparing For Summer Field Experience

**February 22**
Letter of employment **DUE** at 11:45 pm (If Applicable)

**February 24 -?**
Acceptance emails sent *(very tentative)*

**Mid-March**
Approval for course registration granted before summer registration opens.

**April 21**
Deadline to register for SFE classes

**May 21**
Session 1 begins

**June 30**
Session 1 ends. Waitlisted students may be contacted for session 2 or 3 up to a week before sessions 2 & 3 start

**July 9**
Sessions 2 and 3 begin

**August 18**
Session 2 and 3 ends

To view a full informational packet, slide show, info session recording, plant lists, click [here](#)!

**Illinois Foresters Unite**
Are you a forestry student from Illinois? Well, Dr. Paul Doruska is a forester from Illinois as well and has set up this gathering to get all of us together so we know who each other are! Meet, join in, and hang out with other forestry students from Illinois in **TNR 361 on March 1st from 5:30-7PM** – you might even find some new ride sharing partners for weekends and breaks as well! By all means wear clothing that touts that you are Illinois-proud (schools, towns, sports team) if you wish and hint – perhaps no Packers, Brewers, or Bucks clothing. Snacks and soft drinks will be provided so please email Paul ([pdoruska@uwsp.edu](mailto:pdoruska@uwsp.edu)) if you will be attending so he can have the correct amount of snacks and soft drinks on hand. See you there!

**SFE and CWES (Europe/Kenya) Wader Try-On Information**
Planning to go to Treehaven, Europe or Kenya? Included in your equipment pack is a pair of chest waders that you will receive upon your check-in at your assigned SFE session. Did you miss the first round of wader try-ons?

Not to worry, more wader try on dates coming soon!
Wildland Firefighter Class

Fire Crew is pleased to offer our Wildland Firefighter Certification Spring Course again at the end of February! This course is offered once over two weekends and is a chance to get your Basic Certifications for doing Prescribed Burns and Wildland Firefighting. It is a very good certification to have for all Natural Resource professionals. The course runs February 24-25 and March 3-5. The course costs $150. **The last day to register for this course has been extended to February 24th.** Registration forms are available on the Fire Crew SPIN Page as well as on the bulletin board outside of the Fire Crew Office (TNR361A). **See full poster on our Professional development board!**

Wisconsin Wetlands Conference

Wisconsin Wetland Association is hosting their Wetland Science Conference this week **Feb 21st-23rd** in Stevens Point! The Wetland Science Conference includes a keynote address, topical oral sessions that highlight wetland policy and research, a poster session, workshops, working groups, a banquet, and field trips to area wetlands.

XI Sigma Pi is Returning to the CNR!

Great news – the UWSP CNR chapter of the national Xi Sigma Pi honor society (national honor society for Forestry and Natural Resource Management) is restarting after a couple of years of inactivity. Students – please keep an eye on your email over the next couple of weeks for an invitation letter being sent to those that qualify (those with 60 credits and NRES 151, NRES 250, and NRES 251 completed and a GPA of at least 3.00 are eligible). More details will be included in that email and invitation letter. Please reach out to Paul Doruska (pdoruska@uwp.edu; office TNR 239) who is more than willing to serve as the faculty adviser to the group and is a Xi Sigma Pi member from back in his undergraduate days with any questions.

Interested in events like these? Check out our Professional Development board!
Have something you want added to the CNR Reporter? Want to submit a photo? Please send all submissions and photos to CNR.Reporter@uwsp.edu

Are you looking for help with your classes but not sure where to start?
Meet with a Peer Academic Coach through the Tutoring and Learning Center (TLC) to learn strategies and skills to be a successful student.

Peer Academic Coaches can help you:
- Create a work completion plan.
- Prepare and study for exams.
- Learn about campus resources.
- Implement study and time management strategies.
- Stay accountable with your course work through weekly check-ins.

Use your Navigate app. to set-up a Peer Academic Coaching appointment today!

Call: 715-346-3568 Email: tlctutor@uwsp.edu

Is there someone in your classes who you feel deserves to be recognized for all of the hard work that they do? Is there a faculty or staff member that you would love to show your appreciation to? Do you know someone doing some cool research? All of these are reasons to nominate someone to be featured in the CNR Spotlight! Make someone’s day by nominating them HERE!

Registration is due by February 24th!
Sign up here!

2ND ANNUAL
Free-Store Fashion Show
March 7th, 7:30-8:30pm
DUC Encore

We’re looking for teams of 5 students to help us highlight sustainable fashion! All clothing will be second-hand and provided by The Closet. Each member of your team will choose a category to assemble an outfit for. During the fashion show, you’ll show off your outfits to the audience and our SURPRISE CELEBRITY JUDGES to win sustainability prizes!

SIGN UP BY FEBRUARY 24, LINK IN BIO

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