Biology

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**Undergraduate major:** biology (B.A., B.S.)
**Undergraduate minor:** biology
**Graduate degrees:** M.S. in integrated biology; Ph.D. in integrated biology
**Faculty:** [https://biology.uiowa.edu/people/faculty](https://biology.uiowa.edu/people/faculty)
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The Department of Biology offers undergraduate and graduate programs that prepare students for careers in a wide variety of fields such as health science or biological research, technology, and education. It also offers several courses that undergraduate students in all majors may use to satisfy the GE CLAS Core Natural Sciences requirement and other courses on topics of general interest for undergraduate non-biology majors, including a First-Year Seminar course, BIOL:1000 First-Year Seminar, designed for entering students. The department also administers the interdisciplinary biomedical sciences major and the neuroscience major, both leading to a Bachelor of Science degree.