Global Wildlife Resources (GWR) is offering a 3-day wildlife handling course March 12-14 (Tues-Thurs), 2019 at Washoe County Regional Animal Services in Reno, Nevada. GWR is dedicated to supporting wildlife professionals with humane capture and handling through training & field assistance. This class is one of the most current and extensive chemical immobilization courses in North America and includes hand-on labs with animals. It is invaluable to state, federal, and tribal wildlife professionals, college students, zoo caretakers, game farms, and animal control officers.

This unique field-oriented training focuses on the needs of professionals to understand the skills and equipment associated with capture, physical restraint, and chemical immobilization for free-ranging, captive and urban wildlife. Every course also covers each aspect of animal processing such as radio-collaring, ear-tagging, weighing, sample collection and patient monitoring.

Course content includes:

Five-step Preparation for Field Operations * Legal Responsibilities * Professionalism* Drug Delivery Systems
* Immobilizing Drugs * Patient Monitoring* Marking * Sampling * Veterinary Emergencies* Euthanasia * Human Safety * The Y Pole * Honoring each animal through equipment and techniques

HANDS-ON LABS EVERY DAY:

• Drug Delivery Systems - opportunity to practice the most effective dart guns
• Needle & Syringe Skills - building safe, professional habits for human safety & accuracy
• TPR Lab - a practice lab with goats to learn the first layer of skills for chemical immobilization for Day 3
• Chemical Immobilization - participants in groups immobilize goats (which simulate deer) with a hand-injection and practice professional & humane skills of wildlife chemical immobilization.

GWR courses promote care, honor, and respect for every animal that is handled and are often profound personal and career experiences for course participants.

GWR courses build confidence and strengthen resumes!

GWR courses provide Credits for the TWS Professional Development Program and will certify professionals for all state and federal agencies.

The course is limited to 25 participants so register early! It includes labs each day, course notebook, and Certificate of Training. Each day is 9am-5pm. The 3-day course fee is $625 / $510 for university students (full-time) / $510 Refresher fee (for those who have taken GWR courses before). Places are reserved once payment is received.

To Register:
Visit our website Training Schedule to register on-line

or contact

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Visit our website Course Schedule at WildlifeResources.com
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