



What Can I Do With a Major In..... Economics



Potential Employment Areas and Examples

Government:	FTC, CIA, IRS, World Bank, Federal Reserve, FBI
Research Firms:	Kelton Research, KMR
Banks:	Union Bank, Wells Fargo
Consulting firms:	Cumberland Consulting
Financial Industry:	Prudential, Morgan Stanley
Insurance:	State Farm, Farmers, AIG
Law Firms:	Diamond Law Firm
Health Care:	Blue Cross, Kaiser Permanente
Non-Profits:	Amnesty International, American Enterprise Institute
Business:	Chevron Texaco, Google

Possible Job Titles

Auditor	Commodities Broker
Actuary	Research Analyst
Economist	Demographer
Information Broker	Cost Estimator
Business Manager	Insurance Underwriter
Consultant	Urban Planner

Local Schools and Degree Offerings

CSUN:	B.A. Economics
CSUSD:	B.A. Economics (Urban Studies)
CSULA:	B.A. Economics
CSULB:	B.A. Business Economics
UCLA:	Several Economics Majors
UCI:	B.A. Business Economics

Additional Info can be found at:

- **Comprehensive Occupational Information:** online.onetcenter.org
- **Pierce College Career Center Website** www.piercecollege.edu/offices/career_center
- **CSUN Economics Department Website:** www.csun.edu/~economics/
- **American Economic Association:** www.aeaweb.org
- **National Association for Business Economics:** www.nabe.com

This is general information. For specific information on majors and careers please see a counselor in the Career / Transfer center.

How This Major Helps You Move Forward:

Skills Learned in this Major that Employers Want:

- Ability to Explain Economic Phenomena and Forecast Market Trends
- Knowledge of Mathematical Models and Statistical Techniques
- Ability to Communicate Effectively
- Research and Critical Thinking Skills
- Complex Problem-Solving Skills
- Ability to Analyze Systems and Predict Outcomes

Related Transfer Majors:

- Business Management & Administration
- Finance
- International Studies
- Mathematics
- Political Science

Graduate Degree Options:

- Applied Economics and Finance MS
- International Economics Ph.D,
- Management and Business Administration MBA
- Accountancy MS

Graduate Exam Prep:

GRE
GMAT
LSAT