



The journey to your future starts right here at UC College of Arts and Sciences

Get ready for the journey of a lifetime. UC College of Arts and Sciences lets you pursue your major while you experience all the benefits a liberal arts curriculum has to offer—co-op, internship, research and study abroad opportunities, professional development programming, and 60+ majors to help you find your best fit.

As a Bearcat, you can build a custom curriculum for a degree program that's as unique as you are. Combine majors, minors and certificates for greater flexibility in your career choices. Complete your bachelor's and master's in just five years with our 4+1 programs. Take advantage of our world-class faculty. All with the support of your experienced advising team, Learning Communities, and spirited Bearcats just like you.

Why wait? Your future starts today. Get in touch—we can't wait to hear from you!



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Geology

Geology has undergone a revolution in the past decade, becoming an interdisciplinary science that emphasizes the study of major Earth systems — the solid Earth, the Earth's surface, the hydrosphere, atmosphere and cryosphere (ice!), and the ancient and modern biosphere. Geology majors integrate knowledge of Earth materials, the processes that have shaped them and the deep chronology of Earth history to understand global change through time.

Bachelor of Arts (BA) and Bachelor of Science (BS) degrees offered. What's the difference?

Graduates with a BA are generally well-prepared for graduate study and can pursue careers in a variety of areas, such as environmental law, natural resource industry, land use planning, earth science education, science journalism, environmental consulting, secondary education, government positions, and other related fields.

Graduates with a BS are well-prepared for graduate study and can pursue careers in environmental engineering and environmental consulting, as well as other fields.

Examples of our unique degree possibilities



BA, minor in Anthropology w/ a certificate in Biblical Studies

Popular Minors

- Anthropology
- Geography
- Mathematical Sciences

BS, minor in Physics w/ a certificate in Critical Visions

Popular Certificates

- Chemistry
- Geographic Information Sciences
- Bioethics

Special Opportunity for Geology majors

4+1 Bachelors and Masters degrees earn both degrees in just 5 years

Study Abroad Opportunities

Opportunities to study abroad are available to students in all majors within the College of Arts & Sciences. Students may choose from different types of study abroad opportunities to include UC Faculty-Led Programs, Exchange Programs and External Programs. Top destinations include France, China, Spain, Germany, Italy, Canada, India, Mexico and the United Kingdom.

Career Possibilities

Environmental engineer; Environmental consultant; Petroleum geologist; Park naturalist, Museum curator; University professor; Computer analyst; Public policy consultant

Cool Classes

Earth, Sea and Sky; Evolution of Earth Systems; Geomorphology; Natural Hazards



Antonio Votor

Major: Geology

Certificate: Geographic Information Systems

"I fell in love with campus while on a tour led by a geology student. Once he told me about the classes and professors here, the deal was sealed. The A&S faculty and advisors are amazing, and were readily available for any help I needed along the way. When I was lost academically, the staff here helped guide me to the finish line. While at UC, I went on two amazing study abroad trips; served as a resident advisor; was part of the Programs and Activity Council; and worked on research projects with a professor, where I gained advantageous lab and field technical skills. I plan to become an environmental consultant and to be involved in a nonprofit organization that encourages students of color to pursue studies and careers in the Earth and Environmental sectors."

Ready to Begin?

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