

WHAT CAN I DO WITH MY MAJOR?

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

Interdisciplinary Studies allows you to tailor your bachelor's degree by crafting a personalized curriculum. This involves selecting courses or minors across various disciplines that align with your academic interests and career goals, fostering critical thinking, problem-solving, and multi-perspective analysis centered on complex interdisciplinary themes. **This degree best fits students who know exactly what their professional goals are, but UNO does not offer a degree which will work towards those goals.**

COMMON JOB TITLES

* additional education or certification required post graduation

ENTRY & MID LEVEL POSITIONS

Program Coordinator
Project Manager
Policy Analyst*
Marketing/PR Specialist
Technical/Grant Writer
Social Media Manager

HR Assistant
Market Researcher
Event Coordinator
Training Specialist
Data Analyst
Community Outreach Specialist

AREAS OF EMPLOYMENT: WHERE DO INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES MAJORS TYPICALLY WORK?

Nonprofit Organizations: Boys Town, NE Humane Society

Hospitals/Healthcare: Nebraska Medicine, Children's Hospital

Banks & Financial Institutions: FNBO, First Interstate Bank, Core Bank

Colleges & Universities: UNO, UNL, Metro CC

Insurance Companies: Blue Cross Blue Shield, Mutual of Omaha

Media Outlets: Omaha World Herald, NET Nebraska, WOWT News

Government: NE DHHS, NE Dept. of Transportation, Douglas County Health Dept.

Military: Offut Airforce Base, Lincoln Air National Guard Base, USO Nebraska

Self-Employed

Consulting Firms: SOLVE, HDR, Inc., Lutz

Research Institutions: UNMC, Durham Research Center

Corporations: Toast, Omaha Steaks, Gallup

IMPORTANT QUALITIES:

Transferable Skills Gained:

Communication Skills
Decision Making Skills
Collaboration/Teamwork
Adaptability
Critical Thinking Skills

Concrete Skills Gained:

Microsoft Applications
Google Suite
Google Scholar
SPSS
Canva

HOW TO DEVELOP YOUR SKILLS :

Participate in **Community Engagement** to explore your interests and expand your skill set

Get involved in a **UNO Student Organization** to discover diverse opportunities and connect with other students

Attend **UNO events** on campus or within the community to explore your interests

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MAJOR + MINOR SPECIALIZATION: HOW CAN I SPECIALIZE IN SOMETHING BEFORE I GRADUATE?

Interdisciplinary Studies + Public Health minor = Program Coordinator/Patient Advocate * additional education or certification required post graduation

Interdisciplinary Studies + Nonprofit Management minor = Grant Writer

Interdisciplinary Studies + Computer Science minor = Data Analyst

OCCUPATIONAL OUTLOOK:

Social Service Managers

Grant/Technical Writers

Market Researchers

HR Managers

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

Check out daily job postings on **Handshake** related to accounting jobs, internships, and opportunities to boost your student experience

ADDITIONAL EDUCATION:

Receiving a **Masters or Doctoral Degree** may be something to consider for specialization, career advancement, or personal growth after receiving a Bachelor's Degree

More information:

UNO Graduate Programs List from A-Z

UNO Office of Graduate Studies

OTHER RESOURCES :

UNO Department of Interdisciplinary Studies

Career Exploration in Career Services

U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics: Occupational Outlook Handbook

NEED SOME EXTRA HELP?

Book an appointment with Career Services

Book an appointment with your Advisor

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