

What can I do with my Major?



SPANISH

UCONN DEPARTMENT: Literatures, Cultures & Languages

To learn more about this major check out the department website or schedule a meeting with an academic advisor.

NATURE OF WORK

The nature of work for Spanish majors varies depending on the type of position they acquire, but since Spanish is quickly becoming the second most important language within the United States, professionals who know Spanish have enhanced opportunities in government, business, medicine and health care, law enforcement, teaching technology, the military, communications, industry, social service, and marketing. Spanish majors also have greater opportunities to attain positions overseas in Spanish-speaking countries.

A degree in Spanish prepares graduates with transferable skills and qualities that can be beneficial in a variety of industries and careers.

UCONN RESOURCES

Cross Cultural Connections
Global House Learning Community
Alternative Break Trip
Jumpstart
Latino Student Association
Study Abroad

Additional organizations (and the most current information) can be found at the [UConn Student Activities website](#).

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

American Association of Language Specialists
American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese
American Dialect Society
American Translators Association
College Language Association
Council on International Educational Exchange
Modern Language Association
Society for Spanish & Portuguese Historical Studies

A liberal arts and sciences education develops critical thinking, written and oral communication, versatility and problem solving skills, which are valuable in any career and will help students adapt to an ever-changing world.

SAMPLE JOB TITLES

Visit [O*Net](#) and conduct an Occupation Quick Search of each job title to learn more about that career path.

Administrative Assistant
Associate Editor
Associate Project Manager
Bilingual Instructor
Business Development Manager
CIA/FBI Special Agent
Civil Service Worker
Client Services Coordinator
Copy Editor
Customs Official
Development Assistant
Diplomat
Environmental Translator
Events Logistical Liaison
Female Bilingual Voice Talent
Foreign News Journalist
Foreign Services Worker
Hispanic Services Coordinator
Historian
Immigration Specialist
Import/Export Agent
Intelligence Specialist Interpreter
Laboratory Technician
Language Researcher
Legal Assistant
Linguist
Military Office Intern
Multicultural Education and Outreach Coordinator
Paraprofessional
Peace Corps Volunteer
Program Coordinator
Recruiter/Business Development Research Associate
Resource Coordinator & Inside Sales Representative
Restaurant Management