

CONSERVATION ACROSS BOUNDARIES®

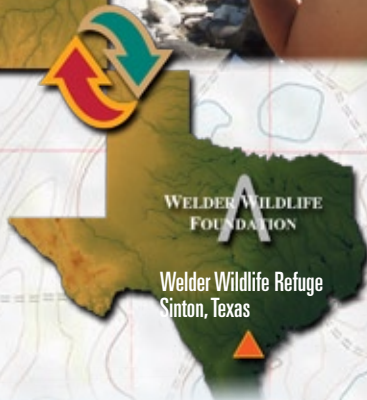
Enhancing Wildlife Conservation Through Education

CAB MT-TX TOPICS:

- Species diversity
- Habitat ecology and management
- Population ecology
- Predator-prey interactions
- Conservation ethics
- Wildlife and plant identification
- Soil classification
- Water quality
- Landscape geology
- Cultural History



Theodore Roosevelt
Memorial Ranch
Dupuyer, Montana



WELDER WILDLIFE
FOUNDATION
Welder Wildlife Refuge
Sinton, Texas



APPLICATION DEADLINE APRIL 1, 2010

**RETURN APPLICATIONS WITH
PAYMENT TO:**

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CAB® MT-TX

June 18 - July 2, 2010

COURSE DESCRIPTION

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This course takes a systems approach comparing two distinct ecological regions of North America, and the science behind the conservation and management of wildlife species endemic to these regions. Coursework incorporates hands-on field activities in the short-grass prairie and montane ecosystems of north central Montana and in the coastal prairies and marsh ecosystems in south Texas. Participants will learn about topics related to the unique ecology and habitats of the regions with emphasis on management issues regarding plants and animals. Computer technology associated with systems ecology and management, and mapping will be taught during the course.

CAB MT-TX COURSE LOCATIONS:

Montana: The 6,000-acre Theodore Roosevelt Memorial Ranch (TRMR) is located northwest of Great Falls, Montana, in a unique ecotone between the Rocky Mountains, adjoining foothills, and the expansive short-grass prairie. The TRMR, owned by the Boone and Crockett Club, operates as a working cattle ranch. Research, education, and demonstration projects and programs in wildlife conservation and integrated livestock and land management are conducted in association with the College of Forestry and Conservation at the University of Montana.

Texas: The 7,800-acre Welder Wildlife Refuge (WWR) is located north of Corpus Christi, Texas in an ecotone between the Gulf Coastal Prairies and Marshes, and the Rio Grande Plains. The Rob and Bessie Welder Wildlife Foundation, headquartered on WWR, funds and conducts research and education in the field of wildlife ecology, management, and conservation. The property is operated as a working cattle ranch and research station.

COSTS FOR CAB MT-TX:

- \$250 course application fee due with application by April 1, 2010. (Full reimbursement will be made if applicant not accepted to the course. If applicant cancels before the cancellation deadline of April 19, 2010, application fee minus a processing fee of \$35 will be reimbursed.)
- Any personal expenses.

GRANT FUNDING COVERS:

- Costs for lodging, materials, and meals (other than those incurred while traveling to, from, and between course locations).
- Airfare between Montana and Texas.
- Travel stipend for participants who successfully complete the course.