

CAREER ROADMAP: Green/Environmental

Description of Field:

Almost every industry offers “green” opportunities including: energy innovation, technology, and environmental conservation. From exploring sustainable farming techniques, to developing new products and technologies to earth-friendly promotion the green and environmental fields are growing

General Skills:

Green careers are found in every industry and can employ people with various levels of education and training. Successful green employees have a passion for conservation and sustainability.

Insider Advice:

Narrow in on a particular aspect of conservation or sustainability and research the organizations in that sector. Volunteer and intern at green nonprofits, or participate in events and community initiatives to develop a strong network.

Learn about Yourself & Career Options

What Can I Do With This Major:

[Environmental Sciences](#), [Global Studies](#), [Recreation & Leisure Studies](#), [Explore Green Careers](#), [Great Green Careers](#)

Sample UF Majors:

[Agricultural and Biological Engineering](#), [Business Administration](#), [Environmental Engineering](#), [Marketing](#), [Public Relations](#), [Sustainability & the Built Environment](#)

Career Planning:

Our [Career Planning](#) staff can help you explore interesting major/career options, prepare for and start an internship/job search. Log in to view the ways we can help!

Build Experience

UF Organizations:

[Engineers without Borders](#), [Gators Going Green](#), [Greeks Going Green I.D.E.A.S. for UF](#), [Ted UF](#), [Tropical Conservation & Development Program](#), [UF Wetlands Club](#)

Visit [Student Activities & Involvement](#) for Additional Opportunities

Sample Local Opportunities:

[Gainesville Volunteer](#), [Alachua Environmental Protection Department](#), [Friends of Paynes Prairie](#), [Gainesville Green Jobs](#), [Idealist Project Learning Tree](#), [Sustainable UF](#)

Prepare for Your Next Step

Sample Job Titles:

Search for Internships & Jobs:

Gator CareerLink Jobs, [EarthWorks Jobs](#), [Eco Jobs](#), [Environmental Career Center](#), [Global Green](#), [Green For All](#), [Outdoor Education](#), [Sustainable Business](#)

Sample Employers Recruiting at UF:

Advanced Green Technologies, AMEC, Energy Research Company, Entergy Services, Green Building Services, Green Corps, Mendel Bioenergy Seeds, Syngenta

Log into [Gator CareerLink](#) to search for employers hiring UF students and additional resources