

WHAT CAN I DO WITH MY ANTHROPOLOGY DEGREE?



UMBC - CAREER SERVICES CENTER

HUMAN SERVICES

Advocacy Groups, Government, Non-Profits, Hospitals

- ≡ Community Service Agency Worker
- ≡ Social Service Administrator
- ≡ Family Services Specialist
- ≡ Child Support Case Officer
- ≡ Parent Educator
- ≡ Drug abuse counselor
- ≡ Race Relations Specialist
- ≡ Volunteer Coordinator
- ≡ Community Outreach Worker
- ≡ Eligibility Specialist
- ≡ Violence Prevention Educator
- ≡ Family service counselor
- ≡ Recreation Coordinator
- ≡ Caseworker
- ≡ Activities Leader
- ≡ Youth Counselor
- ≡ Teen Center Director
- ≡ Peace Corps area director

PUBLIC POLICY

Congress / State Legislature / Local Government

- ≡ Congressional/Legislative Aide
- ≡ Legislative Research Assistant
- ≡ Campaign Staffer
- ≡ Committee Staff Person
- ≡ Legislative Correspondent
- ≡ Constituent Aide
- ≡ Press Secretary
- ≡ Communications Director

Policy Organizations (Issue-Oriented/Non-Profits/National Associations)

- ≡ Public Opinion Interviewer
- ≡ Community/Field Organizer
- ≡ Program Developer/Coordinator
- ≡ Fund-Raiser/Development Associate
- ≡ Office Manager
- ≡ Lobbyist
- ≡ Membership Coordinator
- ≡ Political Organizer
- ≡ Convention Organizer
- ≡ Government Affairs Specialist
- ≡ Public Policy Analyst
- ≡ Project Manager
- ≡ Legislative Liaison
- ≡ Conference Coordinator

Research Organizations (Issue-Oriented/Non-Profits/National Associations)

- ≡ Project Assistant
- ≡ Research Associate
- ≡ Public Policy Analyst

Foundations

- ≡ Aide
- ≡ Researcher
- ≡ Proposal Reviewer

LAW / CORRECTIONS / REHABILITATION

- ≡ Probation/Parole Officer
- ≡ Correctional Caseworker
- ≡ Investigative Assistant
- ≡ Customs/Immigration Officer
- ≡ Police Officer
- ≡ Court Appointed Advocate
- ≡ Intelligence Support Analyst
- ≡ Corrections Officer
- ≡ Legal Assistant
- ≡ CIA/FBI Agent

GOVERNMENT

Local, State and Federal Agencies (Transportation, Housing, Commerce)

- ≡ Population Studies Researcher
- ≡ Contract Administrator/Specialist
- ≡ Quality Assurance Specialist
- ≡ Friend of the Court caseworker
- ≡ International agency representative
- ≡ Coroner/medical examiner
- ≡ Congressional committee staff direct.
- ≡ Urban/Regional Planner
- ≡ Researcher/Statistician
- ≡ National/state park interpreter
- ≡ Bureau of Indian Affairs researcher
- ≡ Cultural artifact specialist
- ≡ State/federal government policy analyst
- ≡ Public Affairs Officer
- ≡ Civil Rights Investigator
- ≡ Survey Analyst
- ≡ Program Evaluator
- ≡ Head Start program director

HEALTH

Hospitals, Insurers, Government, Non-Profits (Family Planning, Substance Abuse)

- ≡ Research Assistant
- ≡ Insurance Customer Service Rep.
- ≡ Family Planning Counselor
- ≡ Fund-raiser/Development Specialist
- ≡ Public health educator
- ≡ Medical Admissions Staff
- ≡ Health Educator
- ≡ Activities Leader
- ≡ Community Outreach Worker
- ≡ Physician
- ≡ Patient Advocate
- ≡ Caseworker
- ≡ Volunteer Coordinator
- ≡ Program Coordinator

EDUCATION & RESEARCH

High Schools, Colleges, Universities

- ≡ Teacher
- ≡ Literacy Program Coordinator
- ≡ Academic advisor/counselor
- ≡ Computer simulation model designer
- ≡ Collections manager
- ≡ Media planner
- ≡ Forensic Anthropologist
- ≡ Genealogist
- ≡ Bilingual/bicultural program specialist
- ≡ Admissions Counselor
- ≡ Museum Education Director
- ≡ Teacher of English (ESL)
- ≡ Anthropology professor
- ≡ Foundation program manager
- ≡ Vocational teacher
- ≡ Archivist
- ≡ Contract Archaeologist
- ≡ Anthropologist
- ≡ Financial Aid Counselor
- ≡ Collections Manager
- ≡ Art Conservator
- ≡ Contract archeologist
- ≡ Marketing researcher
- ≡ Paleontologist
- ≡ Ethnologist
- ≡ Field Archaeologist

BUSINESS

Advertising / Marketing / Public Relations

- ≡ Marketing Research Analyst
- ≡ Advertising Salesperson
- ≡ Special Events Coordinator
- ≡ Actuary
- ≡ Loan officer/bank employee
- ≡ Travel agent/guide
- ≡ Environmental impact assessment researcher
- ≡ Public Relations Specialist
- ≡ Marketing Coordinator
- ≡ Consumer Survey Supervisor
- ≡ Industrial psychologist
- ≡ Union legal counsel
- ≡ Journalist
- ≡ Copywriter
- ≡ Media Buyer
- ≡ Human resources manager
- ≡ Employment recruiter
- ≡ Marketing manager
- ≡ Management consultant

HUMAN RESOURCES

- ≡ Social worker
- ≡ Personnel/Human Resources Asst.
- ≡ EEO/Affirmative Action Officer
- ≡ Interviewer
- ≡ Transplant registry database manager
- ≡ Advocate (e.g. children, ethnic group members aging)
- ≡ Benefits Coordinator
- ≡ Payroll Officer
- ≡ Staffing Specialist
- ≡ Genetic counselor
- ≡ Trainer
- ≡ Recruiter
- ≡ Job Developer
- ≡ Job counselor

Insurance

- ≡ Claims Representative/Examiner
- ≡ Insurance Agent
- ≡ Property Manager Retail

Sales

- ≡ Branch Manager
- ≡ Assistant Buyer
- ≡ Loan Representative
- ≡ Store/Department Manager
- ≡ Sales Representative
- ≡ Underwriter Banking

Finance

- ≡ Editorial Assistant
- ≡ Reporter
- ≡ Publishing Assistant
- ≡ Salesperson
- ≡ Technical Writer
- ≡ Copy Editor
- ≡ Promotions Assistant
- ≡ Circulation Manager
- ≡ News Assistant

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Career Resource Center (MP 212):

- ≡ Great Jobs for Anthropology Majors
- ≡ Forensic Science Careers

Internet sites: that allow you to explore career options for Anthropology degree:

- ≡ Career Services Center - Links by Major: http://www.careers.umbc.edu/students/websites_major.php