



# MASTER OF SCIENCE ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY



## Be a Force of (and for) Nature

Join the environmental workforce and become an advocate for our planet with Regis University's Master of Science in Environmental Biology. Through field work and your choice of an integrated externship or graduate research project, you'll get hands-on experience working within one of Colorado's many diverse environments.

### QUICK FACTS

- Flexible: Program can be completed in 12-24 months
- Convenient: Adult graduate programs designed to fit your schedule
- Affordable: Up to \$5,000 in merit scholarships
- Relevant: Gain skills in research, lab techniques, data analysis, field biology and more
- Networking: Enjoy access to exclusive industry connections, partnerships and memberships
- Scholar Practitioner Model: Expert faculty with years of professional experience

### PROGRAM FORMAT

- On Campus: Full-time, 16-week terms
- Start Dates: August
- Total Credit Hours: 35



**Student-to-faculty ratio in the Regis environmental biology program**



**Pre-semester fieldwork in a Colorado grassland environment**



**National median salary for environmental scientists<sup>1</sup>**

U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, environmental scientists and specialists, 2022

## Awards

- #1 Private College in Colorado with the Best ROI stacker.com, 2023
- #2 Best Small Colleges in Colorado niche.com, 2023
- #2 Best Value Colleges in the Denver Area niche.com, 2023



### EXTERNSHIP AND RESEARCH

Students may choose between an integrated externship or graduate research project, which includes a faculty-directed academic experience in an external environmental, laboratory or field research setting. This component of the program links academic content to your learned experiences and highlights ethical issues in environmental biology.

## Program Overview

Whether you see yourself as a biological technician, water quality specialist, urban or regional planner, or wildlife biologist, you'll gain the skills and experience you need to succeed. Our Denver location puts you at the center of a wide range of exciting environmental opportunities, including federal government agencies, research labs, environmental consulting firms and natural resource-based companies.

## Example Courses

BL 651B Environmental Biology Fieldwork  
BL 654 Advanced Ecological Modeling  
BL 662 Aquatic Ecology and Bioassessment  
BL 664A Wetland Delineation Laboratory  
BL 458 Behavioral Ecology  
ENVS 474 Geographic Information Science

**TOTAL: 32 CREDIT HOURS**



**SCAN CODE TO SEE FULL PROGRAM CURRICULUM AND ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS**



*"Learning how to get things done, present information and represent myself and my knowledge... There is a finesse to dealing with the biological world. The skills I learned at Regis are valuable for life."*

- Talisa Puentes-Ortega, B.S. Biology, '12, M.S. Environmental Biology, '16

### GAIN IN-DEMAND SKILLS

- | Research skills
- | Lab techniques
- | Ecology
- | Data analysis
- | Evolutionary biology

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

To apply directly to the M.S. in Environmental Biology program, you will need:

- | Completed online application
- | Official degree-bearing transcripts from a regionally accredited university
- | Information on past work and/or volunteer experience
- | One academic or professional reference

### TUITION AND FINANCIAL AID

For cost of attendance, please visit [regis.edu/cost](https://regis.edu/cost). For questions, please contact our financial aid office at **800.568.8932** and [rufinancialaid@regis.edu](mailto:rufinancialaid@regis.edu)

Every new, eligible M.S. in Environmental Biology student starting at Regis University will receive a **Dean's Scholarship of up to \$5,000.**

View our list of preferred tuition benefit partners at [regis.edu/preferred-tuition](https://regis.edu/preferred-tuition)

See our educational benefits and funding options for active-duty military members or veterans at [regis.edu/preferred-military](https://regis.edu/preferred-military)

## Get Started

### Questions?

Our admissions team can 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

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