

	YEAR 1			YEAR 2			YEAR 3	
	SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL
CORE COURSES (14 credits)		CONSERVATION, SCIENCE & COMMUNITY BOT/ZOO 699.T 2 credits	BIOLOGY IN THE AGE OF TECHNOLOGY BOT/ZOO 699.Y 2 credits ISSUES IN BIODIVERSITY BOT/ZOO 699.Z 2 credits		ISSUES IN EVOLUTION BOT/ZOO 698.A 2 credits	LEADERSHIP IN SCIENCE INQUIRY BOT/ZOO 698.8 2 credits PROFESSIONAL MEDIA WORKSHOP BOT/ZOO 698.9 2 credits		MASTER'S CAPSTONE BOT/ZOO 699.2 2 credits
W+ COURSES (21 hrs. required)	FOUNDATIONS OF INQUIRY BIO 654 3 credits*	GLOBAL BIOMES : DENVER ZOO CONSERVATION REGIONS OF FOCUS BIO 699.B 3 credits*	MASTER PLAN IN ACTION BIO 655 1 credit*	HUMAN DIMENSIONS OF CONSERVATION BIO 699 C 3 credits	ENGAGING COMMUNITIES IN CONSERVATION SOLUTIONS OR URBAN ECOLOGY BIO 656/BIO 622 3 credits	GRADUATE RESEARCH: FIELD METHODS BIO 620 2 credits	REGIONAL ECOLOGY: ROCKY MOUNTAIN FIELD INVESTIGATIONS BIO 657 3 credits	ENGAGING COMMUNITIES IN CONSERVATION SOLUTIONS OR URBAN ECOLOGY BIO 656/BIO 622 3 credits
						INDEPENDENT STUDY or INTERNSHIP (OPTIONAL) (1-3 credits)		
						EARTH EXPEDITION (OPTIONAL) (7 CREDITS) *REQUIRES ADVISOR APPROVAL		

*Required Courses by DZF

*Starting summer of year 2, students will have the flexibility to determine the order of courses they take to best meet their personal and academic needs

* 2nd and 3rd year Fall courses will rotate every other year, not offered simultaneously

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