

What Can I Do With a Degree in... Accounting?

POSSIBLE OCCUPATIONS

Accounting Clerk
Bank Examiner
Bank Officer
Budget Accountant
Bursar
Certified Public Accountant
City/County, State/Federal Auditor

Corporate Bookkeeper
Cost Accountant
Credit Counselor
General Accountant
Purchasing Agent
Revenue Agent
Special Investigator (FBI)

WORK SETTINGS

Banks & other financial institutions
Consulting practices
Corporations
Government agencies
Healthcare industry

Investment firms
Nonprofit organizations
Private practice
Public accounting firms
Service and manufacturing companies

PREPARATION STRATEGIES

Plan on a five year program to meet new requirements for CPA status.
Develop advanced computer skills.
Consider an internship or related work experience.

CAREER IN ACCOUNTING WEBSITES

Careers in Accounting
www.careers-in-accounting.com
The Riley Guide
www.rileyguide.com/finance.html
iHire
www.ihireaccounting.com/

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

CSUN - Accounting Association
www.csunaa.org
National Association of Black Accountants, Inc.
www.nabainc.org
National Society of Accountants
www.nsacct.org/foundation.asp

Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants
www.tscpa.org
Texas Association of Financial and Tax Specialists
www.tafts.org
<http://www.aicpa.org/>

ACCOUNTING BOOKS AND JOURNALS TO CHECK OUT

Located in the Career Library

Public, Government, Not-for-profit, Corporate,
Teaching, Self-employed Accounting

The WetFeet Insider Guide to Careers in
Accounting

Located on Jobs4Cats

Vault Guide to the Top 40 Accounting Firms

Vault Career Guide to Accounting

What Can I Do With a Degree in... Computer Information Systems?

POSSIBLE OCCUPATIONS

Bank Examiner
CIO: Chief Information Officer
Computer Programmer
Computer Scientist
Computer Support Analyst
Computer Training Specialist
Consultant

Data Base Engineer
Data Base Manager
Data Communications Manager
Decision-Management Scientist
Financial Manager
Information Manager/Scientist/Officer
Internet Recruiter

WORK SETTINGS

Any company with large mainframe, microcomputers
Chemical industry
College & Universities
Communication Companies
Computer Hardware & software companies

Consulting Services Industry
Direct Marketing companies
Financial Institutions
Government (Local, State, Federal)
Hospitals & Healthcare Facilities

PREPARATION STRATEGIES

Stay abreast of developments in the field, such as improved software or a more complex virus.
Develop interpersonal communications skills.
Have a knack for troubleshooting, problem-solving mindset.
Think logically, instinctively, thrive under pressure.

CAREER IN CIS WEBSITES

U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
<http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos258.htm>
Tech-Centric.net
www.tech-centric.net/computer-information-systems-jobs.aspx
NationJob Network
www.nationjob.com/computers/

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

International Association for Computer
Information Systems
www.iacis.org

Info-

INFORMATION SECURITY, AUDIT and
CONTROL
www.iacss.com

Association of Computer-based Systems
www.acsci.org/state.asp?STATE=TX

IEEE Computer Society
www.computer.org

COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS BOOKS AND JOURNALS TO CHECK OUT

Located in the Career Library
America's Top 101 Computer and Technical Jobs,
second edition
Peterson's 1998 Job Opportunities For
Engineering and CIS Majors
Careers in Computers
Computer Job Survival Guide

Located on Jobs4Cats
Vault Guide to the Top Tech Employers
Vault Guide to the Top Internet Industry Employ-
ers

What Can I Do With a Degree in... Economics?

POSSIBLE OCCUPATIONS

Micro Economists
Macro Economists
Financial Economists
Econometricians
High School Economics Teacher

Industrial/Organizational Economists
Labor/Demographic Economists
Public Finance Economists
Economic Consultant
College Economists Teacher

WORK SETTINGS

Banks & other financial institutions
Investment firms
Consulting practices
Private practices
Corporations

High schools
Colleges and/or universities
Government agencies
Service and manufacturing companies

PREPARATION STRATEGIES

Consider an internship or related work experience, especially with a government agency
Further develop mathematical and problem solving abilities
Good communication skills also are useful, as economists must be able to present their findings, both orally and in writing, in a clear, concise manner.

CAREER IN ECONOMICS WEBSITES

The McGraw-Hill Companies
www.mhhe.com/economics/sharp/student/careers.mhtml
American Agricultural Economics Association
www.aaea.org
CareerOverview.com
www.careeroverview.com/economist-careers.html

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

National Association for Business Economics
www.nabe.com

American Economic Association
www.vanderbilt.edu/AEA/

International Economic Association
www.iea-world.com
The Central Texas Association for Energy Economics
usaee.org/chapters/documents/ct_06-18-07.pdf

ECONOMICS BOOKS AND JOURNALS TO CHECK OUT

Located in the Career Library

Great Jobs for Economics Majors
Finance, Marketing, Portfolio Management,
Investment Research

Located on Jobs4Cats

Vault Career Guide to Investment
Banking
Vault Career Guide to Investment
Management
Vault Guide to Actuarial Careers

What Can I Do With a Degree in... Finance?

POSSIBLE OCCUPATIONS

Account Analyst
Bank Examiner
Bank Trust Officer
Bond Broker
Budget Consultant
Commercial Lender
Comptroller

Credit Analyst
Financial Services Sales Agent
Financial Technician
Investment Analyst
Purchasing Agent
Risk Management & Insurance
Treasurer

WORK SETTINGS

Bank & other financial institutions
Corporations
Financial planning agencies
Government agencies

Insurance companies
Investment firms
Private firms

PREPARATION STRATEGIES

Gain good mathematical skills.
Develop good interpersonal and communication skills.
Get sales experience.
Take accounting classes. Consider an MBA.

CAREER IN FINANCE WEBSITES

Jobs in the Money
www.jobsinthemoney.com/
Get
www.get.hobsons.co.uk/advice/finance
Exec-Appointments
www.exec-appointments.com/sector/Finance-jobs.asp

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Association for Financial Professionals
www.afponline.org

The American Finance Association
www.afajof.org

Commercial Finance Association
www.cfa.com

Southern Finance Association (SFA)
www.southernfinance.org

FINANCE BOOKS AND JOURNALS TO CHECK OUT

Located in the Career Library

Business and Finance Career Directory: A Practical, One-Stop Guide
Finance, Marketing, Portfolio Management, Investment Research Career Opportunities in Banking, Finance, and Insurance

Located on Jobs4Cats

Vault Guide to Finance Interviews
Vault Guide to the Top 50 Banking Employers
Vault Guide to the Top Financial Services Employers
Vault Career Guide to Investment Banking

What Can I Do With a Degree in... Management?

POSSIBLE OCCUPATIONS

Human Resources Manager
Business Owner
City Administrator
County Administrator
Entrepreneur
Forms and Management Analyst
Lobbyist

Management Analyst
Management Consultant to Govt.
Manager, Retail Store
Property Manager
Operations Director
Planning Analyst
Portfolio Manager

WORK SETTINGS

Advertising Agencies
Banks & other financial institutions
Communications Industry
Consulting Firms
Corporations
Entertainment Industry

Golf course management
Government agencies
Health care industry
Hotels/ Motels, Resorts, Clubs International companies
Labor Unions
Local, State and Federal Government

PREPARATION STRATEGIES

Develop competency in statistics and computer systems.
Consider concentration in statistics and operations/data processing.
Gain leadership experience in extracurricular activities along with good work experience.

Consider an internship
Take courses in psychology, sociology or others related to human relations.
Learn to work well with all types of people.

CAREER IN MANAGEMENT WEBSITES

College Graduate
www.collegegrad.com/careers/manag.shtml
Vocational Information Center
www.khake.com/page13.html
World Wide Learn
www.worldwidelearn.com/career-planning-education/business-management/index.html

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

AACCA - American Association of Certified
Codors and Auditors
www.aacca.net
American Hotel and Motel Association
www.ahla.com

National Association of Real Estate Brokers
www.nareb.com
Society for H.R. Management
www.shrm.org

MANAGEMENT BOOKS AND JOURNALS TO CHECK OUT

Located in the Career Library
Hotel/Restaurant Management

The WetFeet Insider Guide to Careers in
Management Consulting

Located on Jobs4Cats
Vault Guide to the Top Business Services
Employers
Vault Guide to Starting Your Own Business
Vault Guide to the Top Hospitality & Tourism
Industry Employers
Vault Career Guide to Venture Capital

What Can I Do With a Degree in Marketing?

POSSIBLE OCCUPATIONS

Account Executive
Advertising Manager
Buyer
Field Representative
Inventory Control Manager
Manufacturers' Rep.
Market Research Analyst
Marketing Director

Merchandise Manager
Pharmaceutical Dealer
Public Relations Specialist
Purchasing Agent
Purchasing Manager
Retail Manager
Sales Engineer
Sales Representative

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Corporations
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Government agencies
Health care industry
Hotels/ Motels, Resorts, Clubs International companies
Labor Unions
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PREPARATION STRATEGIES

Acquire good computer and statistical skills. Obtain sales experience. Develop excellent communication skills, high energy. Get leadership experience.
Gain experience through an internship
MBA for brand management, consulting, research.

CAREER IN MANAGEMENT WEBSITES

Careers in marketing
www.careers-in-marketing.com/
Talent Zoo Inc
www.talentzoo.com/website/content/
GetSpecific Internet
www.getspecific.com/

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Marketing Association
www.marketingpower.com/

Association of Travel Marketing Executives
www.atme.org

Association of Internet Marketing & Sales
www.aimscanada.com/

Business Marketing Association
www.marketing.org

MANAGEMENT BOOKS AND JOURNALS TO CHECK OUT

Located in the Career Library
Careers in Marketing
The WetFeet Insider Guide to Careers in Marketing and Market Research
Directory of Direct Marketing Summer Internship
Marketing in today's economy, Market Research, Product development and distributions, Advertising, Retailing, Direct marketing

Located on Jobs4Cats
Vault Career Guide to Advertising
Vault Career Guide to Marketing & Brand Management