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What Can I Do With a Major In History?

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CAREER
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Where Do History Majors Work & Study?

Now – Within 6 Months of Graduation

AlphaWire
Digital Marketing
Specialist

Atlantic Council
Program Assistant

Boston University
MS Journalism

**CAB Danvers Detox,
Lahey Behavior Health
Services**
Case Manager

**Carnegie Mellon
University**
MA Arts Management

Covenant Prep
History Teacher Fellow

CUNY Baruch College
MPA Public Administration

Fulbright
Scholar

Georgetown University
MA Global, International
and Comparative History

**Modera Wealth
Management**
Client Service Associate

Oxford University
MA History

QGA Public Affairs
Government Relations
Intern

**Rensselaer Polytechnic
Institute**
MA Electronic Arts

**Rocaton Investment
Advisors**
Investment Analyst

Silvermine Arts Center
Gallery Associate

Taboola
Account Manager -
Sponsored Content

**The River School and
Chattering Children**
Research and Clinical
Assistant

The Rock Club LLC
Climbing Instructor

**Thomas Cole National
Historic Site**
Cole Fellow

Tufts University
MA Museum Studies

**United State Holocaust
Memorial Museum**
Film, Oral History, and
Recorded Sound Intern

United Nations
Research Fellow

**University of Chicago
Survey Lab**
Research Assistant

WallachBeth Capital
Analyst, ETF Trading
Solutions

William Morris Endeavor
Assistant

Xaxis
Associate

If You Like These Outcomes, Consider These Career Communities:

**Arts, Communications
& Media**

**Social Impact &
Education**

**Government &
Law**

Later – Up to 25 Years After Graduation

**American Jewish Committee
Archives & Library**
Director

Belchertown Photos
Photographer/Owner

Bennington College
Senior Director of Major and
Leadership Giving

Booz-Allen
Researcher/Computer
Simulations

CC Mellow Memorial Library
Director

Clean Air Advocates
Principal/Founder

Colorado State University
M.Ed Human Resources
Development

Columbia University
MS Real Estate Development

Common
Director | Real Estate

Conde Nast
Executive Director, Consumer
Marketing

CNN
Senior Research Director

Deloitte Digital
Senior Consultant

Edelman
Senior Vice President

Ellen Sprouls/Pesky Grass
Principal Consultant

EY
Senior Consultant

Federal Judiciary
Senior Law Associate

George Washington University
MA Education and Human
Development

**Greater Springfield Senior
Services**
Social Worker

**Henry Morrison Flagler
Museum**
Archivist & Research Librarian

**House Committee on the
Judiciary**
Law Fellow

**Kingsbridge Heights
Community Center**
Supervising Therapist

Lafayette College
Associate Director of
Admissions

Major League Baseball
Mobile Operations
Coordinator

Middlebury College
MA French and French History

**National Dance Education
Organization**
Editor, Dance Arts Now!

**New York State Supreme
Court**
Attorney

Northeastern University
MS Health Information

**Office of Maine Senate
President**
Policy Director

Pact
Social Enterprise
Development Officer

**Pagliacci Pizza, Macrina
Bakery**
Co-Owner/Restaurant

Penguin Books
Managing Editor

**Population Services
International**
Program Manager

Somerville High School
History Teacher

Syracuse University
JD Law

TechSpring
Information Manager

The Legal Aid Society
Staff Attorney

The Washington Center
Site Relations Coordinator

**Thomas Jefferson School of
Law**
JD Law

Tufts University
MA International Business
Relations and Human Security

Union Graduate College
MAT Education/History

University of Kansas,
Professor Pre-modern
Japanese History

University of Michigan
Ph.D. Pre-modern Japanese
History

Vermont Law School
Director of Career Services

World Bank
Electronic Records Manager

Yeshiva University
MSW Social Work

Internships Completed by History Majors

Friends of the Hennepin County Library
International Rescue Committee
National Hockey League
National Parks Service
New York State Military Museum

Saratoga PLAN
Saratoga Springs Preservation Foundation
The Gilder Lerman Institute of American History
Travelers Insurance
WallachBeth Capital

In Their Own Words:

Come in undecided. Explore all possibilities before settling into one major. If you decide that history is for you, then the way to become a successful historian is to constantly ask questions. Challenge what you read or hear in class because it is through intelligent debate that you really will learn. Also, be sure to take advantage of Skidmore's great faculty. Professors really are there to help you. Establishing personal relationships with them will greatly enhance your experience at Skidmore.

Sarah Elwell, 2011

My best advice is follow your interests and stay persistently determined, regardless of where you may be on your career timeline. The process of finding your place, finding a job, finding yourself, takes time, sometimes a long time. Sometimes, although it may not seem it at first, you can end up exactly where you want to be without knowing where you are going. Just keep your finger on what really drives you and makes you passionate, you will succeed in the long run.

Wyatt Erchak, 2012

Seek to understand the many departments within arts organizations. Whether you focus on marketing, development, education, or programming, you'll most likely have to partner with other departments in your institution. If you understand where that department is coming from, you'll have a much more supportive and productive working environment.

Madison Lehrhaupt, 2014