

Career Information for Biology

A College of Science & Engineering Major

General Overview Information

Programs in biology and biological sciences teach people about living things and their life processes. Students learn about the general function, structure, and evolution of organisms. They learn about living things and their surroundings.

Do You Have These Characteristics?

Clear Oral & Written Communication Skills · Analytical & Quantitative Abilities
Ability to Work Independently & as a Team · Curiosity · Creativity

Salary Information Can Be Found At:

www.bls.gov/bls/blswage.htm

www.iseek.org

www.stcloudstate.edu/careerservices

What Can You Do?

- Biotechnology
- Genetics
- Microbiology
- Mycology
- Systematic Biology
- Entomology
- Zoology
- Marine & Aquatic Biology
- Biomedical Research
- Teaching
- Botany
- Biochemistry
- Ecology
- Physiology
- Cell Biology

Where Can You Work?

- Colleges & Universities
- Agricultural Industries
- Federal & State Government Labs & Agencies
- Hospitals & Medical Centers
- Private Research Foundations
- Private Industry
- Zoos & Aquariums
- Wildlife Preserves
- Research & Testing Laboratories
- Botanical Gardens & Arboretums
- Conservation Agencies
- Chemical & Oil Companies
- Museums
- Public & Private Schools

Resources

- SCSU Biology – www.stcloudstate.edu/biology
 - Occupational Outlook Handbook – <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos047.htm>
 - Sciencejobs.com – www.sciencejobs.com
 - SciWeb Career Center – www.scijobs.com
 - 200 Links to Careers in Biology – <http://facweb.furman.edu/dept/biology/resource.htm>
 - Sloan Career Cornerstone Center – www.careercornerstone.org
 - *Career Opportunities in Conservation and the Environment*
 - *Career Opportunities in Science*
 - *Careers for Nature Lovers and Other Outdoor Types*
 - *Careers for Scientific Types and Others with Inquiring Minds*
 - *Careers in Nursing*
 - *Graduate Programs in Biological Sciences*
 - *Great Jobs for Biology Majors*
 - *Handbook of Scientific & Technical Careers*
 - *National Trade and Professional Associations*
 - *Resumes for Science Careers*
 - *The Big Green Internship Book*
- (Books are available at SCSU Career Services Center)