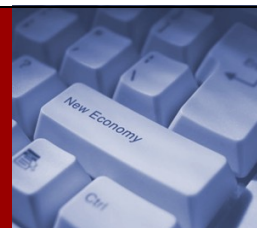


what can I do with a degree in... economics



OCCUPATIONAL TITLES

- Accountant*
- Administrative Officer/
Government Service
- Advertising Manager
- Actuary*
- Auditor*
- Administrator, Contract
- Budget consultant
- Credit Analyst
- Buyer
- Archivist, Economic History
- Claim Adjuster/agent
examiner
- Bank Officer
- Business Agent
- Columnist/Commentator
- Commodity Industry Analyst
- City Planning Aid
- Conciliator
- Corporate Counsel*
- Consumer Affairs Director
- Contract Administrator
- Personnel Manager
- Director/Institutional
Research
- Estate Planner
- Financial Aid Counselor
- Information Scientist
- International Trade
Economist
- Job Analyst
- Labor Relations
Representative
- Lawyer*
- Labor Economist
- Lobbyist
- Manager/Financial
Institution
- Director/Employment
Research Planning
- Reporter

*May require additional education

EMPLOYMENT SETTINGS

- Advertising departments
and firms
- Government agencies
- Banks
- Consumer affairs offices
- Business corporations
- Energy departments
- Chambers of Commerce
- Federal Trade Commission
- Civic & taxpayer
associations
- Housing & urban
development
- Colleges & universities
- Labor departments
- Consulting firms
- Social Security Admin.
- Consumer organizations
- Magazines, newspapers
- Educational institutions
- Labor unions
- Employment agencies
- Personnel departments
- Financial institutions
- Political action groups
- Research & dev. firms
- Insurance companies
- Trade associations
- Investment firms
- Utility companies
- Market research depts. and
firms

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES

- Performing ambiguous or
abstract tasks
- Conducting research and
analysis
- Process, evaluate and
communicate information
- Collecting and organizing
data
- Formulating general
investment strategy
- Researching trends in
economic activity
- Problem solving
- Working independently
- Applying basic analytical
techniques and theory to
new situations and
problems

SKILLS & ABILITIES

- Managing and supervising
- Forecasting
- Problem solving and
trouble shooting
- Business cycle and money
market analysis
- Decision making
- Planning and prioritizing
tasks
- Policy making
- Delegating
- Communication, both oral
and written
- Ability to trace problems
to their sources
- Recognizing elements,
relationships, structures,
and organizing principles
- Analyzing and interpreting
economic developments
- Perceiving/defining cause
and effect relationship

INTERNET SITES AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- International Economic Development Council:
www.iedconline.org
- American Economic Association: www.eco.utexas.edu/joe
- Inomics: Job Openings for Economists: [www.inomics.com/
cgi/job](http://www.inomics.com/cgi/job)
- AAEA Online: www.aaea.org/classifieds/index.cfm
- International Monetary Fund Job Openings: [www.imf.org/
external/np/adm/rec/job/joboppo.htm](http://www.imf.org/external/np/adm/rec/job/joboppo.htm)
- Financial Jobs.com: www.financial-jobs.com