

RcMgt 404 Sec 02  
WILDERNESS MANAGEMENT FIELD STUDIES (3 cr)

A unique learning experience at Taylor Ranch, the University of Idaho's Wilderness Research Center Field Station, in the heart of the Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness. Participants will be introduced to the history and philosophy of American Wilderness, the challenge of managing to protect the pristine environment, the latest techniques of low-impact camping, wilderness travel techniques, care and handling of pack stock in the wilderness, the basics of horse and mule packing, camp setup and restoration, natural and human history, and the latest research investigating the wilderness environment. Highlights will include hiking to the magnificent Middle Fork of the Salmon River, a three-day backpacking trip, a ~~three-day~~ <sup>5-10</sup> trip using pack stock, and living in the heart of the largest Wilderness (2.3 million acres) in the lower 48 states.

Enrollment limited to 12 participants.

DATES:

AUG 1-15  
June 6-20

INSTRUCTORS:

James Akenson, Research Associate and Taylor Ranch Manager  
Holly Akenson, Wildlife Researcher and Taylor Ranch Manager  
Edwin E. Krumpe, Director, Wilderness Research Center and  
Associate Professor of Wildland Recreation Management

CREDITS:

3 credits in RcMgt 404/504

SPECIAL FEE:

\$600, which includes food, pack stock, text books, special equipment, and round-trip bush plane flight from Cascade, ID, to Taylor Ranch

LOCATION:

Taylor Ranch Field Station, Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness, central Idaho.



COURSE OUTLINE  
WILDERNESS MANAGEMENT FIELD STUDIES  
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- I. History and Philosophy of Wilderness in America
- II. The Management Challenge--Protecting the Pristine Wilderness Environment
- III. Concepts and Techniques of Low-Impact Camping and Travel in Wilderness
  - A. The nature of recreation impacts
  - B. Low-impact travel on the trail and off-trail
  - C. Low-impact camping techniques
- IV. Care and Handling of Pack Stock
  - A. Feeding, grooming, health care
  - B. Handling and safety of stock
  - C. Packing, loads, ropes & hitches
  - D. Handling stock on the trail
  - E. Handling stock in camp to reduce impacts
  - F. Modern concepts of traveling light
- V. Human History and Wilderness Lore of the Big Creek Area
- VI. Highlights of Wilderness Research
  - A. Humans
  - B. Wildlife
  - C. Prehistoric Inhabitation



# SPECIAL PROGRAM PROPOSED BUDGET

Program Title Wilderness Management Field Studies

## INSTRUCTIONAL EXPENSE BUDGET

A. Salaries	
1. Instructors name and amount	
<u>James Akenson</u>	<u>\$ 800</u>
<u>Holly Akenson</u>	<u>\$ 500</u>
<u>Edwin E. Krumpe</u>	<u>\$ 200</u>
2. Assistants, aides, consultants	
<u></u>	<u>\$</u>
<u></u>	<u>\$</u>
<u></u>	<u>\$</u>
<b>Subtotal A: Salaries</b>	<b><u>\$1500</u></b>
B. Operating Expenses	
1. Travel (explain need)	<u>\$1200</u>
<u>Charter flights from</u>	
<u>Cascade to Taylor Ranch &amp;</u>	
<u>return</u>	
2. Supplies (equipment)	<u>\$ 500</u>
3. <del>Refreshments</del> Food $\$210 \times 12$	<u>\$2500</u>
4. Marketing	<u>\$ 200</u>
(brochure printing, mailing, advertising)	
5. Other	<u>\$</u>
<b>Subtotal B: Operating Exp</b>	<b><u>\$4400</u></b>
<b>TOTAL PROGRAM COST (A+B)</b>	<b><u>\$5900</u></b>

Submitted by:

Edwin E. Krumpe  
Program Director

11/2/86  
Date

## STUDENT EXPENSE BUDGET

(list charges to students in addition to registration fees)

1. Food and lodging per student 14 days x \$15	<u>\$ 210</u>
2. Transportation cost per student	<u>\$ 150</u>
3. Materials per student	<u>\$ 50</u>
4. Equipment rental per student	<u>\$ 150</u>
5. Insurance cost per student	<u>\$ 40</u>
6. Other, cost per student	<u>\$</u>
<b>Total budget for student, per student</b>	<b><u>\$ 600</u></b>

Approvals:

Ed. Krumpe, Acting Head  
Department and/or Division Chairperson

James R. Fajit  
College Dean (Approved)

Summer Program Director



Outline - BY DAYS

EQUIP

EQUIP LIST

Send equip list

Boise VAN

11247  
325  
21750 500

220

1300

600

70

70

300

112

170

1800

900

7  
14  
8  
112

June T-F