Pathway to Careers in STEM Business & Industry

Examples: scientific advisor, manager, or CEO of biotechnology, pharmaceutical, or scientific product company. Trained biologists may work with (or start their own) companies that apply scientific principles to develop and enhance products, tools, and technologies in fields such as medicine (medical supplies or pharmaceuticals), basic biological research, sports technology, and environmental, agricultural, and food science. They may also work in sales marketing, technical training and support, and public relations positions. Advanced degrees are not necessarily required, but students may wish to pursue specialized training or advanced degree programs (e.g., MBA). Strong written and verbal communication skills, and experience in business, human resource and/or project management will be beneficial.

NOTE: If your career plan changes during your degree program (it happens!), the Biology degree, together with your experience & resume building activities, prepares you for many alternative careers.