

# Environmental Studies Specialization

Address environmental issues and learn how to preserve our planet for future generations through a Master of Arts degree with a specialization in Environmental Studies. You will establish a well-rounded awareness of the nature of sustainability, unsustainable practices at the global level and a deeper understanding of the interdependence between people, planet and animals.



## Defend the natural world.

Explore humanity's rightful place within its bio-physical environment as you examine environmental issues and sustainability solutions from a dynamic interdisciplinary perspective. Drawing on science, philosophy, religion, psychology and communication, you'll prepare yourself to participate more knowingly and meaningfully in effective environmental activism.

## What You'll Need

### TO APPLY:

- | Online application
- | Official degree-bearing bachelor's transcript(s) from a regionally accredited college or university
- | Essay
- | Resume
- | Faculty interview may be required

### TUITION AND FEES

Tuition for this program for the 2022-2023 academic year is:

- | \$582 per credit hour
- | 10% discount for licensed teachers

For information on program specific fees visit [regis.edu/cost](https://regis.edu/cost). Tuition and fees are subject to change.

## The Flexibility You Need

Our Master of Arts program is designed for busy, working adults. Classes are offered 100% online in an accelerated, 8-week format. Start dates are offered multiple times throughout the year in January, March, May, July, August and October to maximize flexibility.

To learn about financial aid options, contact 800.568.8932 or visit [regis.edu/financialaid](https://regis.edu/financialaid). If you are an active-duty military member or veteran, visit [regis.edu/preferred-military](https://regis.edu/preferred-military) to learn more.

## You might be wondering:

### IN WHAT FORMAT ARE CLASSES HELD?

Classes are held 100% online in flexible, 8-week terms.

### HOW LONG DOES THE PROGRAM TAKE TO COMPLETE?

This program can be completed in as little as 1-2 years.

### WHEN CAN I START?

Program starts are offered in January, March, May, July, August and October.

# Degree Plan

### CORE STUDIES

3 credit hours

MAPC 601 Graduate Transformation I: Writing and Research

### AREA OF SPECIALIZATION

24 credit hours

MAES 610 Science and Environment  
*21 semester hours selected from the following:*  
MAES 622 Emotions in Communication and Conflict  
MAES 623 Persuasive Communication  
MAES 640 Environmental Communication  
MAES 664 Conservation Psychology  
MAES 668 Communication Through Social Media  
MAES 657 Environmental Psychology  
MAES 675 Our Common Home: Religion, Animals, and The Environment  
MAES 676 Web of Life: Environmental Ethics  
MAES 677 Animal Exploitation/Intl Law & Ethics

### CAPSTONE

6 credit hours

*Select one of the two following courses:*

MAPC 693 Graduate Capstone  
MAPC 695 Experiential Capstone

This program is eligible for our FastForward dual degree.  
Learn more at [regis.edu/fastforward](https://regis.edu/fastforward).

**TOTAL: 33 CREDIT HOURS**



**AVG. SALARY INCREASE FOR MASTER'S VS. BACHELOR'S DEGREE HOLDERS**

Source: Indeed, 2021



**REGIS MASTER'S GRADUATES WORKING IN AN OCCUPATION RELATED TO THEIR DEGREE**

Source: First Destination Survey, 2019



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## Ready to get started?

Your Regis admissions counselor will work with you one-on-one. We'll help you choose the program that fits your goals, find options that save time and money, and help you through your online application.

### Contact

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800.944.7667

### Ready to apply?

[regis.edu/apply](https://regis.edu/apply)