

ROUTES TO GRADUATE STUDY AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS

In the Texas A&M University College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, all of our majors can prepare you for graduate study or admission to professional schools in health, veterinary medicine and law school. The following majors are the most popular options or have the highest acceptance rates.

HEALTH SCIENCE

The prerequisite BCPM (biological sciences, chemistry, physics, mathematics) courses built in our health sciences degree plans prepare you for medical, nursing, dentistry or veterinary school. You can work with faculty on undergraduate research projects and publish your findings.

Medical School/Nursing/ Dentistry

Students in the following majors are highly recruited for medicine, nursing and other health professions:

- > Biochemistry
- > Forensic and Investigative Sciences
- > Genetics
- > Nutritional Sciences

Veterinary Medicine

These majors are excellent choices for students interested in vet school:

- > Animal Science
- > Entomology
- > Poultry Science
- > Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences

LAW SCHOOL

A background in any of these majors gives you a focus in areas of expertise if you choose to enter law school. You'll have opportunities for undergraduate research and to be published. Our writing-intensive courses and technical electives develop discipline-specific content areas for law school.

- > Agribusiness
- > Agricultural Economics
- > Agricultural Leadership and Development
- > Bioenvironmental Sciences
- > Forensic and Investigative Sciences
- > Renewable Natural Resources
- > Environmental Studies

GRADUATE STUDY

All departments in the College offer graduate degrees at the master's and doctoral levels. Consult the *Texas A&M University Graduate and Professional Catalog* at https://catalog.tamu.edu/graduate/ for information about admission and available programs. You can also contact the Office of Professional School Advising at https://careercenter.tamu.edu/Resources/ Professional-School-Advising for more information.



When pursuing a graduate degree:

- > Identify an area of study.
- > Locate schools with programs in your subject area.
- > Contact a faculty member whose research interests you.

ACCELERATED OPPORTUNITIES

A2M-Agriculture and Life Sciences to Medicine Early Admissions Program

If accepted to the program, you are granted guaranteed acceptance into the Texas A&M University College of Medicine upon completing your bachelor's degree within the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences.

> This joint learning path includes sessions with College of Medicine advisors, mentoring with current medical school students and a seminar about the medical school application process.

Early assurance requirements:

- > Achieve a cumulative 3.5 GPA and 3.5 BCPM GPA by the time you enroll in medical school.
- > Satisfy the College of Medicine's undergraduate course requirements with a B grade or higher.
- > Score at least a 509 total score on the MCAT with no less than 126 in each of the subsections.

Find out more at

http://medicine.tamhsc.edu/a2m.

3+2 Bachelor of Agricultural Economics/Master of Public Service and Administration Program

As an undergraduate agricultural economics student, you can enter the Master of Public Service program at the beginning of your fourth year. The accelerated format of this joint-degree program between the Department of Agricultural Economics and The Bush School of Government and Public Service makes it possible to earn your master's degree by the end of your fifth year in school.

- > Learn to connect areas of the market and entrepreneurship with policy development and non-profit management.
- > Your curriculum includes managing natural resources, law and government policy, applied economics, business principles and leadership.

Eligibility requirements:

- > 3.25 GPA or higher
- > 94 hours completed by the fall of your fourth year

Find out more at

http://agecon.tamu.edu/undergraduate/current-students/curriculum/agec/.

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3+2 Bachelor of Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences/ Master of Public Service and Administration Program

As an undergraduate wildlife and fisheries sciences student, you can enter the Master of Public Service program at the beginning of your fourth year. The accelerated format of this joint-degree program between the Department of Rangeland, Wildlife and Fisheries Management and The Bush School of Government and Public Service makes it possible to earn your master's degree by the end of your fifth year in school.

- > Use your technical knowledge of wildlife and environmental problems to inform legislative entities and policies centers.
- > You will study management and leadership, policy analysis, research methods, wildlife management and environmental education.

Eligibility requirements:

- > 3.25 GPA or higher
- > GRE score of 303 or higher

Find out more at https://wfsc.tamu.edu/drredduke/.



Texas A&M University has a strong commitment to diversity in all areas. In that spirit, admission to Texas A&M University and any of its sponsored programs is open to all qualified individuals. Texas A&M does not discriminate on the basis of an individual's disability in its admissions, accessibility, treatment, and employment of students in its programs and activities.

