#### TRANSFER GUIDE FOR OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY

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# Umpqua Community College

### **Rangeland Sciences**

Rangeland sciences is the study and sustainable management of rangelands across a variety of biomes, from arid deserts, to mesic grasslands, to tropical savannahs. The program takes an interdisciplinary approach to provide advanced scientific knowledge regarding multiple ecological processes and social drivers influencing rangeland ecosystems around the globe.

Students gain the skills and knowledge needed to fully understand and effectively manage rangelands.

Students may select an option from:

- Habitat Management
- Pastoral Systems of the World
- Sustainable Livestock Ranching
- Sustainable Rangeland Ecosystem Stewardship

## Your Bachelor's Degree (BS) in Rangeland Sciences



- A minimum of 180 credits are required for graduation; 60 must be upper division (300 and 400-level courses).
- A maximum of 135 transfer credits may be applied toward a bachelor's degree at OSU.
- Only courses with letter prefixes and numbers above 100 are accepted.
- More info at: <a href="mailto:agsci.oregonstate.edu/degree/rangeland-sciences-bs">agsci.oregonstate.edu/degree/rangeland-sciences-bs</a>

## **Courses Required for Rangeland Sciences Major**

Rangeland Science Core Requirements. This list is not comprehensive. Contact an OSU advisor for more information	Equivalent UCC Course	OSU Course	Notes
Calculus for Management & Social Sci.	MTH 242	MTH 241	
Principles of Statistics	MTH 243	ST 201	
Biology Intro to Biology	  	BI 204 BI 205 BI 206	Only select one full series (either all 211-213 or all of 221-223) OSU now only offers BI 221-223. If taking BI 211-
Principles of Biology	BI 211 BI 212 BI 213	BI LD2 BI LD2 BI LD2	213, you must take entire series at Umpqua CC.  Refer to <a href="https://admissions.oregonstate.edu/ld1-and-ld">https://admissions.oregonstate.edu/ld1-and-ld</a> <a href="explained">explained</a> to learn more about BI LD2 equivalency.
Chemistry	CH 221 CH 222 CH 223	CH 121 CH 122 CH 123	CH 121-123: Available online at OSU
Communication	SP 111 SP 112 SP 218	COMM 111 COMM 114 COMM 218	Complete one(1) course
Technical Writing		WR 327 (LD)	(LD) = Lower division transfer
Intro to Wildland Ecology		RNG 121	Available online at OSU
Soil Science Soil Science + Lab Principles of Soil Science	SOIL 205/206	SOIL 205/206 CSS 205	Complete one(1) option CSS 205: Available online at OSU
Field Sampling of Fish and Wildlife	NR 255	FW 251	
Applied Animal Nutrition		ANS 313	Available online at OSU

# Courses Required for Rangeland Sciences Major: Option specific

Note: Students are not required to complete an option

Habitat Management

Natural Resources Management

Other courses available, speak with advisor



Managing NR for Future	FOR/NR 201	NR 201	All courses listed: Available online at OSU
NR Problems & Solutions		NR 202	

Additional course requirements	UCC Course	OSU Course	Notes	
Pastoral Systems				
International Systems Global Poverty & Sustain. Develop. Geography of Non-Western World Human-Environment Geography	  	AEC 243 GEOG 105 GEOG 203	Complete two(2) courses from options. Other courses available post-transfer; speak with advisor for selection GEOG 105/203: Available online at OSU	
Sustainable Livestock Ranching				
Livestock Management Intro to Animal Science Beef/Dairy Industries Small Ruminant/Swine		ANS 121 ANS 215 ANS 216	Complete 9 credits from options; other courses available post-transfer; speak with advisor for selection ANS 121: Available online at OSU	
Business Management Ag & Food Management Intro to Ag & Food Economics	AEC 211	AEC 211 AEC 251	Complete 6 credits from options; other courses available post-transfer; speak with advisor for selection ANS 211: Available online at OSU	
Sustainable Rangeland Ecosystem Stewardship				
Deeper Plants, Soils, and Water Forest Biology Dendrology	FOR 240 FOR 241	FES 240 FES 241	Complete 12 credits from options; other courses available post-transfer; speak with advisor for selection  All courses listed: Available online at OSU	
Business Management Intro to Animal Science Beef/Dairy Industries Small Ruminant/Swine	  	ANS 121 ANS 215 ANS 216	Complete 6 credits from options; other courses available post-transfer; speak with advisor for selection ANS 121: Available online at OSU	
Deeper Natural Resource Mgmt. Environmental Law, Policy, Econ. Managing NR for Future NR Problems & Solutions Recreation Resource Mgmt.	 FOR/NR 201  FOR/NR 261	AEC 253 NR 201 NR 202 TRAL 251	Complete 9 credits from options; other courses available post-transfer; speak with advisor for selection All courses listed: Available online at OSU	

#### **General Education Courses** (called the Baccalaureate Core)

- Complete one course in each Perspective category with no more than two in the same department.
- Full listing of Umpqua CC courses that fulfill Bacc Core requirements: <u>admissions.oregonstate.edu/baccalaureate-core-course-equivalencies-umpqua-community-college</u>

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	Math	Completed as part of major			
SKILLS COURSES	Writing I	WR 121. Required to transfer.			
	Writing II	Completed as part of major: see advisor for options			
	Speech (Writing III)	Completed as part of major: see advisor for options			
	Fitness (HHS 231 and 241)	HPE 295			
	Biological Science	Completed as part of major			
	Physical Science	Completed as part of major			
PERSPECTIVE COURSES	Additional Biological or Physical Science	Completed as part of major			
	Cultural Diversity	Choose one course from BaccCore link above			
	Literature and the Arts	Choose one course from BaccCore link above			
	Social Processes and Institutions	Completed as part of major: see advisor for options			
	Western Culture	Choose one course from BaccCore link above			
<b>DPD COURSE</b> Difference, Power, & Discrimination		Choose one course from BaccCore link above			
	Contomporary Clobal Issues	Unner division source, take through OCH			
SYNTHESIS COURSES	Contemporary Global Issues Science, Technology, & Society	Upper division course, take through OSU Upper division course, take through OSU			
	Science, reciniology, & Society	Opper division course, take infough OSO			

# **Important Notes & Resources**

- See a <u>sample degree plan</u> by searching "Rangeland Sciences" in the OSU Catalog at <u>catalog.oregonstate.edu</u>. Or find a sample degree plan on the Rangeland Science Fact Sheet <u>agsci.oregonstate.edu/degree-fact-sheet/rangeland-sciences</u>
- Rangeland Sciences offers 4 options which allow students to specialize. The options are <u>Habitat Management</u>,
   <u>Pastoral Systems of the World</u>, <u>Sustainable Livestock Ranching</u>, and <u>Sustainable Rangeland Ecosystem</u>
   <u>Stewardship</u>. More details can be found by searching "Rangeland Sciences" in the OSU Catalog at
   <u>catalog.oregonstate.edu</u>
- Other similar majors to explore: <u>Animal Sciences</u>, <u>Zoology</u>. Check out all OSU programs at <u>catalog.oregonstate.edu</u>.

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- 100 and 200 level and lower division Baccalaureate Core are priority courses to complete before transferring to OSU.
- For Rangeland Science students, the best time to transfer is fall term, particularly due to the Rangeland Science series courses. Talk with an OSU advisor about your specific timeline.
- It is important to speak with the Rangeland Science Advisor <u>Janell Johnson</u> early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing. Janell can be reached at <u>janell.johnson@oregonstate.edu</u>

#### **Resources and OSU Information:**

- Students do not have to complete a transfer degree in order to transfer to OSU.
  - If you've completed the Oregon AAOT, all requirements of the Baccalaureate Core are complete except for Synthesis Courses and Writing Intensive Courses.
- Preparing to apply to OSU? See transfer student admissions info: transfer.oregonstate.edu
- Want to take classes at both OSU and an Oregon community college? Check out the Degree Partnership Program: partnerships.oregonstate.edu/students
- Visit OSU for a campus tour and meet with an advisor; schedule your visit at <u>visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus</u>

## **Advising Contacts**

Academic advisors at your community college and OSU are available to answer your questions and assist you in creating a transfer plan. See your community college advisor first and use this Transfer Guide to help you plan. It is important to speak with your OSU academic advisor early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing. To schedule a visit, go to Corvallis campus: <a href="visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus">visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus</a> and LaGrande campus: <a href="https://www.eou.edu/admissions/visit/">https://www.eou.edu/admissions/visit/</a>.

Umpqua Community College	umpqua.edu/areas-of-study/transfer-education		
OSU College of Agricultural Sciences Student Advisor	Janell Johnson 541-737-1870	Francine Czerniawski (EOU Advisor) 541-962-3543	
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