

NORTHERN ROCKIES OUTDOOR LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATE

The Northern Rockies Outdoor Leadership Certificate is designed through collaboration of multiple University of Montana programs as a certificate to complement any major across campus for students interested in gaining and strengthening leadership skills through engagement in diverse conceptual courses and outdoor field settings. The purpose of the program is to provide undergraduate students or individuals with an undergraduate degree with leadership training and application that can be applied to any professional, academic, and personal setting in their future.

General Certificate Requirements

Additional requirements for graduation can be found on the Degree/Certificate Requirements for Graduation page (<https://catalog.umd.edu/academics/graduation-requirements/>).

Unless otherwise noted in individual program requirements, a minimum grade point average of 2.00 in all work attempted at the University of Montana-Missoula is required for graduation. Please see the Academic Policies and Procedures page (<https://catalog.umd.edu/academics/policies-procedures/>) for information on how your GPA is calculated.

Courses taken to satisfy the requirements of a major, minor, or certificate program must be completed with a grade of C- or better unless a higher grade is noted in the program requirements.

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- Students are required to do an internship where they can apply their leadership skills with a professional partner. Internships can include on-campus initiatives like the Freshman Wilderness Experience and other student-led trips as well as off-campus internships with local, regional, or global partners. Internships will be approved by the coordinating committee and will be tracked through the W.A. Franke College of Forestry and Conservation.

Course Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Theory		
Complete one of the following courses:		3
COMX 210	Communication in Small Groups	
GBLD 220	Models of Leadership	
HTH 465	Leading Health and Human Performance Organizations	
NRSM 373	Wilderness and Civilization	
PTRM 217S	Parks & Outdoor Recreation Management	
PTRM 380	Recreation Administration & Leadership	
Experience		
Complete one of the following courses:		1
ACT 114	Beginning Rock Climbing	
ACT 175	Fly Fishing	

ACT 176	Fundamentals of Whitewater Rafting	
ACT 177	Fundamentals of Kayaking	
ACT 214	Intermediate Rock Climbing	
ECP 102	Wilderness First Aid	
ECP 122	Wilderness First Responder	
ECP 331	Wilderness EMT	
Field Courses		
Complete one of the following courses:		3-5
NRSM 273	Wilderness and Civilization Field Studies	
PTRM 345X	Sustaining Human Society & Natural Environment	
PTRM 353	Tourism, Livelihoods and Sustainability in Mountains	
PTRM 355	Wilderness Medicine And Risk Management	
PTRM 356	Wilderness Rescue and Survival	
PTRM 418	Winter Wilderness Field Studies	
Internship		
Complete one of the following courses:		3
CHTH 498	Internship	
KIN 498	Internship	
NRSM 498	Internship	
PTRM 398	Internship	
Total Hours		10-12