# College of Sciences Career Guide Bachelor of Science in Biological Sciences Concentration in Pre-Professional Studies

### **About the Major and Concentration**

Majoring in biological sciences with a pre-professional concentration provides students with intellectual tools essential for a broad array of careers in biological sciences. This concentration has application to healthcare-related professions and graduate schools, including medical, dental, veterinary, optometric, and physician's assistant programs.

The pre-professional concentration promotes critical thinking through the investigation and understanding of principles and unifying themes that govern living systems.

#### **Skills**

Research
Problem Solving
Ability to Operate Scientific Equipment
Critical Thinking

## **Potential Career Opportunities**

Biomedical Scientist
Biotechnologist
Clinical Lab Technician
Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)
Environmental Health Specialist
Healthcare Professional
Hospital Administrator
Medical/Pharmaceutical Researcher
Patient Care Advocate
Pharmaceutical Sales Representative
Public Health Professional
Regulatory Affairs Specialist
Research Assistant
Science Educator

# **Common Career Areas for this Major**

Research and Development
Healthcare
Biomedical Sciences
Organismal and Ecological Biology
Education
Biotechnology
Bioinformatics