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YOU'RE GOING TO CHANGE THE WORLD.

And you'll start at the **University of Tennessee**, the state's flagship university and premier research institution, where **possibilities are born** and where you'll learn how to set the world on fire—from breakthrough discoveries to behind-the-scenes service.

UT is the place for **big ideas**. There's no college on our campus with more opportunity for big ideas than the **College of Arts and Sciences**, UT's oldest and largest college. The term "arts and sciences" reflects the **connectedness** of all the categories of learning offered by the college. This connectedness stems from the human desire to **understand** the origins, nature, and workings of all things in the universe, including human beings.

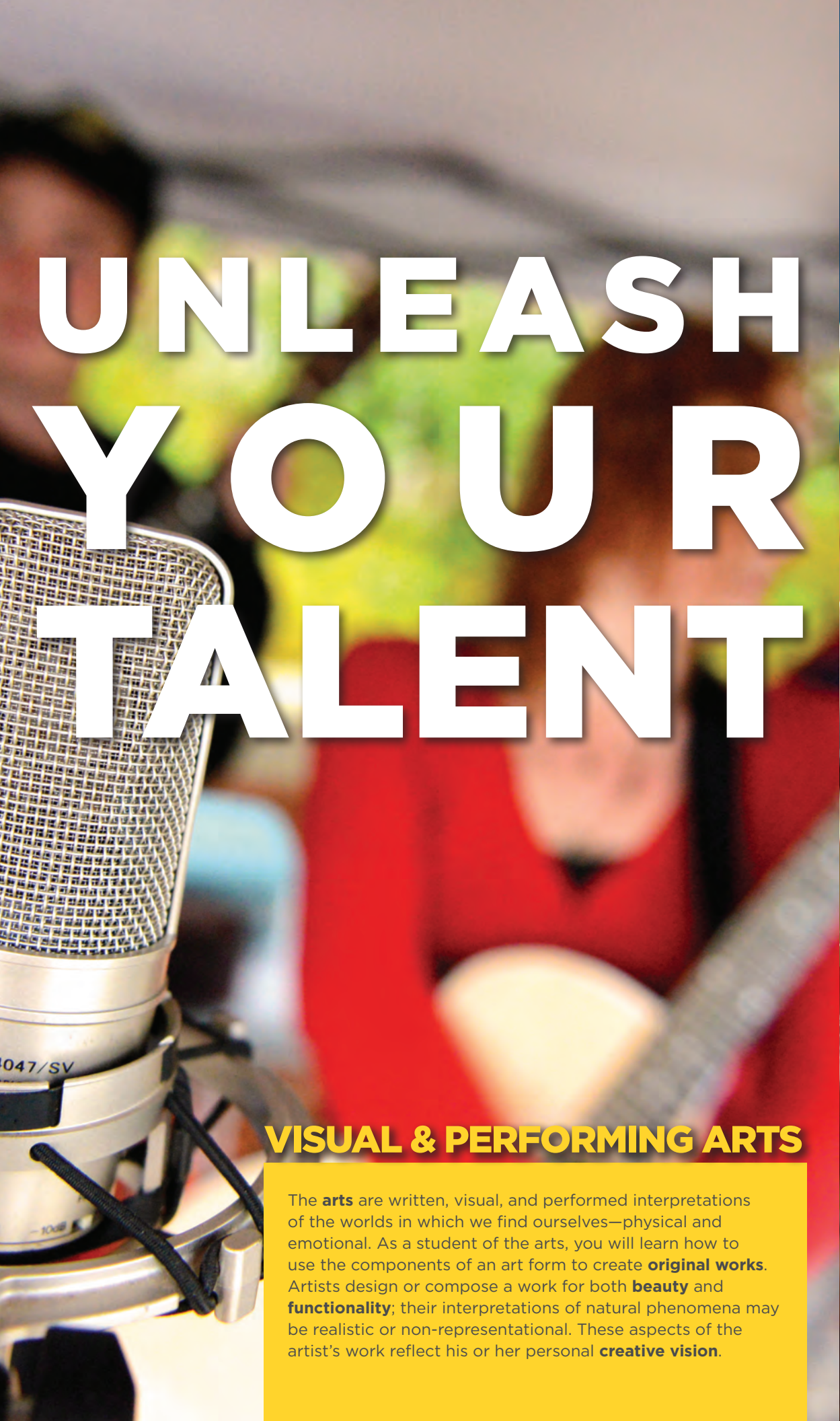
The college's programs emphasize not only the importance of the world around us, but also the **challenge** of the intellectual process, the **need** for communication skills, and the **ability** to respond to change.

While the other colleges at UT have a practical focus on preparation for specific careers or professions, the College of Arts and Sciences emphasizes **lifelong learning** and **adaptability**. You'll receive a broad, holistic education that you can channel in many directions as you prepare for a **lifetime** of productive work and service to society.



OUR BROAD AREAS OF STUDY

- Visual & Performing Arts
- Humanities
- Natural Sciences
- Social Sciences



UNLEASH YOUR TALENT

VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS

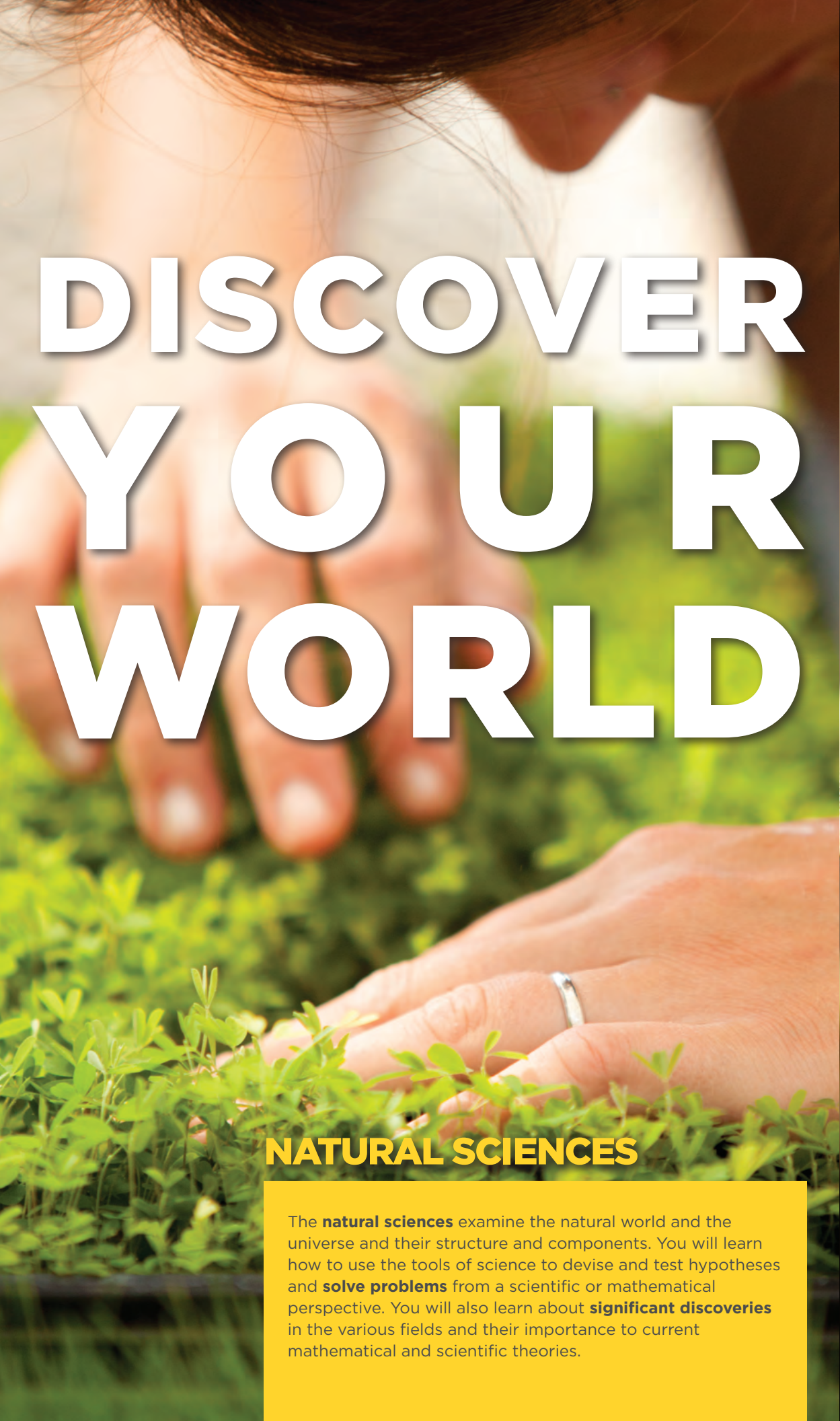
The **arts** are written, visual, and performed interpretations of the worlds in which we find ourselves—physical and emotional. As a student of the arts, you will learn how to use the components of an art form to create **original works**. Artists design or compose a work for both **beauty** and **functionality**; their interpretations of natural phenomena may be realistic or non-representational. These aspects of the artist's work reflect his or her personal **creative vision**.

The **humanities** are studies of human values, capacities, and achievements focusing on the evolution of linguistic and artistic expression, religion, and philosophy. Humanities courses are designed to **develop** your analytical ability, critical reasoning, language proficiency, and aesthetic appreciation. You will learn to **interpret** and **evaluate** significant literary, artistic, philosophical, and religious works while improving your writing and other communication skills.

HUMANITIES



EXPAND YOUR THINKING



DISCOVER YOUR WORLD

NATURAL SCIENCES

The **natural sciences** examine the natural world and the universe and their structure and components. You will learn how to use the tools of science to devise and test hypotheses and **solve problems** from a scientific or mathematical perspective. You will also learn about **significant discoveries** in the various fields and their importance to current mathematical and scientific theories.

The **social sciences** explore the **relationships** among human beings, with areas of study concentrating on individual, economic, political, and social behavior. The social sciences promote an **understanding** of our numerous societal and individual relationships and help you learn to analyze current **social, economic, or political** problems and their origins and possible resolutions.

SOCIAL SCIENCES



UNDERSTAND OUR CONNECTIONS



UNIQUE OPPORTUNITIES

IF YOU'RE EXPLORATORY...

Some students come to college knowing exactly what they want to do with their lives and proceed resolutely toward their goals. Others are **undecided**—or “**exploratory**”—about a major and a career, and **that's okay**. Many students who declare a major as a freshman actually discover new interests and change their plans during their college years.

The two years of general education you acquire in the College of Arts and Sciences is a productive **investment** of your time. You'll explore new areas of knowledge, and you'll learn about career opportunities that you've never heard of before.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

There are many opportunities in the College of Arts and Sciences for you to study beyond a traditional major. You can add one of our many optional minors or pursue one of these special opportunities:

- The **College Scholars Program** offers wide latitude in selecting courses to complete a substantial piece of research, scholarship, or creative imagination. Participants must demonstrate a broad range of course work reflecting the philosophy of a liberal arts education and must demonstrate in-depth knowledge of one field or several related fields of study.
- Opportunities are available for you to enter one of the college's **pre-professional programs** in a health, legal, or teaching area and then complete your training at a professional school.

- **Honors** concentrations and courses are available for highly motivated and academically talented students.
- **Interdisciplinary programs** involve faculty from many departments and appeal to students who are interested in nontraditional subjects.

CAREER PATHS AND OPTIONS

Graduates of the College of Arts and Sciences have successful careers in many fields, including scholarship and research, teaching, business and industry, and government service. The choices are many and diverse, depending on several factors in which **you** are the key player:

- Clearly defined **career goals** based on your interests and choice of major
- Solid academic **accomplishments**, especially in your major
- Your ability to **think** analytically and creatively
- Your ability to **communicate** clearly as a listener, speaker, and writer
- Development of your skills in human **relationships** and campus **leadership**
- **Internships**, part-time/summer **employment**, or **volunteer** activity related to your field(s) of interest
- Your **flexibility** and willingness to try new things and **take risks**

MAJORS & CONCENTRATIONS

- Anthropology*

Disasters, Displacement, and Human Rights
- Art

Art History

BA, Art

BFA, Two-Dimensional Art

BFA, Three-Dimensional Art

BFA, Four-Dimensional Art

Graphic Design
- Biological Sciences

Biochemistry & Cellular & Molecular Biology*

Ecology & Evolutionary Biology*

Microbiology*
- Chemistry*

BS, Chemistry*
- Classics

Classical Archaeology*

Classical Civilization*

Greek*

Latin*
- College Scholars*
- Economics*
- English

Creative Writing*

Individualized Program*

Literature*

Rhetoric & Writing*

Technical Communication*
- Geography*
- Geology & Environmental Studies

Environmental Studies*

Geology*
- History*
- Interdisciplinary Programs

Africana Studies

American Studies

Asian Studies

Cinema Studies (minor only)

Comparative Literature

Global Studies

Judaic Studies

Latin American & Caribbean Studies

Linguistics

Medieval & Renaissance Studies

Neuroscience

Sustainability

Women's Studies
- Mathematics*
- Modern Foreign Languages & Literatures

French & Francophone Studies*

Language & World Business

German*

German Studies

Language & Literature

Language & World Business

Hispanic Studies & Spanish

Hispanic Studies

Language & World Business

Italian

Language & World Business

Russian Studies*

Language & World Business

Chinese

Japanese

Portuguese
- Music*

Music & Culture*

Music Education*

Brass Instruments*

Organ*

Piano*

Piano Pedagogy*

Sacred Music*

Strings*

Studio Music & Jazz*

Theory/Composition*

Voice*

Woodwind & Percussion Instruments*
- Philosophy*

Legal & Political Philosophy*

Philosophy of Science & Medicine*
- Physics*

Academic*

Applied*

Astronomy*
- Political Science*

Public Administration
- Pre-Professional Programs

Pre-Clinical Laboratory Science

Pre-Dentistry

Pre-Medicine

Pre-Pharmacy

Pre-Veterinary Medicine
- Psychology*
- Religious Studies*
- Sociology*

Criminology & Criminal Justice

Environmental Issues
- Statistics
- Theatre*



YOUR FUTURE.
YOUR
CHOICE.

* HONORS CONCENTRATION AVAILABLE