What can I do with a World Languages Major/Minor?

I’ve Declared my Major/Minor…now what?

Do you love speaking a foreign language, but aren’t sure what you can do with a major/minor? No problem! A language major/minor opens up more career options and can make you more competitive on the job market. With a language major/minor under your belt, you will already have cultural competence and a diverse skill set that will set you apart from others when competing to get a job. Still not convinced? Well, read on!

Career.unca.edu – Website to help students understand what they can do with their specific major/minor.

Vistawide.com – Website dedicated to collecting resource information regarding career opportunities for speakers of foreign languages, complete with a detailed book list for suggested reading.

Other Sources of Information

For more information about the classes we offer as well as scholarships/events that are going on within the department, check out our CWU World Languages Department Facebook page (www.facebook.com/cwu.worldlang.dept) as well as our CWU website (www.cwu.edu/foreign-language/).

Offered Languages at Central

American Sign Language, Chinese, Japanese, Spanish, Russian, German, and French
Jobs with a World Language Background

Government Positions
- FBI
- United Nations
- Law Enforcement
- Department of Commerce
- Immigration/Naturalization

Interpretation/Translation
- Publishers
- Healthcare Services
- Courts
- Educational Services
- Business

Service & Education
- Teaching
- Social Work
- Counseling
- Linguistics
- Research

Arts, Media & Entertainment
- Museums
- Foreign news agencies
- Book publishers
- Newspapers
- Magazines