

Learn the science behind animal growth, reproduction and biotechnology

Animal Science alumni contribute to the diverse and fascinating professions blending applied and basic life sciences that ultimately improve the efficiency, profitability and sustainability of domestic animal industries.

The Animal Science major offers you the opportunity to study comparative anatomy, physiology, reproduction, lactation, breeding and nutrition of a diverse group of species, including beef, dairy, swine, poultry, horse, companion, zoo and exotic animals. And, you can select from concentrated studies in:

- Production, Business and Communication
- Science and Technology
- Pre-veterinary Medicine

Career choices are as varied as the three concentrations. Alumni find themselves working in:

- Agri-industries such as agricultural cooperatives that support animal production, agricultural publications and public relations or in Extension, because employers value the requirement of completing a minor in business, agricultural economics or communications
- Animal health and care including the pharmaceutical industry; animal caretaker at zoos, animal preserves and research laboratories; laboratory technicians
- Production of livestock and companion animals

Graduates also opt to enter graduate or professional studies, earning the Master of Science – MS, Master of Business Administration – MBA,

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine – DVM, Doctor of Philosophy – PhD, law degree – JD, medical school – MD, or seek post-graduate certification through the Animal Certification Technician Board.



For more information, contact:
Dr. Alan Mathew, Department Head

Dr. Richard Heitmann,
Undergraduate Coordinator

Mr. Aaron E. Fisher, Instructor

amathew@utk.edu
rheitman@utk.edu
afisher3@utk.edu

Department of Animal Science
2505 River Drive
Knoxville, TN 37996-4574
Phone: 865-974-7286
Fax: 865-974-7297
Website: <http://animalscience.ag.utk.edu>

For more information or to schedule a campus tour:

College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources

2621 Morgan Circle, Rm. 125

Knoxville, TN 37996-4500

Phone: 865-974-7303

Fax: 865-974-9329

E-mail: casnr@utk.edu

Web: <http://www.casnr.utk.edu>

For undergraduate admissions:

Office of Admissions

The University of Tennessee

320 Student Services Building

Knoxville, TN 37996-0230

Phone: (865) 974-2184

E-mail: admissions@utk.edu

Web site:

<http://admissions.utk.edu/undergraduate>

For student financial aid:

Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships

The University of Tennessee

115 Student Services Building

Knoxville, TN 37996-0210

Phone: 865-974-3131

E-mail: finaid@utk.edu

Web site: <http://web.utk.edu/~finai>

Do you want to help the world?

W

ell, if you do, you should consider the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources.

Why? Because our alumni play an important role in improving the quality of our lives and the health of the planet.

What makes the UT College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR) unique?

- The highest-quality university food systems and natural resources program in Tennessee
- Faculty engaged in innovative biotechnology, food and natural resources economics, environment and bio-resources research
- Faculty-led international study programs that take students to Thailand, Australia, Jamaica, Ireland, England, Italy and elsewhere
- Award-winning co-curricular clubs and teams
- Sponsorship of honor societies, professional fraternities and a sorority, and student chapters of professional organizations
- An honors program where students work one-on-one with faculty mentors

What can CASNR offer me?

CASNR cares about the quality of education its students receive, through:

- Challenging courses
- Opportunities for personal and career development
- Personalized advising
- Small class size with a student-centered learning environment
- Internship and coop opportunities with regional, national and international firms
- Annual CASNR career fair and on-campus interviews

- Caring faculty and staff
- Extracurricular activities supported by faculty
- Excellent preparation for advanced study in graduate and professional schools, including medicine, law, veterinary medicine, dentistry, physical therapy, nursing and pharmacy

