What can I do with a major in ... COMMUNICATION

**Occupational Titles**
- Personnel Interviewer
- Teacher
- Salesperson
- Actor
- Teacher’s Aide
- Museum/Zoo Director
- Political Consultant
- Media Manager
- Journalist
- Ministry
- Public Relations
- Advertising Sales
- Public Information Officer
- Performer
- Politician
- Speech Writer
- Insurance Adjuster
- Customer Service Representative
- Industrial Labor Relations Specialist
- Extension Service Specialist
- Radio Broadcaster
- College Faculty
- Hotel Manager
- Foreign Service Officer
- Editor/Author
- Personnel Manager
- Legislative Assistant
- Technical Writer

**Employment Settings**
- Public school systems
- Employment agencies
- Colleges/universities
- Hotels
- Government
- Radio/television stations
- Religious organizations
- International organizations
- Insurance companies
- Newspapers/magazines
- Hospitals
- Advertising agencies

**Typical Work Activities**
- Conducting meetings
- Debating
- Recruiting employees
- Observing
- Teaching
- Examining
- Organizing events
- Traveling
- Decision making
- Persuading
- Negotiating
- Evaluating employees

**Skills & Abilities**
- Ability to collaborate and work well with teams
- Critical analysis
- Ability to adapt to new environments
- Ability to lead group discussions
- Skilled listener
- Clear speaking ability
- Vitality
- Stamina
- Ability to relate to people from diverse backgrounds & experiences
- Ability to stay calm in stressful situations
- Strong public speaking skills
- Ability to improvise
- Flexibility

**Internet Sites and Professional Associations**
- National Communication Association: www.natcom.org
- National Press Club: www.npc.press.org
- International Communication Association: www.icahdq.org
- International Listening Association: www.listen.org
- Central States Communication Association: www.csca-net.org
- Public Relations Student Society of America: www.prssa.org
- American Copy Editor's Society: www.copydesk.org
- Resources for Speech Writers: www.executive-speaker.com/res_m.html
- Toastmasters International: www.toastmasters.org
- International Association of Business Communicators: www.iabc.com
- Advanced Public Speaking Institute: www.public-speaking.org

**Career Services Resources**
- 100 Best Careers for Writers and Artists, 1998, Shelly Field
- Bookworms & Other Literary Types (Careers for), 1997, Wm. Ray Heitzmann
- Communications (Careers in), 1999, Shonan F. R. Noronha
- Journalism (Careers in), 2000, Jan Goldberg
- Media Companies - Get Inside Today’s Hottest Industry, 2000, Peterson’s

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