



Master Wildlifer – Wildlife Conservation on Private Lands

**A Satellite Course for Private Landowners and Wildlife Enthusiasts
February 1, 2005 to March 15, 2005**

Master Wildlifer is designed for landowners and land managers who are interested in including wildlife considerations into their current management scenarios. Practicing land managers will find the course valuable in highlighting alternative management approaches for wildlife in forest and farm settings. Special emphasis is placed on wildlife species (game species) that currently offer landowners additional sources of income through recreational access fees. Course participants will obtain the knowledge and necessary tools to enhance habitat for a variety of wildlife species that can be enjoyed by themselves, family and friends, and outdoor recreationists.

Award-Winning Master Wildlifer

- 2004 USDA Secretary's Honor Award, highest award presented by USDA
- 2004 American Distance Education Award
- 2003 Southern Region Extension Award

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The Master Wildlifer course will be broadcast live over satellite from Clemson University's studio and delivered to downlink sites across the country in seven 3-hour evening sessions beginning February 1, 2005 through March 15, 2005. Video tapes and DVDs of the Master Wildlifer course will also be available after the live broadcast sessions. Course sessions include:

- Session I Introduction to Wildlife Management**
- Session II Ecology & Management of Small Game**
- Session III Ecology & Management of White-tailed Deer**
- Session IV Ecology & Management of Eastern Wild Turkey**
- Session V Fish Pond Management**
- Session VI Managing Wetlands for Waterfowl and Other Wildlife**
- Session VII Income Opportunities from Wildlife on Private Lands**

The book *Managing Wildlife* (Yarrow and Yarrow 1999, Sweetwater Press) will be the reference manual for the course.

**For more about Master Wildlifer visit the web site at www.masterwildlifer.net
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