THE NATURAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT

UW-Superior’s Natural Sciences Department focuses on using scientific inquiry as a way of knowing and applying scientific knowledge to societal issues of local, regional and global importance. Our instructors have diverse teaching and research experiences that give students research opportunities in the field and laboratory.

GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS PROGRAM

The Geographic Information Systems (GIS) minor serves students majoring in:

- Biology
- Transportation and Logistics Management
- History
- Chemistry

The GIS minor was designed by professionals in the field to meet the growing demand for people with a GIS background. The GIS program allows students to learn and gain first-hand experience with the most up-to-date tools and techniques available in the field of GIS today. Instructors used advanced hardware and software to teach GIS, including the 22-PC Pentium IV.

Many students have been able to gain pre-professional experience in GIS as interns with government agencies and by presenting research projects at professional conferences and undergraduate research symposiums.

Find out more about UW-Superior’s GIS program online at uwsuper.edu/science.

DEGREE POSSIBILITIES

More than 300,000 organizations in the United States use this modern technology in more than 40 industries. Almost one million professionals use GIS all over the world; around 50 percent of them are in the United States. The market demand for people with a GIS background in the world and particularly in the U.S. is increasing. GIS technology is used in many different disciplines including:

- Agriculture
- Business
- Education
- Engineering
- Natural resource management
- Natural Sciences
- Public Health
- Social Sciences

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CAMPUS TOURS

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