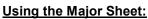
WHAT CAN I DO WITH MY **GLOBAL STUDIES DEGREE**?



• Large headings indicate industry area and subheadings indicate employers within that area.

• Use the titles to search for careers and related careers in order to explore your options within different areas of industry. Note that some career titles have multiple names for similar positions.

• An asterisk (*) notes that additional training (certification, graduate school, high level of experience) may be needed in order to obtain this career. Make sure to thoroughly research career pathways.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

U.S. Government (DOA, EPA, DOI, Commerce)

- Population Studies Researcher
- Contract Administrator
- Legislative Liaison
- Senior Administrative Analyst

Foreign Service (Peace Corps, State Department)

- Foreign Service Officer
- Peacekeeping Specialist

- Congressional/Legislative Aide
- Legislative Research Assistant
- Media Relations Specialist

- Urban/Regional Planner Researcher/Statistician
- Public Information Officer
- Contract/Grants Officer
- Peace Corps Volunteer
- Bicultural Program Specialist
- Public Policy: Congress/State Legislature/Local Government
 - Committee Staff Person
 - Legislative Correspondent

Membership Coordinator

Grass Roots Organizer

Political Pollster

Public Policy: Public Organizations (Issue-Oriented/Non-Profit/National Associations)

- Public Opinion Interviewer
- Community/Field Organizer

Intelligence Support Analyst

- Program Developer/Coordinator
- Fund-Raiser/Development Associate Assistant Field Representative
- Defense/National Security/Intelligence Analysis (CDC, DOD, CIA, DIA, FBI)
- Anti-terrorism Intelligence Agent
 - CIA/DIA/FBI Special Agent
 - Foreign Language Analyst

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Global Public Health Organizations (WHO, UNICEF, USAID, UN, Red Cross) Social Affairs Officer

- Int'l. Exchange Program Coordinator
 UN Guide
- American Red Cross Program Officer International Visitor Escort

Trade and Economic Development (World Trade Organization, OAS)

International Trade Economist

Democracy, Security and Human Rights (OAS)

Administrative Technician

Financial Institutions (World Bank, IMF)

Economic Affairs Officer

NON-GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS

Environmental (Greenpeace)

- Environmental Policy Analyst
- Renewable Energy Consultant
- Environmental Lawyer

Public Affairs Specialist

 Compliance Specialist Program Evaluator

Career Center

Customs Agent

- Translator
 - Press Assistant

Labor Analyst

- Campaign Staffer/Aide

Press Assistant

Legislative Analyst

Intelligence Officer

Biodefense Researcher

Research Technician

Policy Analyst

Lobbvist

Director

Government Affairs Specialist

RESEARCH INSTITUTES

Think Tanks, Institutions (CFR, CSIS, Solidarity Center, CIP)

Project Assistant

Research Associate

Public Policy Analyst

Membership Coordinator

Research Associate

Project Assistant

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS Humanitarian Aid (Amnesty, IRC, World Relief, OCHA, CRS)

- Public Policy Analyst Community/Field Organizer
- Project Assistant
- Assistant Field Rep.
- Program Developer/Coordinator Assistant for Special Projects

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND TRADE

Banking & Finance

 Branch Manager • Foreign Exchange Trader Loan Representative Commercial Loan Officer Commodities Trader Cost Estimator Advertising/Marketing/PR Advertising Account Manager Public Relations Specialist Export Buver Labor Relations Advisor Import/Export Traffic Manager Foreign Purchasing Age Human Resources • EEO/Affirmative Action Officer Recruiter/Interviewer Trainer Labor Relations Specialist Staffing Specialist Job Developer COMMUNICATION **Multilingual Services** International Operator Interpreter Technical Translator Publishing/Journalism Travel Book Writer/Editor Foreign News Correspondent News Analyst **Public Relations** Communications Specialist Media Liaison

Publicity Publications Writer

EDUCATION

Higher Education, Corporations, Overseas Schools

 Student Affairs Administrator Foreign Student Advisor Admissions Counselor Instructional Coordinator Int'l Exchange Program Coordinator Professor

Preparation for a Competitive Job Market:

- Focus on transferable skill sets as you pursue a degree in Global Studies.
- · Obtain relevant internship, co-op, or volunteer experiences.
- Supplement Global Studies coursework with classes that are relevant to your career.
- Meet with a Career Specialist to explore options, make decisions, and prepare for career choices.

Additional Career Center Resources:

- Related Major Sheets (MCS, ECON, MLLI, GES, AFST): https://careers.umbc.edu/tools/majors/
- The Vault: https://careers2.umbc.edu/tools/vault/
 - Use the top search bar to find these relevant guides:
 - "Vault Guide to Nonprofit Jobs"
 - "Vault Guide to Museum and Cultural Center Jobs"
 - "Vault Career Guide to Education"
 - "Vault Guide to Government Jobs"
 - "Vault Guide to Foreign Trade Jobs"

Professional Associations:

The International Studies Association: http://www.isanet.org/ International Development Association: http://ida.worldbank.org/ The World Culture Association: http://www.worldcultureassociation.com/ Center for Global Development: http://www.cgdev.org/