

INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

November 11-12, 2016

Mississippi Valley Conservancy
La Crosse, Wisconsin

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Master Naturalist



The Wisconsin Master Naturalist Program (WIMN) will hold an *Instructor Training Course* on November 11-12, 2016 at the Mississippi Valley Conservancy in La Crosse, Wisconsin.

A WIMN Instructor uses the WIMN curriculum, tools, and resources to train adult volunteers. Participants learn about Wisconsin's natural resources and techniques to educate others. They will be introduced to resources that will help create connections between volunteers and conservation projects. The pdf, [The Wisconsin Master Naturalist Instructor](#), describes the roles and responsibilities of an Instructor in detail.



To become an Instructor you must hold a minimum of either a Bachelor's degree in environmental science, education, or related field OR be able to demonstrate comparable practical experience providing environmental education programs. Instructors usually work for an organization, agency, or group that places a priority on science-based environmental education. We call this a Host Organization. Your Host Organization must also be willing to support you as an Instructor and be willing to offer WIMN volunteer trainings. See the website for more information about [being an instructor](#).

The training is two full days, November 11-12, 2016: Day 1 - 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM; Day 2 - 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM. Participants are expected to attend both training days. The registration fee is \$75 and includes two lunches and snacks for attendees. Travel and lodging is not included.



Please submit an [application form](#) in order to receive course registration and lodging information. Applications will be accepted until October 31, 2016 or until the course reaches maximum capacity.

See the WIMN website to learn more about the program (www.wimasternaturalist.org) or the training courses (<http://www.wimasternaturalist.org/courses>). If you have any questions, please contact Martha Martin, mlmartin3@wisc.edu or 608-262-0020.