

B.S., M.S., and Ph.D. Degree Programs

The Department of Urban Forestry, Environment & Natural Resources offers Bachelor of Science, Master of Science, and Doctoral of Philosophy degree programs that are fully accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. The Urban Forestry Programs are the most comprehensive higher education programs leading in producing diverse and talented professionals in the field at the national level.



Department of Excellence

The Department is designated by the State of Louisiana Board of Regents as a **Department of Excellence** for its education, research, outreach, and services achievements. The Department is awarded by Southern University as the **Most Productive Department**. The Department has award winning faculty members who earned Teaching Excellence Award from USDA and Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities, Outstanding Scientist Award from 1890 Land - Grant Universities Association of Research Directors, multiple Chancellor's Awards for Excellence in Teaching, multiple Most Outstanding Researcher Awards, Rising Star Award, etc.



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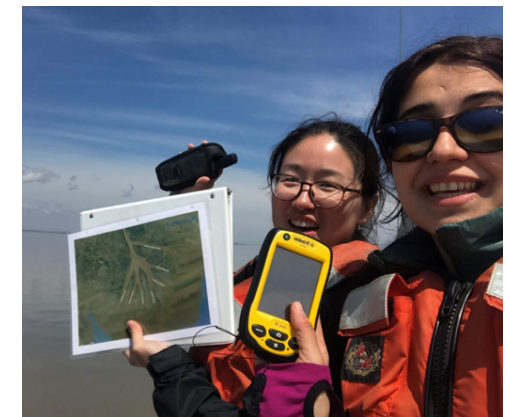
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Financial Support

Qualified students, especially freshmen, can receive financial support from 1890 Scholarship, USDA Forest Service Career Ready Internships and scholarships, USDA FS professional skill training stipends and scholarships, NASA research training stipends, LAF Scholarships, USDA NIFA education and research training stipends, McIntire Stennis Forestry Research assistantships, HBGI Tuition scholarships and research assistantships, 1890 Univ. Foundation assistantships and stipends, etc.



Career Options/Paths/Concentrations

The Department's multi-disciplinary faculty members nurture and train students toward following career options/paths/concentrations:

1. Environmental Studies - climate change, environmental impact assessment, policies, ethics, communication, leadership, etc.
2. Urban Forestry - the foundation of the Department - ecophysiology, ecology, urban environment, city greening, social-economic implications, tree law, park and urban forest management, entomology, pathology, etc.
3. Geo-Spatial Technologies - remote sensing, GIS, decision support, drone application, etc.
4. Natural Resources - soil, water, air, bioproducts, bioenergy, forests, wetlands, etc.

WE TAKE YOU IN AND WE MAKE SURE THAT YOU SUCCEED!

How to Apply

For undergraduate admission, visit www.subr.edu/index.cfm/page/1707/n/1523

For graduate admission, visit www.subr.edu/index.cfm/page/1567



White House HBCU All Stars Alumni

Yosha Lain and Robert Chambers,
employed by USDA NRCS
Kalaia Tripeaux, Penn State University

Experiential Learning

The Department offers hands - on training & internships through grants, contracts and partnerships with federal and state agencies, municipalities, private companies, professional organizations, and university linkages nationally and internationally.

Employment Opportunities

Federal agencies: USDA Forest Service, Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), Agricultural Research Service, Army Corp of Engineers, Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Geological Survey, Bureau of Land Management; state Department of Agriculture and Forestry, state Department of Transportation, city governments, private industries, environmental consulting firms, professional organizations, universities, etc.

We Produce Leaders

The Department has produced alumni who are SU System Vice President, SU Agcenter Vice Chancellor, Medicinal Plant Institute Director, Federal Judge, USDA Forest Service National Urban Forestry Program Manager, Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry Director of Agricultural Quarantine, USDA FS Regional District Ranger, & Baton Rouge Recreation & Park Commission Director of Park Operations.



We Produce Award Winners

White House HBCU All Stars, SAF Diversity Scholars, Rockefeller Scholarship Awards, ISA Student Ambassadors, NSF Global Scholars, ARD research paper competition winners, Elaine Humphries Memorial Scholarship winners, MANRRS Essay Contest winners, SU System Scholarship award, Chancellor's Award, College Student Marshals, among others.

