



Fact Sheet: Network Partners



The Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Units (CESU) Network is a national consortium of federal agencies, academic institutions, tribal, state, and local governments, nongovernmental conservation organizations, and other partners working together to support informed public trust resource stewardship. The seventeen CESUs bring together scientists, resource managers, students, and other conservation professionals, drawing upon expertise from across the biological, physical, social, cultural, and engineering disciplines (from Anthropology to Zoology) to conduct collaborative and interdisciplinary applied projects that address natural and cultural heritage resource issues at multiple scales and in an ecosystem context. Each CESU is structured as a working collaborative with participation from numerous federal and nonfederal institutional partners. CESUs are based at host universities and focused on a particular biogeographic region of the country.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alaska Department of Fish and Game Alaska Geographic Alaska Pacific University Alaska Sealife Center American Bird Conservancy American Indian Sci. and Eng. Society American Samoa Community College American University Amphibian and Reptile Conservancy Anne Arundel Community College Antioch University New England Appalachian State University Archaeology Southwest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arizona Game and Fish Department Arizona State University Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum Auburn University Audubon of Florida Audubon of Missouri Audubon of North Carolina Audubon of South Carolina Audubon of Mississippi River Initiative Austin Peay State University Ball State University Barry University Bat Conservation International 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bates College Biodiversity Research Institute Bird Conservancy of the Rockies Bishop Museum Blackfeet Community College Black Hills State University Boise State University Brigham Young University Calif. Assoc. for Resource Cons. Districts California Dept. of Fish and Wildlife California Invasive Plant Council California Polytechnic State University Cal. State Polytech. University, Pomona 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> California State University, Channel Isl. California State University, Chico California State University, Fresno California State University, Fullerton California State University, Los Angeles California State University, Monterey Bay California State University, Northridge California State University, Sacramento California State University, Stanislaus Carnegie Mellon University Central Michigan University Central Washington University Cetacean Logic Foundation
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Chicago Botanic Garden	Lincoln Memorial University	Sul Ross State University	*University of Nevada, Reno
Chief Dull Knife College	Lincoln University	SUNY, Stony Brook University	University of New England
Christopher Newport University	Little Big Horn College	SUNY, College of Env. Sci. and Forestry	University of New Hampshire
City University of New York	Louisiana Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries	Tarleton State University	University of New Mexico
Clemson University	Louisiana State University	Tennessee Aquarium Conservation Inst.	University of New Orleans
Cleveland State University	Louisiana State University Ag. Center	Tennessee State University	University of North Carolina, Asheville
College of the Atlantic	Manhattan College	Tennessee Technological University	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
College of Charleston	Manomet Center for Conservation Sci.	*Texas A&M University System	University of North Carolina, Wilmington
College of William and Mary	Marine Biological Laboratory	Texas A&M, AgriLife Research	University of North Dakota
Colorado Mesa University	Marshall University	Texas A&M, AgriLifeExtension	University of Northern Colorado
Colorado State University	Maryland Coastal Bays Program	Texas A&M, College Station	University of North Florida
Columbia University	Maui Community College	Texas A&M, Corpus Christi	University of Notre Dame
Columbus State University	Metropolitan State University of Denver	Texas A&M, Galveston	University of Oklahoma
Conservation Federation of Missouri	Michigan State University	Texas A&M, Kingsville	University of Oregon
Conservation Science Partners	Michigan Technological University	Texas State University, San Marcos	University of Pennsylvania
Cornell University	Middle Tennessee State University	Texas Tech University	University of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez
Cornerstones Community Partnerships	Midwest Art Conservation Center	The Academy of Natural Sciences	University of Redlands
Crow Canyon Archaeological Center	Minnesota Dept. of Natural Resources	The Arboretum at Flagstaff	*University of Rhode Island
CyArk	Minnesota State University, Mankato	The Citadel	University of Richmond
Dauphin Island Sea Lab	Mississippi State University	The College at Brockport (SUNY)	University of South Alabama
Delaware State University	Missouri Botanical Garden	The Nature Conservancy	University of South Carolina
Desert Research Institute	Missouri State University	The Ohio State University	University of South Dakota
Diné College	Montana State University	The Orianne Society	University of South Florida
Discover Life in America	Museum of Northern Arizona	The University of Alabama	*University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Dixie State University	Narragansett Indian Tribe	The University of the South	University of Tennessee at Martin
Drake University	National Aquarium in Baltimore	Towson University	University of Texas, Arlington
Duke University	Natl. Council for Air and Stream Impr.	Tulane University	University of Texas, Austin
East Carolina University	Natl. Great Rivers Research and Ed.	Troy University	University of Texas, El Paso
East Tennessee State University	Natl. Mississippi River Museum	Universidad de Sonora	University of Texas, Rio Grande Valley
Eastern Washington University	National Tropical Botanical Garden	University of Alaska, Anchorage	University of Texas, San Antonio
Emporia State University	National Wildlife Federation	*University of Alaska, Fairbanks	University of Texas, Tyler
Everglades Foundation	Navajo Nation	University of Alaska, Southeast	University of the District of Columbia
Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden	New Mexico Highlands University	*University of Arizona	University of the Virgin Islands
Flagler College	New Mexico State University	University of Arkansas, Div. of Ag.	University of Toledo
Florida A&M University	North Carolina State University	University of Arkansas, Monticello	University of Utah
Florida Atlantic University	North Dakota State University	University of Arkansas, Pine Bluff	University of Vermont
Florida Gulf Coast University	Northeastern University	University of British Columbia	University of Virginia
Florida Institute of Technology	Northland College	University of Calgary	*University of Washington
Florida International University	*Northern Arizona University	*University of California, Berkeley	University of Waterloo
Florida State University	Northern Illinois University	University of California, Davis	University of West Florida
Fond du Lac Tribal and Com. Col.	Northern Michigan University	University of California, Irvine	University of West Georgia
Fort Lewis College	Northwest College	University of California, Los Angeles	University of Wisconsin, La Crosse
Frostburg State University	Nova Southeastern University	University of California, Merced	University of Wisconsin, Madison
Garrett College	Occidental College	University of California, Riverside	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point
George Mason University	Ocean Research & Conservation Assoc.	University of California, San Diego	University of Wyoming
George Wright Society	Ohio University	University of California, Santa Barbara	Utah State University
Georgia DNR Wildlife Resources	Oklahoma State University	University of California, Santa Cruz	Utah Valley University
Ga. Inst. of Tech/Ga. Tech Res. Institute	Oregon Institute of Technology	University of Central Florida	Valdosta State University
Georgia Southern University	Oregon State University	University of Cincinnati	Virginia Aquarium
Grand Valley State University	Organization of American Historians	University of Colorado, Boulder	Virginia Commonwealth University
Great Basin College	Pacific Intl. Center for High Technology	University of Colorado, Denver	Virginia Division of Natural Heritage
Great Lakes Commission	Pennsylvania State University	University of Connecticut	Virginia Institute of Marine Science
Great Lakes Forest Alliance	Pima County, Arizona	University of Delaware	Virginia Polytechnic and State University
George Washington University	Point Blue Conservation Science	University of Florida	Washington State University
Gulf Coast Bird Observatory	Portland State University	*University of Georgia	Weber State University
Hamline University	Prescott College	University of Guam	Western State Colorado University
Harvard University	Provincetown Center for Coastal Studies	*University of Hawaii, Hilo	West Virginia University
Hawaii Community College	Purdue University	University of Hawaii, Manoa	Western Carolina University
HawkWatch International, Inc.	Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden	University of Hawaii, West Oahu	Western Kentucky University
Heritage University	Rutgers University	University of Idaho	Western National Parks Association
Honolulu Community College	Saint Mary's University of Minnesota	University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	Western Pennsylvania Conservancy
Houston Advanced Research Center	Salish Kootenai College	University of Iowa	Western Washington University
Howard University	San Bernardino County Museum	University of Kansas	White Mountain Research Station
Humboldt State University	San Diego Natural History Museum	University of Kentucky	Wildlife Conservation Society
Idaho State University	San Diego State University	University of Louisiana, Lafayette	Windward Community College
Indiana State University	San Diego Zoo	University of Maine	Winona State University
Indiana University	San Francisco State University	University of Mary Washington	World Wildlife Fund
Indiana University of Pennsylvania	Santa Barbara Botanic Garden	*University System of Maryland	
Inst. for a Secure and Sustainable Env.	Schoodic Ed. and Res. Ctr. Institute	University of Maryland, Baltimore County	* designates host university
Institute for Bird Populations	Science Museum of Minnesota	University of Maryland, Ctr. for Env. Sci.	
Institute for Regional Conservation	Shippensburg University	University of Maryland, College Park	
Institute for Wildlife Studies	Sky Island Alliance	University of Maryland, Eastern Shore	
Iowa State University	Sitka Sound Science Center	University of Massachusetts, Amherst	
Island Conservation	Sonoran Institute	University of Massachusetts, Boston	
Jacksonville State University	South Dakota School of Mines and Tech.	University of Memphis	
James Madison University	South Dakota State University	*University of Miami	
Kansas State University	Southeast Missouri State University	*University of Minnesota	
Kapiolani Community College	Southern Appalachian Man and Biosph.	University of Mississippi	
Kauai Community College	Southern Illinois University	*University of Missouri	
Kent State University	Southern Oregon University	*University of Montana, Missoula	
Lamar University	Southern University and A&M College	*University of Nebraska, Lincoln	
Langston University	Southern Utah University	University of Nebraska Medical Center	
Leeward Community College	Stephen F. Austin State University	University of Nevada, Las Vegas	

