

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO

SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

EMPOWERING THE NEXT GENERATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL LEADERS

Loyola University Chicago is consistently recognized for its leadership on sustainability and climate action. Our combined commitments to justice and the environment are why students choose Loyola. The School of Environmental Sustainability (SES) offers innovative programs that develop professionals who can contribute their skills and experience to make our culture more environmentally sustainable.

WHAT MAKES US STAND OUT?

A true passion for the environment

Our faculty, staff, and students are committed to confronting the most pressing environmental and sustainability issues through research, teaching, business practices, and community involvement.

One-on-one mentoring

Enjoy small class sizes and academic support from devoted and passionate faculty and staff.

Focus on Interdisciplinary Studies

You'll benefit from a flexible, interdisciplinary curriculum that lets you customize your studies based on your interests and career goals. Build your professional skills and credentials by participating in collaborative research projects exploring environmental science, sustainability, and society.

Professional development

Loyola will prepare you for responsible leadership in an array of fields as well as creating a more sustainable world. You'll have opportunities for conference participation, career and job search coaching, and involvement in numerous student organizations.

FROM THE STUDENTS

"I chose the program because it's an interdisciplinary program with a focus on systems-level thinking. Being able to approach sustainability from multiple scientific and public professions can ensure thorough and well-developed plans that will benefit sustainable development and protect the environment."

— Logan St. John, SES Graduate Student

DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

- Environmental Science & Sustainability: Professional Track (MS)
- Environmental Science & Sustainability: Research Track (MS)
- Environmental Law and Policy Certificate
- Geographic Information Systems Certificate
- Sustainability Assessment and Planning Certificate

MS IN ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY TRACKS

The **research track** offers you the opportunity to study the world's biggest environmental and sustainability challenges through a systems perspective. You'll work closely with our diverse, interdisciplinary faculty and pursue your own research project with an expert as you explore the economic, political, scientific, and social impacts of our changing environment.

The **professional track** will help you expand your repertoire of workplace skills in areas such as sustainability assessment and planning, environmental law and policy, and sustainable business practices, just to name a few. Evening and online classes are available.



Preparing people to lead extraordinary lives

3,100

SQUARE FOOT
GREENHOUSE FOR
TEACHING, RESEARCH,
PLANT PRODUCTION

70

GRADUATE-LEVEL
ELECTIVE COURSES
TO CHOOSE FROM

2

COMPLETE YOUR DEGREE
IN AS FEW AS 2 YEARS,
DEPENDING ON THE TRACK
AND COURSES YOU SELECT

\$76,530*

AVERAGE ANNUAL SALARY
FOR ENVIRONMENTAL
SCIENTISTS AND SPECIALISTS
WITH A MASTER'S DEGREE

* U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics



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APPLYING TO LOYOLA

- Complete your free application at gpem.LUC.edu/apply.
- Official transcripts of all undergraduate and any graduate work should accompany your application.
- Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.
- Students from all academic backgrounds are encouraged to apply.
- Programs are optimized for working professionals, with evening and online classes available.

Application requirements vary by program. Learn more about admission requirements at LUC.edu/sustainability/academics/graduateprograms.

FINANCIAL AID

Visit LUC.edu/finaid to learn more about your financial aid options. Your first step in the process is to fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at fafsa.gov. We encourage you to submit your FAFSA at least 6–8 weeks before the start of your planned entry term. Loyola's federal school code is 001710.

Learn more about the financial aid process at LUC.edu/finaid.

CONTACT US

For more information or if you have questions about the admission process, please contact Graduate Enrollment at gpem@luc.edu or **312.915.7900**.

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