

HOMELAND SECURITY

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.

Careers related to this degree:

Government Intelligence	Private Industry Intelligence	Military Service
Immigration & Customs	Transportation Security Administration	National Security
Professor	Federal Emergency Management	Research & Grad School
Park Ranger	Lost Prevention	Attorney
Federal Law Enforcement	Local & State Law Enforcement Officer/Detective	

Helpful Websites:

U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) (<https://www.bls.gov/>)

U.S. BLS – Police and Detectives (<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/protective-service/police-and-detectives.htm>)

O*net OnLine (<https://www.onetonline.org/>)

Criminal Justice USA (<http://www.criminaljusticeusa.com/>)

Career One Stop (<https://www.careeronestop.org/>)

USA Jobs (<https://www.usajobs.gov/>)

Online HLS website (https://www.wichita.edu/academics/online/criminaljustice/hls_requirements.php)

Next Steps:

- Take a course to explore/confirm your interest in the major(s).
- Ask faculty members about local resources and what their graduates are doing.
- Talk to someone in the field you are interested in to learn about day-to-day activities.
- Volunteer in a related role.
- Get involved in a related student or national professional organization.
(<https://wichita.campuslabs.com/engage/organization/criminal-justice-student-association>)
- Reach out to the Shocker Career Accelerator for career counseling and mentor opportunities.
- (https://www.wichita.edu/student_life/careerdevelopment/about_the_sca.php)
- Ask family/friends 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 firsthand.

WSU Resources:

Shocker Career Accelerator – Brenan III, 1749 N. Yale Avenue, Wichita, Kansas 67208 – 316-978-3688, careerdevelopment@wichita.edu, https://www.wichita.edu/student_life/careerdevelopment/index.php

(Career Assessment, Resume and Interview Reviews, Job Search Counseling, Cooperative Education, and Internship Opportunities)

Graduate School – 107 Jardine Hall – 316-978-3095, https://www.wichita.edu/academics/graduate_school/

Liberal Arts Advising Center – 115 Grace Wilkie Hall – 316-978-3700, option 2, LAS.Advisor@wichita.edu, https://www.wichita.edu/academics/fairmount_college_of_liberal_arts_and_sciences/advising/index.php

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<https://www.wichita.edu/academics/online/criminaljustice/Homeland.php>