

CNR Reporter

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February 20-24, 2023

CNR Student Success Center

TNR 122

cnrssc@uwsp.edu

715-346-4081

Click here to open Zoom:

www.uwsp.edu/cnr/ssc/

Appointments also available.

CNR SSC Office Hours

8am-5pm Monday-Thursday

8am-1pm Friday



Walk-Ins This Week!

Bobbi

Tuesday 9-10:30am- &

Thursday 1-2:30 pm

Katie

Wednesday 9-11am only

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's Amphibians and Reptiles need love, too!

A free webinar hosted by the Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin

Tuesday, February 21st, 12-1 p.m.

Zoom: <https://bit.ly/3kHtLc5>

Join us over the lunch hour to dive into the wonderful world of amphibians and reptiles! We'll hear from Dr. Joshua Kapfer and Rori Paloski, who will share information about the amphibians and reptiles that call Wisconsin home, conservation efforts that are underway to help protect them, and what people can do to help make a difference.



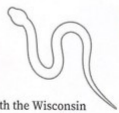
Dr. Joshua Kapfer

Professor at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, Certified Wildlife Biologist *, and editor of the long-awaited Amphibians and Reptiles of Wisconsin book



Rori Paloski

Conservation biologist with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources and Ph.D. candidate at University of Wisconsin-Madison researching eastern massasauga rattlesnakes



GIVEAWAY!
win a signed copy of the new book!



Mudpuppy photo by Heather Kaaraka, WDNR

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.

- o Student Trainee (Biology & Natural Resources) located in **Hayward, WI**—Apply here: [USAJOBS - Job Announcement](#)
- Student Trainee (Archeology) located in **Rhineland, WI**—Apply here: [USAJOBS - Job Announcement](#)

Share Your Story

Register by Feb 27th



"IT'S COMPLICATED" Workshop

11 MARCH
9 am - 3:30 pm in TNR 170

Women in Natural Resources is hosting this workshop to explore strategies that can be employed if you encounter bias, hate or harassment in the workplace.

In collaboration with:

Greenfire, SWCS, WiDNR, Native American Resource Center, Queer Resource Center, and Multicultural Resource Center

UWSP Women in Natural Resources



Registration is due by February 27th!

[Sign up Here!](#) Open to all students.

Upcoming Career Events

23
THUR

4:00 PM

Career Chat: How to Interview

231 CCC



28
TUES

2:00 PM

UW System Career Trek: TBD

Zoom

1:00-5:00 PM

All Major Career & Internship Fair

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Events where The Closet logo appears will have a selection of free, professional clothes available for all students.

UW-Stevens Point | Academic and Career Advising Center

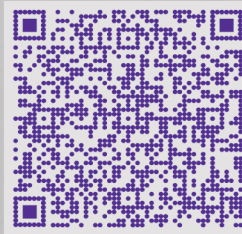
All-Major Career & Internship Fair

Tuesday, February 28, 2023 | 1-5 p.m.
Dreyfus University Center

- Connect with over 100 employers - part-time, full-time, and internship opportunities available
- Attend for free as a current student or alum
- Bring copies of your resume to distribute
- Business casual attire is encouraged

Accessibility Needs: If you need disability-related accommodations for this career fair, please contact Jacqui Guthrie (jguthrie@uwsp.edu) by Thursday, Feb. 23, 2023.

Have Questions? Call us at 715.346.3226 | Email us at accac@uwsp.edu



Many Natural Resources-related employers will be present at the all-campus career fair!
Check Handshake under events for the full employer list.

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.

2023 Jim and Katie Krause CNR Student Research Symposium

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 Research Symposium Student Planning Committee

The 24th annual Jim and Katie Krause College of Natural Resources Student Research Symposium will be held on **Friday, April 21st, 2023!** We are looking for more students to help plan the symposium, please join us every other Thursday in TNR 320 (pizza included)!

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) 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!

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.

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!**

Interested in events like these? Check out 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.

CNR JOB BOARD

Apply for Scholarships!

CNR Student Organizations

Professional Development

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



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



Office of Sustainability
University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point



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CLOTHING RESOURCES

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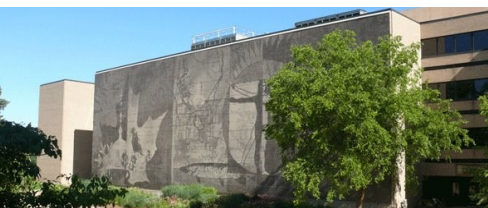
[Sign up here!](#)

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**](mailto:CNR.Reporter@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!](#)



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