# **OFFICE OF CAREER EDUCATION & DEVELOPMENT**

#### **SLIPPERY ROCK UNIVERSITY**

## CAREER RESPONSIBILITIES

The biology program prepares students for careers in academia, business, health, teaching, industry, or government and for graduate work in medical and other professional fields. Modern equipment complements the learning experience in laboratory exercises.

#### Skills Associated With Biology Majors:

Spirit for scientific inquiry and the ability to operate scientific equipment

- Enjoy challenges, questioning, analyzing, problem solving, and intellectual growth
  - · Proficiency in reading, attention to detail and memorizing skills
    - Ability to make critical observations and decisions
  - Organize and maintain accurate records; demonstrate desire for precision
    - Conduct and clearly explain scientific research

## **Sample Career Titles**

Animal Scientist Aqua culturist Aquarist Aquarium Worker Aquatic Biologist Bacteriologist Barrier Beach Manager **Bio-Engineer Bio-Technologist Biochemist Biometrician Biostatistician** Botanist **Chemical Oceanographer** College Professor Conservationist Coroner Dentist Ecologist Ergonomist Entomologist Environmental Engineer **Environmental Health** Specialist **Environmental Protection** Specialist **Extension Agent** FBI Special Agent Fish Hatchery Technician **Fisheries Conservationist** Food & Drug Inspector Food Scientist Forensic Investigator Forester **Genetic Engineer** 

Genetic Researcher Health Officer Health Policy Consultant **HMO** Administrator Horticulturist Hospital Administrator Hydrographic Survey Technician Ichthvoloaist Industrial Hygienist Industrial Marine Economist Limnological Technician Marine Bacteriologist Marine Consultant Marine Ecologist Marine Engineering Technician Marine Fisheries Worker Marine Geologist Marine Geophysicist Marine Physicist Market Research Analyst Materials Engineer Medical Illustrator Medical Librarian Medical Technician Merchant Marine Meteorologist Mining Engineer Molecular Biologist Museum Administrator Museum Curator Mycologist Naval Architect

Neurobiologist Oceanographer Parasitologist Park Naturalist Park Ranger Petroleum Engineer Pharmaceutical Researcher Pharmaceutical Salesperson Pharmacist Pharmacy Technician **Physical Therapist** Physician Public Health Worker Salt Marsh Manager Science Laboratory Technician Science Teacher Science Writer Seafood Researcher State Park Worker Systems Analyst **Technical Writer** Test Technician Toxicologist Underwater Technician Veterinarian Veterinary Assistant Water Quality Technician Wildlife Biologist Wildlife Photographer Zoologist

\*\* Some careers may require additional training and/or education To find out more about the daily work of these professions, skills needed, and salary ranges, go to <u>Occupational Outlook Handbook</u> and type a career title into the search field. Visit Career Education & Development, 124 Bailey Library, to discuss these occupations and career opportunities with a Career Counselor.