

Career Opportunities for Majors in

PBCC Career Centers

FILM

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Description of major:

Incorporating other fields such as art, history, languages, popular culture, and communications, film studies offers the student extensive possibilities for experience and knowledge. Film studies majors learn to analyze, synthesize and discern important information—they learn to read and write effectively and look at the world with a critical eye, but most importantly, the film studies major develops a critical and audio-visual literacy. In a culture that increasingly relies on visual information, a comprehension of how meaning grows out of the moving image becomes essential to various areas of society.

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

Actor	Booking Agent	Boom Operator
Audiovisual Production Specialist	Camera Operator, TV	Casting Director
Motion Picture Photographer	Cinematographer	Film Producer
Film Editor	Costume Designer	Critic
Director, Technical (Radio & TV Broadcast)	Producer (Radio, TV, Movies, & Theater)	Director, Program (Radio & TV Broadcast)
Pyrotechnics Specialist	Director (Motion Picture & Theater)	Playback Technician
Script Writer		Production Designer
Set Designer	Film Loader	Special Effects Specialist
Sound Effects Technician	Grip	Sound Editor
Lighting Technician	Location Sound Mixer	Playback Technician
Production Assistant	Performer/Entertainer	Scoring Mixer

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

Advertising Companies	Government Agencies	Freelance
Cable Stations	Television Stations	Theatrical Production Companies
Corporate Communications Dept.	Motion Picture Companies	Video Production Companies
Film Companies		

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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