



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



Potential Employment Areas and Examples

Museums:	Gene Autry Museum, MOCA
Camps:	Camp LEAD, Leap Camp
Political Parties:	Political Campaigns
Business/Industry:	Farmers Insurance, Metronics, Bank of America, JD Power
Historical Associations:	American History Society
Government:	Library of Congress, National Park Service, Smithsonian
Law Firms:	Baird Brown, Private Lawyers
Advocacy Groups:	Alliance for Justice
Public Interest:	CALPIRG, Skadden

Possible Job Titles

Camp Director	Cataloger
Professor	Research Assistant
Public Advocate	Professor / Teacher
Museum Director	Park Ranger
Archivist	Museum Educator
Field Interpreter	Director of Visitor Services

Local Schools and Degree Offerings

CSUSD:	B.A. History
CSUN:	B.A. History
CSULA:	B.A. History
UCLA:	Several History Related Degrees
UCR:	Several History Related Degrees
UCSD:	B.A. Classical Studies

Additional Info can be found at:

- **Comprehensive Occupational Information:** online.onetcenter.org
- **Pierce College Career Center Website** www.piercecollege.edu/offices/career_center
- **Pierce History Department Website:** www.piercecollege.edu/departments/history/
- **American Historical Association:** www.historians.org/index.cfm
- **Organization of American Historians:** www.oah.org/

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 Analyze Data and Information
- Verbal and Written Communication Skills
- Ability to Place Current Events in a Relevant Historical Context
- Critical Thinking Skills
- Understanding of Diverse Cultures
- Understanding of Historical Developments in Multiple Fields
- Research, Organization and Presentation Skills

Related Transfer Majors:

- Anthropology
- Political Science
- Sociology
- Comparative Ancient Civilizations
- Classical Civilizations
- History of Public Policy
- Renaissance Studies

Graduate Degree Options:

- Ancient History and Mediterranean Archaeology MA/Ph.D.
- History MA/Ph.D.
- Museum Studies MA

Graduate Exam Prep:

GRE
LSAT