ADVISING AND CAREERS

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Students are assigned an academic advisor as well as a faculty advisor. Faculty members lead undergraduate research, advise students on career planning, and help students with critical thinking. Professional academic advisors help students plan their coursework, identify internship opportunities, as well as ways to get involved in department and campus activities.

Career Opportunities

Undergraduates in forest science prepare for a variety of career opportunities. They can work as foresters, arborists, park rangers, conservation scientists, environmental educators, geospatial analysts, researchers, and more. They also pursue graduate training in forestry, ecology, natural resource policy, or environmental law. Graduates of the program work for many organizations including the U.S. Forest Service, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, the Society of American Foresters, the Aldo Leopold Foundation, environmental consultants, and private corporations.