Title

Name of student, and PhD program (Forestry or Wildlife Ecology)

Introduction

1-2 paragraphs Opener: broad, leading to the main question/theme/research need.

1 short paragraph: overall goal of the dissertation, potentially followed by objectives (one for each chapter)

Chapter 1

1-2 sentences: justification

1 sentence: goal and objectives

1-2 sentences: methods

1-2 sentences: expected results and outcomes

1-2 sentences: significance

Chapter 2

1-2 sentences: justification

1 sentence: goal and objectives

1-2 sentences: methods

1-2 sentences: expected results and outcomes

1-2 sentences:significance

Chapter 3 (more chapters if so desired)

1-2 sentences: justification

1 sentence: goal and objectives

1-2 sentences: methods

1-2 sentences: expected results and outcomes

1-2 sentences: significance

Significance

1-3 sentences: scientific contributions

1-3 sentences: methodological contributions

1-3 sentences: conservation and management implications