University of Wisconsin
Master of Science in Sustainable Management
Fact Sheet

The University of Wisconsin-Extension is dedicated to providing students with the tools they need to make a real and lasting impact on today’s rapidly changing global marketplace. In collaboration with five UW campuses and corporate partners, the Master of Science in Sustainable Management was developed with this goal in mind.

The Master of Science in Sustainable Management equips environmentally conscious professionals with strategies that redefine business success: methods that not only increase profitability, but also support vibrant communities and a healthier environment. More than a “green degree,” this master’s program will allow students to bring the universal principles of sustainable development to any role, within any industry. This revolutionary initiative is one of only a few of its kind in the nation and the latest example of UW’s commitment to preparing students for real-world challenges.

About the Degree

- Administered exclusively online, the Master of Science in Sustainable Management was designed for busy professionals who may be juggling work and family obligations while pursuing the higher education that will make them more marketable in today’s economy.
- This online degree provides students with the same accredited, first-class education, renowned faculty and rigorous standards that the University of Wisconsin is known for and that employers highly regard.
- The master’s curriculum was developed with input from business leaders to ensure that students are ready to lead sustainable initiatives upon graduation.
- Subject areas include environmental studies, information systems, natural resource management, triple bottom line accounting for managers, and more.
- The master’s program consists of eight 3-credit courses, two 3-credit electives, and a 4-credit Capstone experience.
- This degree is being offered in partnership with five University of Wisconsin campuses: UW-Green Bay, UW-Oshkosh, UW-Parkside, UW-Stout and UW-Superior.
- Admission to the program requires a bachelor’s degree from a regionally or nationally accredited university and a cumulative GPA of 3.0. No other prerequisites, including the GRE or other entrance exams, are required. To be considered for admittance, students must submit an electronic admission application and a $56 application fee, along with their college and high school transcripts.

More information on this program can be found online at sustain.wisconsin.edu, or by phone at 877-UW-LEARN (877-895-3276).