

INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

February 4-5, 2019

UW-Madison Arboretum
Madison, Wisconsin

WISCONSIN Master Naturalist



The Wisconsin Master Naturalist Program will hold an *Instructor Training Course* on February 4-5 at the UW-Madison Arboretum in Madison, Wisconsin.

A Master Naturalist Instructor uses the program's 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 Master Naturalist volunteer trainings. See the website for more information about [being an instructor](#).

The training is two full days, February 4-5, 2019; 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 information. Applications will be accepted until January 28, 2019 or until the course reaches maximum capacity.

See the 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 Becky Sapper, becky.sapper@ces.uwex.edu or 715-685-2652.

