Few majors have a true linear trajectory to a specific career path. An Economics degree can prepare you for a variety of career paths including Finance and Banking, Government, Nonprofit, Education, and Business. A graduate degree will further prepare an Economics student for more specialized careers.

General Career Information for Economics majors:
- U of U Career Services
- Who Hires U of U Grads
- What can I do with this major

Subtopics and Related Disciplines
- Microeconomics
- Macroeconomics
- Environmental Economics
- Development Economics
- Political Science
- Sociology
- Finance
- Business Administration
- Statistics

Related Career Fields
- Business
  - Financial Analyst
  - Data Analysis
  - Human Resources
  - Market Researcher
  - Auditing
- Non-Profit
  - Development and Outreach
  - Fundraising
  - International Development
  - Non-Governmental Organizations
- Government
  - Dept. of Labor
  - FBI
  - Department of the Interior
  - Department Of Transportation
  - State Department
  - Department Of Commerce
- Education
  - Teaching
  - Research Administration
  - Student Affairs
  - Non-classroom Education

Resource management
- Project Management
- Pricing
- Cost Analysis
- Trading Strategies
- Research
- Actuarial Analyst
- Think Tanks

What are Utah Economics alumni doing with their majors?
There are 4043 U of U alumni on LinkedIn who studied Economics. Here is a snapshot of the top 10 professions reported.

- Sales
- Finance
- Operations
- Entrepreneurship
- Education
- Research
- Information Technology
- Consulting
- Legal
- Marketing

Additional Career Path Exploration Resources:
- O*Net Online: http://www.onetonline.org
- Bureau of Labor Statistics

Select Professional & Student Organizations
- Economics Student Advisory Committee
- Omicron Delta Epsilon Honor Society
- American Economic Association

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EXCLUSIVE STUDENT RESOURCES

Services are FREE for current U of U students up to one year after graduation. Graduates from more than a year ago are eligible for services with an Alumni Association membership.

- **Choosing a Career/Career Development** – Visit our website (http://careers.utah.edu) and the Career Exploration Center (350 SSB) for information on careers/internships, job market trends, salary information, and “What can I do with this major?”

- **Career counseling/guidance** available including resume review, interview techniques, networking resources, and salary negotiation – see Find Your Counselor on our website or call 801/581-6186. Walk-in counselors are also available on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 10am-3pm.

- **Finding a part-time job, internship or career position** – easy online access to local, national, and government job postings, as well as volunteer, military and non-profit opportunities on UCareerLink.

- **Resume writing help & samples** – resume/cover letter writing instructions, examples and career counselor to proof and suggest updates your resume.

- **Interviewing techniques** – library and web resources, workshops and practice interviews through UCareerLink or by appointment with counselor.

- **Career Services Internship Program** – obtain local or national internship opportunities to gain practical experience in your field of study for which you may receive University of Utah upper-division academic credit.

- **Finding employers and employer contacts** – mentor and company contacts directory in UCareerLink and access to national software tools CareerShift. Assistance with creating a profile and utilizing LinkedIn.

- **Career Fairs, Student Job & Internship fairs** – Fall and Spring, see website for dates.

- **On-campus interviewing and information sessions** – employers come to Career Services on campus to meet with students. Sign-up through UCareerLink.

- **Getting into graduate school** – annual fall Graduate School Fair, workshops, and other resources including navigating the application process and assistance with personal statements.

- **Career Pathways** – join young alumni and professionals to explore and network around a targeted career field. Each event includes a panel discussion with professionals, followed by an opportunity for students to meet and learn more about the variety of careers from industry professionals.