



Department of Wildlife Sciences

2025





Education

Undergrad Courses

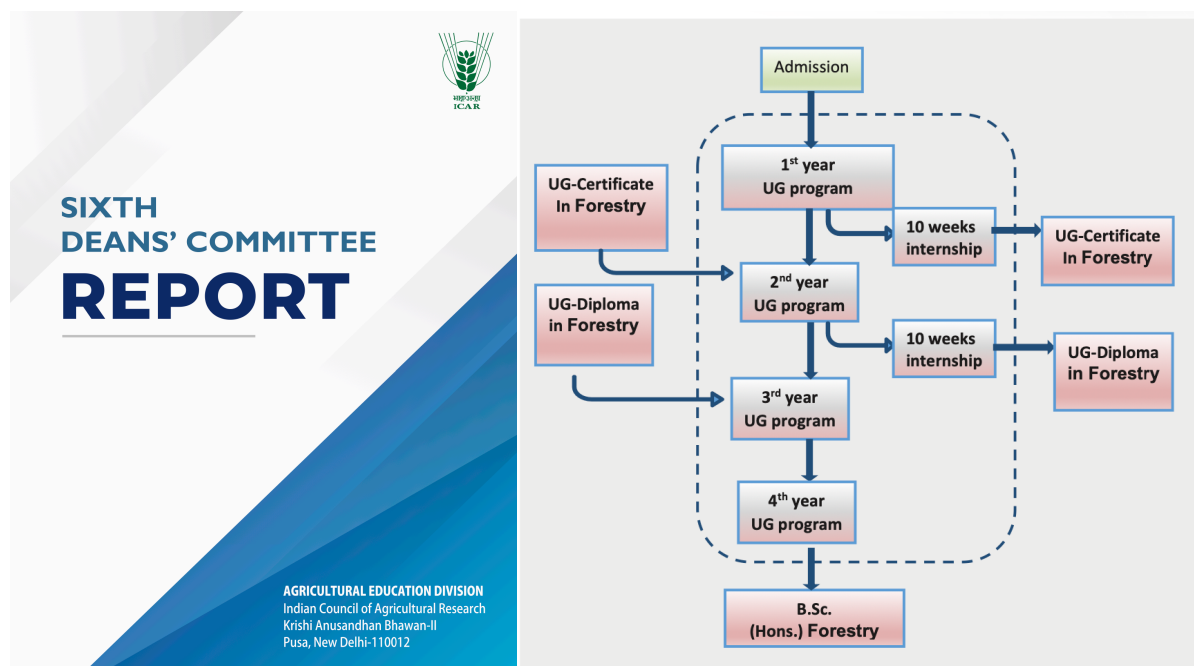
Following courses are being taught to B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry students who study as per the Fifth Deans Committee of ICAR:

Semester	Course Title	Credit
III	Wildlife Biology	2+1
IV	Ornithology & Herpetology	2+1
IV	Study tour to State Forest	0+1
VIII	Wildlife Management	1+1
VII	All India Study Tour	0+3



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Semester	Course Title	Credit
III	Wildlife Sciences	2+1
VI	Wildlife and Protected Area Management	2+1
V	Study tour	0+2



(Sixth Deans' Committee Report)

Skill Enhancement Courses as per the Sixth Dean Committee

1. Ecotourism
2. Ornithology
3. Herpetology
4. Zoo Management
5. Wildlife Photography
6. Wildlife Forensic Sciences
7. Human-Animal Ecosystem Interface

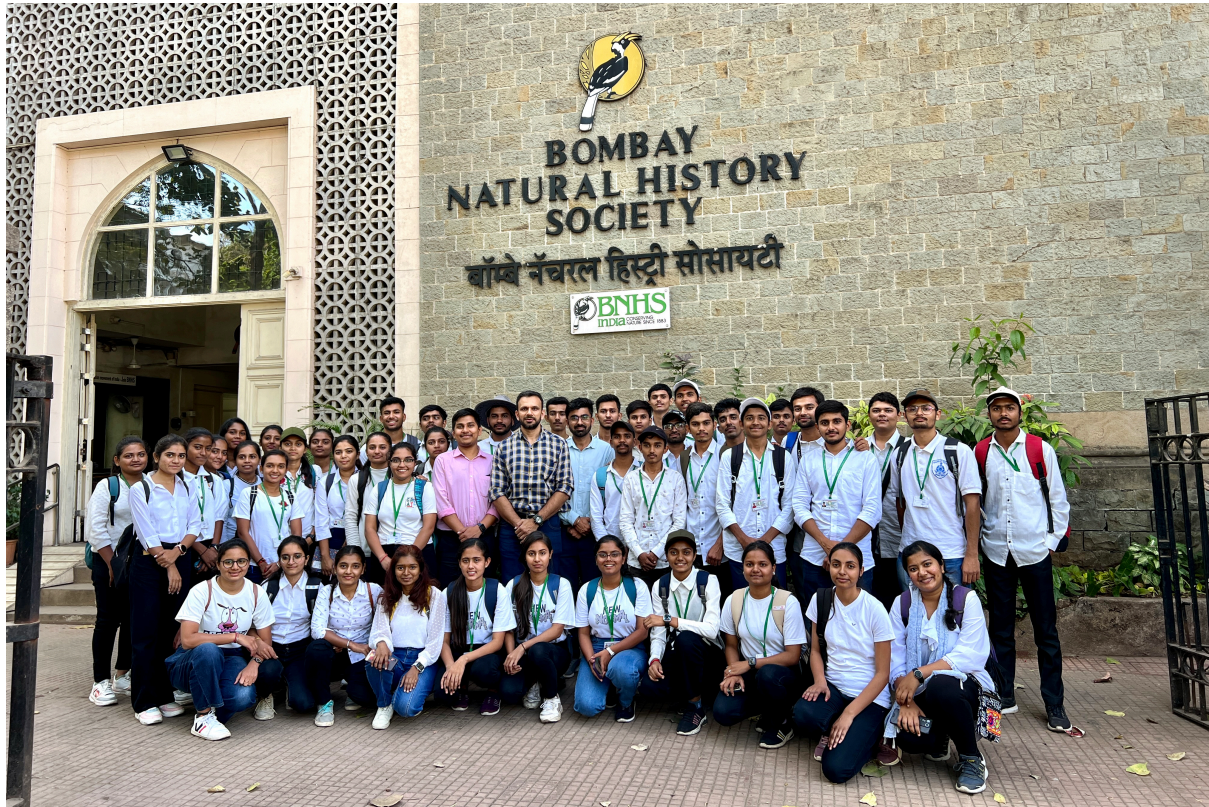


Skill Development Courses

as offered by the Department

1. Certificate Course in Nature & Wildlife Photography (1 year)
2. Certificate Course in Bird Watching & Basic Ornithology (6 months/ 1 year)
3. Certificate Course in Camera trapping and Data Collection (6 months)
4. Certificate Course in Rescue and Rehabilitation (3 months)
5. Postgraduate Diploma in Wildlife Conservation (1 year)





Dissertations of B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry

No.	Name	Title	Year
1.	Simran Panchal	Population density and habitat use of Five-striped squirrel (<i>Funambulus pennanti</i>) in Navsari Agricultural University	2022
2.	Harsh Prajapati	Population density and habitat use of Indian Peafowl (<i>Pavo cristatus</i>) in Navsari Agricultural University	2022
3.	Akshay A J	Time activity budget of free ranging dogs (<i>Canis familiaris</i>) in Navsari Agricultural University	2024
4.	Saqlain Saiyed	Human-leopard interactions in coastal villages of Jalalpore taluka in Navsari District.	2023
5.	Jaykumar Patel	Crop damage by wild boar (<i>Sus scrofa</i>) in some villages of Jalalpore and Mahua taluka of Gujarat, India	2023
6.	Kavya Shah	Assessing population status of free – ranging dogs of Navsari Agricultural University	2024
7.	Jyotirmay Ulva	Distribution and habitat use of spotted owl (<i>Athene brama</i>) in Navsari Agricultural University	2024
8.	Parth Thumar	Status and distribution of birds in Navsari Agricultural University campus	2025
9.	Abhilasha Vadhel	Human-Snake interaction in and around Navsari Agricultural University campus	2025

Postgrads M.Sc. Forestry in Wildlife Science

1.	Chitra Patel	Human-Leopard Interaction in Mandvi Taluka of Surat District.
2.	Akbar Mashi	Impact of Kilad Ecotourism Site on Socio-economic Status of Tribals of the Dangas and Conservation Awareness.
3.	HarshPatel	Assessment of Roadkills on A Stretch of NH 64 From Eru Char Rasta to Dandi



Postgrads

Wildlife and Biological Sciences

No.	Name	Course Title	Institution
1.	Aswin S.	M.Sc. Forestry in Wildlife Science 2016-2018	Kerala Agricultural University, Trissur
2.	Rahul Sreekumar	Ph.D. Biological Sciences 2018-2023	Central Queensland University, Rockhampton, Australia
3.	Zankhana Patel	M.Sc. Wildlife Science 2019-2021	Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun
4	Ananya Prasad	M.Sc. Wildlife Science 2022-2024	Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh
5.	Akhila C. K.	M.Sc. Wildlife Biology & Conservation 2024-2026	National Centre for Biological Sciences, Bengaluru
6.	Akshay A. J.	M.Sc. Wildlife Science 2024-2026	Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun
7.	Jyotirmay Ulva	M.Sc. Wildlife Sciences & Ornithology 2024-2026	Salim Ali Centre for Ornithology & Natural History, Coimbatore
8.	Kavya Shah	M.Sc. Landscape Ecology 2025-2027	University of Hohenheim, Stuttgart, Germany



Zankhana Patel



Akhila C. K.



Dr. Rahul Sreekumar



Akshay A. J.



Jyotirmay Ulva



Ananya Prasad



Kavya Shah



Aswin S.