

Centre for Wildlife Management



POST GRADUATE STUDIES INFORMATION SHEET

POST GRADUATE STUDIES OFFERED AT CWM:



- **BSc (Hon)** - a one year course work degree with a research project. You need an undergraduate science degree in zoology, botany, ecology, animal science or veterinary science to get into this degree.
- **MSc** - a full time research based degree normally done over two years.
- **PhD** - a three year full time research based degree.
- **MPhil** - a full time, distance learning postgraduate degree that includes amongst others philosophy, ethics, mammalogy, ecology and wildlife management principles.

The CWM's research is strongly interdisciplinary and collaborative. Our research passion centres around applied mammal ecology, plant ecology, community conservation and aspects of invasion biology.

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to find out more about the exciting opportunities available to you.

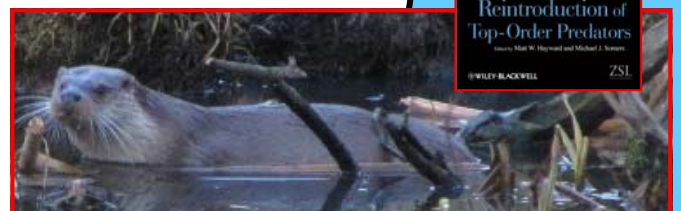
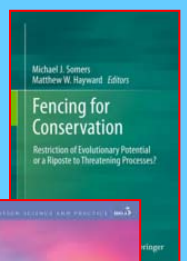
Core academic staff: Prof. Michael Somers, Dr. Mark Keith, Dr. Yolanda Pretorius and Mr. Ben Orban.



RESEARCH IN ACTION

SOME OF OUR EXCITING RESEARCH OUTPUT INCLUDES:

- Extent and fragmentation of suitable leopard habitat in South Africa, *Animal Conservation*.
- Phylogenetic and functional diversity in large carnivore assemblages, *Proceedings of the Royal Society*.
- Inbreeding avoidance influences the viability of reintroduced populations of African wild dogs, *PLoS ONE*.
- What drives human-carnivore conflict in the North West Province of South Africa?, *Biological Conservation*.
- Herbivore and human impacts on woody species dynamics in Maputaland, South Africa, *Forestry*.



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