

# LIBERAL STUDIES

## Career Information

A Liberal Studies degree provides a program rich in critical awareness of an ever-changing world. Liberal Studies examines self, society, and human accomplishments.

### TYPICAL SKILLS LIST

Ability to observe and evaluate  
Ability to solve problems  
Appreciate others' perspectives  
Communicate clearly

Effectively research & present information  
Interpret complex data  
Maintain "big picture"  
Proficiency in analytical thinking

### TYPICAL PROFESSIONAL CAREERS

Administrator  
Arbitrator  
Archivist  
College Advisor  
Critic  
Editorial Assistant

Educator  
Market Research Analyst  
Political Scientist  
Publisher  
Research Assistant  
Writer

### HIRING ORGANIZATIONS

Archives  
Bookstores  
Colleges/Universities  
Consulting firms  
Environmental service  
Federal/State agencies  
Financial corporations

Law enforcement organizations  
Law firms  
Libraries  
Museums  
Professional associations  
Public schools  
Research firms

### PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

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