Marine, Earth, and Atmospheric Sciences (MS)

Degree Requirements
Graduate programs are offered in Atmospheric Science, Earth Science, and Marine Science. Specific course requirements are determined by the advisory committee of each student.

Students can choose focus area tracks from the following:

- Atmospheric Science Track (p. 1)
- Earth Science Track (p. 1)
- Marine Science Track (p. 1)

Degrees earned will be distributed as: “Master of Science in Marine, Earth, and Atmospheric Sciences” without track specifications.

### Atmospheric Science Track

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1 MEA 601 Seminar is required of all thesis M.S. students no later than the third semester in residence.

### Earth Science Track

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### Marine Science Track
Within marine sciences the subdisciplines include:

- Biological Oceanography
- Chemical Oceanography
- Geological Oceanography
- Physical Oceanography

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MEA 573 Principles of Chemical Oceanography

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MEA 601 Seminar

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