

PLANT BIOLOGY AND CONSERVATION BACHELOR'S/ MS

Degree Requirements

The following requirements are in addition to, or further elaborate upon, those requirements outlined in The Graduate School Policy Guide (<https://catalogs.northwestern.edu/tgs/academic-policies-procedures/>).

Bachelor's/MS

Total Units Required for the Master's Degree: 9 (internship track) or 11 (thesis track)

The degree requirements are the same as those outlined for the Plant Biology and Conservation MS (<https://catalogs.northwestern.edu/tgs/plant-biology-conservation/plant-biology-conservation-ms/>).

Other Requirements:

- Attendance at Plant Biology and Conservation seminar series and journal club is expected
- Satisfactory performance (GPA above 3.0 and no single grade below C)
- The completion of either a research thesis (<https://www.plantbiology.northwestern.edu/graduate/current-students/ms/thesis-program/>) or internship (<https://www.plantbiology.northwestern.edu/graduate/current-students/ms/internship-program/>)
 - If a research thesis is undertaken, it must be original research under the mentorship of a Plant Biology and Conservation faculty member
 - The research may be an extension of undergraduate research
 - If an extension of undergraduate research, it must represent the collection and/or analysis of new data