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What Can I Do With a Major In Classics?

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Where Do Classics Majors Work & Study?

Now – Within 6 Months of Graduation

Cushing Academy
Latin Teaching Fellow

TMG Visa LLC
Paralegal

Durham University
MA Museum & Artifact Studies

**University of
Massachusetts Foundation**
Administrative Assistant

Glasgow University
MA Battlefield Archaeology

University of Pennsylvania
Classics

London School of Economics
MS Political Science

University of St. Andrews
Systematic and Historical
Theology

Simon & Schuster
Publishing Assistant, Audio

**Teachers College, Columbia
University**
MS Applied Linguistics

Zenith
Assistant Planner, Digital and
Magazine Activation

If You Like These Outcomes, Consider These Career Communities:

Arts, Communications
& Media

Business & Finance

Government &
Law

Later – Up to 25 Years After Graduation

Ardley Union Free School District
Latin Teacher

Babson University
MBA Business Administration

Burnell High School
Latin Teacher

Cetrulo + Capone
Paralegal

Copenhagen International School
MVP Design Teacher

Cornell University
MA City and Regional Planning

Cybereason
Director, Technical Content, Training, and Enablement

Danone Research
Scientist

DOROT
Grant Writer

Ford Motor Company
National Lincoln Retail Marketing Manager

Gilman School
Middle School Admissions Coordinator

Institute of Contemporary Art at the University of Pennsylvania
Associate Director of Development, Individual Gifts

K+L Wine Merchants
Library Wines Customer Service Coordinator

Kimball Union Academy
Latin Teacher

Kohlberg & Company
Compliance Associate

LF USA
Brand Manager

Michigan State University
MBA Supply Chain Management

Microsoft Corporation
Research Operations and Development

Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago
Communications Assistant

National Wildlife Federation
Gift Planner

NYC Dept. Housing Preservation & Development
Project Manager, New Construction Finance

Porter Ridge Farm, LLC
Co-Owner

Richard Wright Public Charter School
Latin Teacher

Scientific American
Developer

Syracuse University
JD Law

Tampa Baseball Museum
Co-Founder and Director

The Brookings Institute, Center for East Asia Policy Studies
Senior Research Assistant & Communications Coordinator

The Fabric Workshop & Museum
Administration & Publicity Coordinator

The Montclair Coop School
Pre-K/Kindergarten Teacher

United States Navy
Intelligence Officer

University of Iowa Hospital and Clinic
Fellow Physician

University of Washington
MPA International Development

University of Wisconsin
Program Coordinator

West Chester School District
Latin Teacher

In Their Own Words:

Take advantage of the opportunity Skidmore gives you to do a double major. While my job relies heavily on my studies in economics, the classics courses I took were perhaps more useful in terms of improving my analytical skills. Learn Greek; it'll be impossible to master but the discipline and rigor required forced me to become a better student.

Plan ahead but be willing to throw those plans aside. I had no clue what I wanted to do with my life when I was at Skidmore. I knew I wanted to study economics but, frankly, I believe my classics experience brought out the desire to learn in me far more than intro to macroeconomics possibly could (getting to read Homer's 'Iliad' with Professor Porter was epic!).

Finally, get a student job (I put in about 20 hours a week for Skidmore's Dining Services). Besides the phenomenal relationships that I formed, juggling school and work is what really prepared me for the hectic lifestyle development consulting entails.

Suren Tripathi, 2013

Establish intimate relationships with your professors and your classmates. Use your major to develop not only content-knowledge about an area or discipline, but as a space in which creative and critical thought can be threaded together. Work to establish and articulate how classes within your major, but also outside of it, might connect and inform what you're studying now. Reflect on how what you're studying now might revise or complicate something you studied earlier.

Christopher McVey, 2006

My advice to Skidmore students: Make the most out of the education and the time you have at Skidmore. When you graduate, you will get back the effort you put into your classes when you use the skills you cultivated in real life. You will also have the friendships and memories you made at the college.

Thomas Coon, 2012