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LIBRARY IMPACT STATEMENT (New Course Proposal)
LIBRARIAN'S ASSESSMENT

Subject selectors will complete this form as requested, assessing library materials and collections as detailed below. Send one copy of the assessment to the faculty member who requested it. Send one copy of the assessment to the Collection Management Officer.

Program: NRS 432X

Department, College: Natural Resources Science

Faculty Member: Professor Nancy Karraker

Date returned to Faculty: March 2, 2022

Librarian Completing Assessment: Michael A. Cerbo II

Collection Management Officer: Professor Joanna Burkhardt

This 3 credit course is titled “Wildlife trafficking” and the Professor expects the students to conduct some research using current resource in the subject area which will “...culminate in a final research paper.”

We are able to add whatever appropriate monographic needs might arise for the instructor. Our monographic holdings in conservation and wildlife management are good and any additional materials can be garnered though interlibrary loan.

Access to journals in this field meets the needs of the course. All the required journals are offered through the library, including *Biological Conservation*, *Conservation Biology* and the *Journal of Wildlife Management*. Our online indexes and abstracts in conservation specifically and the sciences generally should more than meet the demands of this course. In particular, access to reference databases such as Scopus, Environment Abstracts, Science Inventory (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency), and the more general Academic Search Complete are available.

Therefore, the librarian believes that the Library can support, bibliographically, the needs of the students to be able to acquire the most out of this course.

Michael A. Cerbo II
Natural Resource Science Bibliographer
2 March 2022