# What can I do with a major in **AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES**

African American Studies majors develop a broad range of skills that prepare them for career paths in a variety of industries!

## JOB TITLES

Common job titles for African American Studies majors:

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Coordinator	Journalist
Community Engagement Director	Consultant
Human Rights Officer	Professor
Political Analyst	Lawyer

# INDUSTRIES

Common industries African American Studies majors work in:

Advocacy	<b>Government and Politics</b>	Law
Education	Community Development	Nonprofits
Human Resources	Media and Communications	Public Policy

# **GET STARTED**

- Gain experience and skills through internships, parttime jobs, or volunteering.
- Develop a deep understanding of multiculturalism through coursework and research.
- Sharpen your public speaking and intercultural communication skills.
- Engage in a student organization that supports the development of cultural, social, and leadership skills.
- Develop international competency by studying or interning abroad.
- Meet with a Liberal Arts Career Coach!

### Transferable Skills



Cross-Cultural Communication

Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving

Attention to Detail and Organizational Skills



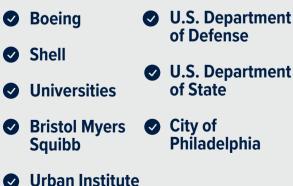
Research and Analytical Skills



Adaptability and Teamwork

# **Employers**

Employers who hire African American Studies majors include:



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