



Employers generally require a master's degree in general geology or earth science, but some accept bachelor's degrees for a few entry-level positions. Annual salaries can range from \$50,000 for those with a bachelor's degree to more than \$100,000 for individuals with doctoral degrees.

Geoscientists study the composition, structure and other physical aspects of the earth for the purpose of oil and gas exploration. Some also find work in education, mining, government and the environmental industry. Most geoscientists pursue advanced degrees, studying in seismic and hydraulic systems.

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