

## Becoming a Geographer at UT Martin

- Are you the type of person who likes to experience the landscapes and cultures of other places, both near and far?
- Do you find yourself fascinated by phenomena such as the weather, suburban sprawl, or international conflicts?
- Are you concerned about changes to the earth's environment such as "global warming"?
- Do you like using maps and computers?

If you answered "yes" to one or more of these questions, you just might have the makings of a geographer.

You can also make a good professional career out of your interest in geographic phenomena.

Students with a degree in geography often go on to a variety of careers that don't actually have "geographer" in the job title. Geographers work as climatologists, meteorologists, environmental managers, urban & regional planners, military intelligence officers, cartographers, satellite image analysts, and more. (See the Association of American Geographer's careers website for more information about these and other geographically-related career fields).

At UT Martin, you have the option to become a geographer and launch yourself on an exciting career path with many great possibilities that you may not have ever previously considered. Our program is comprehensive and it involves the successful completion of the following:

- A structured-but-flexible curriculum comprised of world regional, physical, cultural, applied, and technical Geography courses;
- A minor from a different discipline such as Geology, History, or Computer Science, depending on individual interests and long-term plans;
- UT Martin's Bachelor of Science and General Education degree requirements

Because of the increasing demands by employers that college graduates have specialized skills, we also strongly encourage our students to successfully complete upper-division electives that are closely related to their professional objectives. For some students, this means taking several courses in fields such as marketing, computer programming, political science, or other field.

Last but not least, many of our graduates have gone on to and succeeded in good geography graduate programs such as the University of Alabama, Murray State University, Oklahoma State University, and Virginia Tech.



**B.S. (with a major in Geoscience)  
Geoscience - Geography  
2018-2019**

<b>Freshman Fall</b>	
General Studies 101	2
ENGL 111	3
MATH 140	3
BIOL 130	4
Fine Arts Elective	3
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>15</b>

<b>Freshman Spring</b>	
ENGL 112	3
BIOL 140	4
GEOG 151	3
MATH 210	3
General Elective	3
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>16</b>

<b>Sophomore Fall</b>	
CHEM 121	4
COMM 230	3
Social Science Elective	3
GEOG 152	3
GEOG 201	3
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>16</b>

<b>Sophomore Spring</b>	
CHEM 122	4
GEOG 202	3
Humanities Elective	3
GEOG 210	2
General Elective	3
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>15</b>

<b>Junior Fall</b>	
Humanities Elective	3
Foreign Language	4
GEOG 305	3
General Elective	3
UD GEOG	3
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>16</b>

<b>Junior Spring</b>	
Social Science Elective	3
GEOG 365, 380, or 381	3
UD GEOG	3
General Elective	2
General Elective	3
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>14</b>

<b>Senior Fall</b>	
GEOG 310 or 471	3
UD GEOG	3
General Elective	3
General Elective	3
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>Senior Spring</b>	
Humanities Elective	3
GEOG 461, 462, or 472	3
UD GEOG	3
*Required Minor*	Min 12
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>21</b>