Federal Jobs by College Major

To help you choose the right career field, we have prepared the following table that groups Federal jobs that are often filled by college graduates with appropriate academic majors. As you study the table, please keep these facts in mind: (1) The jobs listed under each major are usually examples, not an all-inclusive list. (2) Many jobs do not require a college degree; job-related experience is just as good. And (3), you can qualify for a large number of administrative jobs with a degree in any academic major. To illustrate this third point, we are leading off the table with a list of some of the most popular jobs for which any major is qualifying.

ANY MAJOR

Environmental Protection, 0029, 0028
Civil Rights Analyst, 0160
Personnel occupations ¡ 020L, 0203, 0299
Administrative Officer, 0341
Management Analyst, 0343
Logistics Management, 0346
Paralegal Specialist, 0950
Contact Representative, 0962
Claims Examining, 0998
Public Affairs, 1035
Writing and Editing, 1082
Internal Revenue Officer, 1169
Contract Administration, 1102
General Investigator, 1810
Air Traffic Controller, 2152
Supply Management, 2003, 2005, 2099

ACCOUNTING

Accountants, 0510, 0525
Auditors,0511
Contract Specialists, 1 102
Financial Managers, 0505
Financial Administrators, 050 1
Financial Institution Examiners, 570
Intelligence Specialists, 0132
Internal Revenue Agents, 0512
GAO Evaluators, 0347

AGRICULTURE

Soil Conservationists, 0457, 0458
Agricultural Commodity Graders, 1980
Agricultural Engineers, 0890
Agricultural Mgmt. Spec.,
Agricultural Program Spec., 1145
Agricultural Market Reporters, 1 147
Agricultural Marketing Spec., 1 146
Foreign Agriculture Affairs Specialists, 0135
Soil Scientists, O47O

AGRONOMY

Agronomists, O47L
Agricultural Mgmt. Spec.
Soil Conservationists, 0457
Soil Scientists, 0470

ANTHROPOLOGY

Anthropologists,
Museum Curators, 1015
Museum Specialists, 1016
Program Analysts, 0343
Management Analysts, 0343

ARCHEOLOGY

Archaeologists, 0193
Museum Curators, 1015
Museum Specialists, 1016

ARCHITECTURE

Architects, 0808
Construction Analysts, 0828
Construction Control Inspec., 0809

Landscape Architects, 0807
Naval Architects, 0871
Program Analysts, 0343, 0344

ARTS, FINE AND APPLIED

Arts Specialists, 1056
Audio-Visual Production Specialists, 1071
Recreation and Creative Arts Therapists, 0638
Exhibits Specialists, 1010
General Arts and Information Specialists, 1001 .
Illustrators, 1020
Photographers, 1060
Visual Information Specialists, 1084

ASTRONOMY

Astronomers and Space Scientists, 1330
Geodesists, L372, L374

AVIATION

Air Safety Investigators, 1815
Air Traffic Controllers, 2152
Aircraft Operators, 2181
Aviation Safety Inspectors, 1815, 1825
Air Navigators, 2183
Aircrew Technicians, 2185

BIOLOGY

General Biological Scientists, 0401
Entomologists, 0414
Fishery Biologists, 0482
Microbiologists, 0403
Range Conservationists, 0454
Wildlife Biologists, 0486
Zoologists, 0410
GAO Evaluators, 0347

BOTANY

Agronomists, O47L
Botanists, 0430
Forestry Technicians, 0462
Geneticists, 0440
Horticulturists, 0437
Plant Pathologists, 0434
Plant Physiologists, 0435
Plant Protection & Quarantine Specialists, 0436
Range Conservationists, 0454

BUSINESS

Budget Analysts, 0560
Business and Industry Spec., 1101, 1199
Commissary Store Managers, !144
Import Specialists, 1889
Internal Revenue Officers, 1169
Miscellaneous Admin. & Programs Specialists, 0301
Quality Assurance Specialists, 19 10
Trade Specialists, 1 140
Contract Specialists, 1 102
GAO Evaluators, 0347

CARTOGRAPHY

Cartographers, 1370
Cartographic Technician s, L37 L
Geodetic Technicians, 737 4

CHEMISTRY

Chemical Engineers, 0893
Chemists, 1320
Consumer Safety Officers, 0696
Environmental Engineers, 0819
Food Technologists, 1382
Health Physicists, 1306
Intelligence Specialists, 0132
Toxicologists, 0648
GAO Evaluators, 0347

COMMUNICATIONS

Telecommunications Managers, 039 1
Communications Specialists, 0392
Public Affairs Specialists, 1035
Technical Writers and Editors, 1083
Writers and Editors, 1082

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Computer Science Specialists, 1550
Computer Specialists, 0334
Program Managers, 0340
Management Analysts, 0343
Computer Programmers, 1550

CORRECTIONS

Correctional Institution Administrators, 0006
Correctional Officers, 0007
Program Analysts, 0343

COUNSELING
Chaplains, 0060
Educ. and Vocational Training Specialists, 1710
Personnel Specialists, 0201, 0203
Psychologists, 0180
Psychology Aids and Technicians, 0181
Social Service Aids and Assistants, 0186
Social Service Reps., 0187
Vocational Rehab Spec., 1715
Equal Opport. Compliance Specialists, 0360
Educational Services Specialists, 1740

CRIMINAL JUSTICE/LAW ENFORCEMENT
Border Patrol Agents, 1896
Criminal Investigators, 181 1
Game Law Enfc. Agents, 1812
Internal Revenue Officers, 1169
Police Officers, 0083
United States Marshals, 0082
GAO Evaluators, 0347

DIETETICS AND NUTRITION
Dietitians, 0630
Food Technologists, 1382
Nutritionists, 0630

ECONOMICS
Actuaries, 1510
Budget Analysts, 0560
Contract Specialists, 1102
Economists, 0110
Financial Analysts, 1 160
Financial Instit. Examiners, 0570
Loan Specialists, 1165
Trade Specialists, 1140
Transportation Industrial Analysts, 2110
GAO Evaluators, 0347

EDUCATION
Education and Training Specialists, 1701
Educ. and Vocational Training Specialists, 1710
Vocational Rehab. Specialists, 1715
Educational Program Specialists, 1720
Employee Dev. Specialists, 0235
Public Health Educators, 1725
Training Instructors, 1712
Instructional Systems Specialists, 1750
Educational Services Specialists, 1740

ELECTRONICS TECHNOLOGY
Communications Specialists, 0392, 0394, 2508
Electronics Technicians, 0856
Patent Examiners, 1224
Electronics Mechanics, 2604

EMPLOYEE/ LABOR RELATIONS
Contractor Industrial Rel. Specialists, 0246
Employee Relations Specialists, 0230
Hearing-g and Appeals Specialists, 0930
Labor Management Relations Examiners, 0244
Labor Relations Specialists, 0233
Mediators, 0241
Salary and Wage Admin., 0223
Workers Compensation Claims Examiners, 0991

ENGINEERING (ANY SPECIALTY)
General Engineers, 0801
Civil Engineers, 0810
Mechanical Engineers, 0830
Electrical Engineers, 0850
Electronics Engineers, 0855
Aerospace Engineers, 0861
Industrial Engineers, 0896
Nuclear Engineers, 0840
Computer Engineers, 0854
Biomedical Engineers, 0858
(11 other Engineering fields)

ENGLISH AND LITERATURE
Editorial Assistants, 1087
Printing Specialists, 1654
Public Affairs Specialists, 1035
Technical Writers and Editors, 1083
Writers and Editors, 1082
Misc. Admin. & Programs Specialists, 0301
Program Analysts, 0343
Program Managers, 0340
Management Analysts, 0343

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES
Ecologists, 0408
Environmental Health Technicians, 0698

Environmental Protection Assistants, 0029
Environmental Protection Specialists, 0028
Gen. Fish and Wildlife Administrators, 0480
Fish and Wildlife Refuge Management, 0485
Misc. Admin. and Programs Specialists, 0301
Toxicologists, 0415
GAO Evaluators, 0347

EPIDEMIOLOGY

Environmental Health Technicians, 0698
Gen. Health Scientists, 0601
Industrial Hygienists, 0690
Microbiologists, 0403

FINANCE

Appraisers and Assessors, 1171
Budget Analysts, 0560
Financial Administrators, 050 1
Financial Analysts, 1160
Financial Institution Examiners, 0570
Securities Compliance Examiners, 1831
Tax Examiners, 0592
Trade Specialists, 1140

FISH, GAME, AND WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT

Gen. Fish and Wildlife Administrators, 0480
Fish and Wildlife Refuge Management, 0485
Fishery Biologists, 0482
Game Law Enforcement Agents, 1812
Soil Conservationists, 0457
Wildlife Biologists, 0486
Wildlife Rescue Managers, 0485
General Biological Scientists, 0401

FOOD TECHNOLOGY AND SAFETY

Consumer Safety Inspectors, 1862
Consumer Safety Officers, 0696
Dietitian and Nutritionists, 0630
Food Assistance Program Specialists,
Food Technologists, 1382
Toxicologists, 0415

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Air Safety Investigators, 1815
Border Patrol Agents, 1896
Customs Inspectors, 1890
Language Specialists, 1040
Equal Employment Opport. Specialists, 0260
Foreign Affairs Specialists, 0130
Foreign Agricult. Affairs Specialists, 0135
Intelligence Specialists, 0132

FORESTRY

Foresters, 0460
Soil Conservationists, 0457
Management Analysts, 0343
Program Analysts, 0343
Gen. Fish and Wildlife Administrators, 0480
Fish and Wildlife Refuge Management'

GEOGRAPHY

Cartographers, 137 0, 1371
Geographers, 0150

GEOLOGY

Geodesists, 1372
Geologists, 1350
Hydrologists, 1315
Oceanographers, 1360
Gen. Physical Scientists, 1301

GEOPHYSICS

Geophysicists, 1313
Gen. Physical Scientists, 1301

HEALTH

Environmental Health Technicians, 0698
Gen. Health Scientists, 0601
Health Physicists, 1306
Health System Admin., 0670
Health System Spec., 0671
Industrial Hygienists, 0690
Public Health Programs Specialists, 0685
Safety & Occup. Health Management Specialists, 0018

HISTORY

Archives Technicians, l42L
Archivists, 1420
Exhibits Specialists, 1010
Historians, 0170
Intelligence Specialists, 0132, 0134

Museum Curators, 1015
Misc. Admin. and Programs Specialists, 0301
Management Analysts, 0343
Program Analysts, 0343

HOME ECONOMICS

Consumer Safety Officers, 0696
Food Technologists, 1382

HORTICULTURE

Agricultural Mgt. Spec., 1146
Gen. Biological Scientists, 0401
Horticulturists, 0437
Plant Protect. and Quaran. Specialists, 0436
Plant Physiologists, 0435

HOSPITAL ADMIN.

Administrative Officers, 0341
Health System Administrators, 0670
Health System Specialists, 0671
Hospital Housekeepers, 0673
Gen. Health Scientists, 0601
Public Health Programs Specialists, 0685
Misc. Admin. & Programs Specialists, 0301

HUMAN RESOURCE MGT.

Apprenticeship & Training Representatives, 0243
Employee Dev. Specialists
Equal Employment Opport. Specialists, 0360, 0361
Military Pers. Mgt. Spec., 0545
Personnel Management Spec., 0201, 0203
Personnel Staffing Spec., 0201, 0203
Position Classification Specialists, 0201, 0203

HYDROLOGY

Environmental Engineers, 0819
Environmental Protection Specialists, 0028
Hydrologists, 1315
Gen. Fish and Wildlife Administrators, 0480
Fish and Wildlife Refuge Management, 0480
Program Analysts, 0343

INDUSTRIAL MANAGEMENT

Business and Ind. Specialists, 1101, 1199
Equipment Specialists, 1670
Industrial Hygienists, 0690
Industrial Property Managers, 1103
Industrial Specialists, 1 150
Management Analysts, 0343
Production Controllers, 1 152
Program Analysts, 0343
Property Disposal Specialists, 1104
Quality Assurance Specialists, 1910

INSURANCE

Crop Insurance Administrators, 1611
Social Insurance Admin., 0105
Social Insurance Claims Examiner
Unemployment Insurance Specialists, 0106
Misc. Admin. and Programs Specialists, 0301
Program Analysts, 0343

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Foreign Affairs Specialists, 0130
Foreign Agricult. Affairs Specialists, 0135
Intelligence Specialists, 0132, 0134
Language Specialists, 1040
Public Affairs Specialists, 1035
Trade Specialists, 1140
International Relations Workers, 0131

JOURNALISM

Agricult. Market Reporters, 1147
Printing Specialists, 1654, 0351
Public Affairs Specialists, 1035
Writers and Editors, 1082
Technical Writers and Editors, 1083
Program Analysts, 0343

LAW

Administrative Law Judges, 0935
Attorneys, 0905
Hearing and Appeals Specialists, 0930
Legal Instruments Examiners, 0963
Paralegal Specialists, 0950
Patent Attorneys, 1222
Tax Law Specialists, 0987
GAO Evaluators, 0347

LAW ENFORCEMENT

Alcohol, Tobacco, & Firearms Inspectors, 1854
Border Patrol Agents, 1896
Criminal Investigators, 181 1

Customs Inspectors, 1890
Game Law Enforcement Agents, 1812
Immigration Inspectors, 1816
Inspec., Invest. & Compliance Specialists, 1801
Police Officers, 0083
United States Marshals, 0082

LIBERAL ARTS/HUMANITIES

Contact Representatives, 0962
Customs Inspectors, 1890
Equal Opportunity Compliance Spec., 0360
Management Analysts, 0343
Pers. Management Spec., 0201
Program Analysts, 0343
Social Insurance Claims Examiners, 0105?
Veterans Claims Exam., 0996
Educ. Services Spec., 1740

LIBRARY SCIENCE

Librarians, 1410
Library Technicians, L4LL
Medical Record Librarians, 0669, 0675
Technical Info. Services, 1412

MGT. INFO. SYSTEMS

Computer Science Specialists, 1550
Computer Specialists, 0334
Financial Managers, 0505
Logistics Mgt. Specialists, 0346
Management Analysts, 0343
Misc. Admin. and Programs Specialists, 0301
Operations Research Analysts, 1515
Program Analysts', 0343
Program Managers, 0340

MANAGEMENT, FACILITIES

Commissary Store Managers, 1144
Correctional Institution Administrators, 0006
Distrib. Facility and Storage Managers, 2030
Equipment Specialists, 1670
Facility Managers, 1640
Gen. Facilities and Equip. Manager, 1601
Housing Managers, 1173
Industrial Property Managers, 1103
Production Controllers, 1152

MANAGEMENT

Administrative Officers, 034 1
Logistics Mgt. Specialists, 0346
Management Analysts, 0343
Manpower Dev. Specialists, 0142
Misc. Admin. and Program Specialists, 0301
Program Analysts, 0343
Support Svcs. Administrators, 0342

MARKETING

Agric. Marketing Specialists, 1146
Bond Sales Promotion Representatives, 0011
Contract Specialists, 1102
Inventory Mgt. Specialists, 2010
Packaging Specialists, 2032
Property Disposal Spec., 1104
Supply Specialists, 2001, 2003
Trade Specialists, 1141
Business and Industry Specialists, 1101, 1199

MATHEMATICS

Actuaries, 1510
Cartographers, L370
Computer Science Specialists, 1550
Mathematical Statisticians, 1529
Mathematicians, 1520
Operations Research Analysts, 1515
Statisticians, 1530

MEDICAL SUPPORT

Diagnostic Radiological Technicians, 0647?
Medical Instrument Technicians, 0649
Medical Record Technicians, 0675
Medical Technicians, 0645
Nuclear Medicine Technicians, 0642
Pathology Technicians, 0646
Therapeutic Radiological Technicians, 0648?

METEOROLOGY

Meteorologists, 1340
Gen. Physical Scientists, 1301, 1311, 1399

NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Fish and Wildlife Admin., 0480
Gen. Biological Scientists, 0401
Program Analysts, 0343

Wildlife Biologists, 0486
Wildlife Refuge Management, 0485

NURSING
Nurses, 0610
Physician's Assistants, 0603

PARK AND RECREATION MANAGEMENT
Foresters, 0460
Outdoor Recreation Planners, 0023
Park Rangers, 0025
Recreation Specialists, 0 188
Rec. and Creative Arts Therapists, 0638
Management Analysts, 0343

PHARMACY
Consumer Safety Inspectors, 1862
Consumer Safety Officers, 0696
Pharmacists, 0660
Pharmacologists, 0405

PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Corrective Therapists, 0635
Outdoor Recreation Planners, 0023
Rec. and Creative Arts Therapists, 0638
Recreation Specialists, 0188
Recreation Aids & Assistants, 0189
Sports Specialists, 0030
Program Analysts, 0343

PHYSICAL SCIENCE
Gen. Physical Scientists, 1301
Metallurgists, 1321
Physicists, 1310

PHYSICS
Astronomers and Space Scientists, 1330
Geodesists, 1372
Geophysicists, 1313
Health Physicists, 1306
Hydrologists, 1315, 1316
Oceanoçiraphers, 1360
Patent Examiners, 1224
Physicists, 1310
Gen. Physical Scientists, 1301

COMMUNITY OR CITY PLANNING
Community Planners, 0020
Realtors, 1170

POLITICAL SCIENCE/GOVT
Archivists, 1420
Budget Analysts, 0560
Historians, 0170
Foreign Affairs Specialists, 0130
Misc. Admin. and Programs Specialists, 0301
Program Analysts, 0343
Public Affairs Specialists, 1035
Social Scientists, 0101
GAO Evaluators, 0347

PSYCHOLOGY
Rec. and Creative Arts Therapists, 0638
Employee Dev. Specialists, 0235
Personnel Management Spec., 0201
Psychologists, 0180
Personnel Staffing Spec., 0212
Position Class. Specialists, 0221
Educational Svcs. Specialists, 1740
GAO Evaluators, 0347

PUBLIC HEALTH
Environmental Health Technicians, 0698
Food Assistance Program Specialists, 1382?
Food Inspectors, 1863
Health System Administrators, 0670
Health System Specialists, 0671
Industrial Hygienists, 0690
Public Health Programs Specialists, 0685
Public Health Educators, 1725
Social Insurance Admin., 0105
Veterans Claims Examiners, 0996

PUBLIC ADMTN.
Budget Analysts, 0560
Employee Dev. Specialists, 0235
Employee Relations Specialists, 0230
Housing Managers, 1173
Management Analysts, 0343
Manpower Dev. Specialists, 0142
Misc. Admin and Programs Specialists, 0301
Program Analysts, 0343

Public Utilities Spec., 1130
GAO Evaluators, 0347

PUBLIC RELATIONS
Contact Representatives, 0962
Foreign Affairs Specialists, 0130
Foreign Agricult. Affairs Specialists, 0135
Public Affairs Specialists. 1035

PURCHASING
Commissary Store Managers, LL44
Contract Specialists, 1 102
Purchasing Specialists, 1 105
Business and Industry Specialists, 1101, 1199

REAL ESTATE
Building Managers, 1176
Housing Managers, 1173
Realtors, 1170
Business and Industry Specialists, 1101
Contract Specialists, 1102

REHABILITATION THERAPY
Corrective Therapists, 0635
Manual Arts Therapists, 0637
Occupational Therapists, 0631
Physical Therapists, 0633
Prosthetic Reps., 0672
Rehabilitation Therapy Assistants, 0636

SOCIAL WORK
Food Assistance Program Specialists, 1382
Psychology Aids and Technicians, 0181
Social Science Aids and Technicians, 0102
Social Scientists, 0101
Social Service Aids and Assistants, 0186
Social Service Reps., 0187
Social Workers, 0185
Recreation Specialists, 0 188

SOCIOLOGY
Social Science Aids and Technicians, 0102
Social Scientists, 0101
Social Service Aids and Assistants, 0186
Social Service Reps., 0187
Program Analysts, 0343
Sociologists, 0184
GAO Evaluators, 0347

STATISTICS
Actuaries, 1510
Computer Science Spec., 1550
Mathematical Statisticians, 1529
Operations Research Analysts, 1515
Program Analysts, 0343
Statisticians, 1530
Transportation Industry Analysts, 21 10

SURVEYING
Geodesists, 1372
Land Surveyors, 1373

SYSTEMS ANALYSIS
Computer Science Specialists, 1550
Computer Specialists, 0334
Misc. Administrative and Programs Specialists, 0301
Management Analysts, 0343
Program Analysts, 0343

THEOLOGY
Chaplains, 0060
Social Workers, 0185
Program Analysts, 0343

TRANSPORTATION
Cargo Schedulers, 2144
Highway Safety Specialists, 2125
Marine Cargo Specialists, 2161
Traffic Mgt. Specialists, 2130
Transportation Industry Analysts, 21 10
Transportation Loss/Damage Claims Examiners, 2135
Transportation Operators, 2 1 50
Transportation Specialists, 2101
Travel Assistants,?

ZOOLOGY
Animal Scientists, 0487
Zoologists, 0410
Physiologists, 0413
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