

Career Opportunities for Majors in

PBCC Career Centers

ECONOMICS

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Description of major: Economics is the study of how society uses its resources to produce, distribute, and consume goods and services. Economists analyze the structure of institutions such as banks, stock markets, labor unions. People trained in economics also deal with problems arising from inflation, unemployment, labor negotiations, taxes, and international trade.

Regardless of your career choice, increase your marketability to employers through internships, related work experience, good grades, and involvement in college activities. Visit the Career Center at your campus to research this field. Talk to people employed in these occupations and meet with an Academic Advisor to develop an academic plan for this major.

Sample Occupations

Listed below are occupations related to this major. **Some occupations may require additional skills, experience, coursework or an advanced degree.**

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| Economist* | Bank Officer | Financial Planner |
| Economic Analyst* | Financial Analyst | Securities Trader/Broker |
| Compensation/Benefits Analyst | Credit Analyst | International Trade Specialist |
| Market Research Analyst | Underwriter | Accountant |

And many more....To find more careers by major go to <http://online.onetcenter.org/crosswalk/> and search by major in the first box "Classification of Instructional Programs" (CIP)

Example of Work Settings

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| Insurance Companies | Taxpayer Associations | Federal Reserve System |
| Brokerage Houses | Economic Research Firms | Labor Unions |
| Utility Companies | Government Agencies | Schools |
| Banks | | |

and more...

Sources of career information:

Go to www.facts.org Choose "**Finding a College or Program.**" In the "**Explore Careers**" box, select one or all of the following links and follow the directions:

- Career Development
- Career Planning - Florida CHOICES
- Related Links & Resources

Visit or call the Career Center on your campus for more information.

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