

# 2023-24 Ecology, Evolution, and Conservation Biology Worksheet

## Major in Biological Sciences

To complete this concentration, Biological Sciences Majors may choose any 3 of the following:

- BIOL\_SCI 332-0**     **Conservation Genetics** - Critical issues in the management and understanding of endangered populations. *Prereq: BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0.*
- BIOL\_SCI 333-0**     **Plant-Animal Interactions** - Plant-animal interactions, and their consequences for individuals, populations, ecological communities, and ecosystems. *Prereq: BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 339-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 341-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 342-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0.*
- BIOL\_SCI 334-0**     **Soils and the Environment: The Earth's Critical Zone** - Soil development and morphology; physical, chemical, hydrologic, and biological properties of soils. *Prereq: BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 339-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 341-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 342-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0.*
- BIOL\_SCI 336-0**     **Spring Flora** - Life cycles, vegetative and reproductive structures, and adaptations for pollination and fruit and seed dispersal of the wildflowers, trees, and shrubs of oak woodland. *Prereq: BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 339-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 341-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 342-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0.*
- BIOL\_SCI 337-0**     **Biostatistics** - Approaches, methods, and techniques for analyzing datasets in ecology and conservation biology. *Prereqs: BIOL\_SCI 201-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0, and MATH 218-3 OR 220-2.*
- BIOL\_SCI 339-0**     **Critical Topics in Ecology and Conservation** - Seminar discussing historical and modern publications in the field. *Prereq: BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 339-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 341-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 342-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0.*
- BIOL\_SCI 341-0**     **Population Genetics** - Processes that affect allele frequency change and thus cause evolution. *Prereqs: BIOL\_SCI 203-0, and BIOL\_SCI 337-0 OR a course in statistics.*
- BIOL\_SCI 342-0**     **Evolutionary Processes** - Evolutionary mechanisms (natural selection, genetic drift), evolutionary history (speciation, phylogenetics), and adaptations (sex, cooperation, aging, life history). *Prereqs: BIOL\_SCI 203-0, and BIOL\_SCI 337-0 OR another course in statistics.*
- BIOL\_SCI 344-0**     **Anatomy of Vertebrates** - Vertebrate phylogeny illustrated via comparative morphology; anatomical/ functional and ontogenetic considerations; dissections. *Prereqs: BIOL\_SCI 103-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR 341-0 OR 342-0.*
- BIOL\_SCI 346-0**     **Field Ecology** - An intensive experience in field ecological research. *Prereqs: BIOL\_SCI 203-0, and BIOL\_SCI 337-0 or another a course in statistics.*
- BIOL\_SCI 347-0**     **Conservation Biology** - Evolution, ecology, and conservation of patterns of biological diversity. *Prereqs: BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0, and BIOL\_SCI 337-0 or another course in statistics.*
- BIOL\_SCI 349-0**     **Community Ecology** - Abundance, distribution, diversity, and scaling in plant communities in space-time. *Prereq: BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 339-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 341-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 342-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0.*
- BIOL\_SCI 350-0**     **Plant Evolution and Diversity Lab** - Introduction to the diversity and evolutionary history of land plants. Introduction to the diversity and evolutionary history of land plants. *Prereq: BIOL\_SCI 203-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 339-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 341-0 OR BIOL\_SCI 342-0 OR ENVR\_SCI 202-0.*