

School of Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Master of Science in Geosciences



Curriculum

The Master of Science in Geosciences (with thesis) degree program provides a curriculum that is designed to be relevant to many of today's career prospects, especially, for those completing the degree with a thesis. Opportunities to interact in a research context with select faculty are available for qualified students. Students can benefit from research programs, a renovated facility and several convenient evening academic courses. Geosciences is a long-established program at the University and traces its deep roots to the early 1960s.

The graduate program prepares students for employment in the energy and environmental sectors, geospatial technologies in industry and government or academia. The MS degree (with thesis) is typically required as preparation for entry into a doctoral program at any university.

Career Options

Graduates of the program seek positions such as: environmental scientist, petroleum geologist, development geologist, engineering geologist, exploration geophysicist, field geologist, geological consultant, geotechnician, laboratory technician and radiation safety officer.

Degree Program

The MS in Geosciences requires the completion of a minimum of 36 semester credit hours. For complete admission and degree requirements, view the Graduate Catalog at catalog.utdallas.edu.



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