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## CONNECTING MAJORS TO CAREERS

Below you will find a list of *some* careers linked to this major. Remember, your major does not always determine your career. Contact the departmental advisor for information about additional education requirements.

### Sample Job Titles related to this degree:

Interpreter/Translator Teacher K-12 Writer/Editor Homeland Security Engineer Diplomat Medical Researcher International Business Paraprofessional Politician Art History Teacher Computer Programmer Peace Corps Worker/Volunteer Executive Assistant Tutor Mayor Opera Singer (Musician) FBI/CIA Agent Customs Agent

#### Sample Job Titles requiring further education:

| College Professor | Study Abroad Coordinator | Academic Advisor |
|-------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Researcher        | Attorney                 | Interpreter      |
| Museum Curator    |                          |                  |

#### **Helpful Websites:**

Occupational Outlook Handbook (http://www.bls.gov/OCO)

O\*Net (http://online.onetcenter.org/)

Choosing a Major (http://www.cco.purdue.edu/Student/Series\_Major.shtml

http://www.fhsu.edu/aace/MAJORS/index.shtml

#### Next Steps:

- Take a course to explore/confirm your interest in the major(s).
- Ask faculty members about local resources and about what their graduates are doing.
- Talk to someone doing the work you are considering to find out what you would do day-to-day.
- □ Volunteer in a related role.
- Get involved in a related student or national professional organization.
- Take Career Network Experience to be matched with a mentor.
- Ask your parents about whom they know in your field of interest.
- Find out if graduate work is necessary or preferred for what you want to do.
- Get a part-time job, internship or co-op to explore your field of interest first hand.

#### WSU Resources:

Career Development Center – Brenan III – 978-3688, http://www.wichita.edu/careerdevelopment (Career Assessment, Resume and Interview Reviews, Job Search Counseling, Cooperative Education and Internship Opportunities)

Graduate School – 107 Jardine Hall – 978-3095, http://www.wichita.edu/graduate

Liberal Arts Advising Center – 115 Grace Wilkie Hall – 978-4757, http://www.wichita.edu/LASadvising (Career Exploration Course and Workshops (LAS I 102, LAS I 150D) academic advising for LAS and deciding majors)

Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures Department – Advisor, Julie Henderson – 305 Jardine Hall – 978-6702, http://www.wichita.edu/mcll

(Major Advising, Related Career Information, preparing for Graduate School)