

Our Environmental Studies majors learn many aspects of Environmental Science and Policy. The course work includes Biology and Chemistry but focuses more on environmental problem-solving. Courses include Environmental Monitoring, Environment and Planning, Wildlife Monitoring, Environmental Policy, and Research Experience. They go on to careers in environmental protection, habitat restoration, wildlife management, recreation management, environmental research, and teaching.

Environmental Studies – Science (B.S.)

To prepare students for employment or graduate work in science-related aspects of the environment, so that graduates can contribute to the understanding, restoration, and preservation of habitats and ecosystems. To study biology of plants and animals, population biology, geomorphology, aquatic and terrestrial chemistry, atmospheric chemistry, and environmental monitoring.

Environmental Studies – Policy (B.A.)

To prepare students for employment or graduate work in policy-related aspects of the environment, so that graduates can contribute to the formulation of public and corporate policies for the restoration and preservation of ecosystems.

Environmental Studies – Minor

Includes both science and policy aspects of the environmental studies program.

Food Studies - Minor

Our new Food Studies minor allows students to become proficient in organic food production while also understanding the food system as a whole - how it works, what needs to change, in order to provide healthy and sustainable food supplies for families while protecting the ecosystem.

Additional On-Campus Highlights

Emory Climate Collaborative. Environmental Club. Represents a collaborative effort to protect our planet's health, with a focus on our climate. Student members work as equals with faculty, staff, and area residents to create artistic, scientific, journalistic, and political responses to climate change and environmental racism.

Semester a Trail

Outdoor program. E&H is the only college that offers students the opportunity to earn college credit while attempting a long section or thru-hike of the Appalachian Trail.

Adventure Team

Outdoor Program. The Adventure Team is a good fit for students with previous outdoor experience and for those who have the desire to develop advanced skills in rock climbing, whitewater kayaking, backpacking, and outdoor leadership. Team members have opportunities to engage extended adventure-based travel during fall and spring breaks and to represent Emory & Henry at competitions and festivals.