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The purpose of the REALM Series is to make career, personal and learning skills information readily available to students, parents, faculty and staff. The REALM Series supports retention and the academic mission of the University of Kentucky.

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REALM Series: RETENTION EDUCATION ACADEMIC LIFE MANAGEMENT SERIES

Careers for majors in
Fine Arts
INTERNET RESOURCES

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Please read before accessing the following information:

The following resources are provided to assist University of Kentucky students and staff in gathering major and career information on the Internet. The University of Kentucky and the Counseling Center are not associated with, nor do they endorse, any of the sources listed.

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For more assistance with career decision-making, please attend a Career Decision-Making workshop offered weekly at the Counseling Center. The schedule of workshops and this brochure are available at our website: www.uky.edu/studentaffairs/counseling. You may also call for an individual appointment to discuss your career related concerns (859-257-8701).

UK Fine Arts Department

Basic information about fine arts as a major or minor. Course requirements. Faculty expertise areas. Links to opportunities within the department and in the community.

<http://www.uky.edu/FineArts/>

What can I do with a major in Fine Arts?

Gives career options for undergraduate degrees.

<http://www.nipissingu.ca/academics/faculties/arts-science/fine-arts/pages/what-can-i-do-with-this-major.aspx>

Major Resource Kits

Links academic majors to career alternatives at the bachelor's and advanced degree levels. Suggests ways to enhance employability. Lists potential employers and professional associations.

<http://www.udel.edu/CSC/art.html>

<http://www.udel.edu/CSC/arhist.html>

Majoring in Art and Commercial Art?

Click on fine art, commercial art, or theatre to see fact sheets that show transferable skills, possible career options, resources for researching particular careers and names of organizations that have hired graduates with these majors.

<https://www.ashland.edu/content/pages/major-sheets-0>

Artists and Related Workers

Discusses the work of fine artists (including painters, sculptors, and illustrators), multimedia and special effects artists who use computers or other electronic media. Reviews job titles, working conditions, employment opportunities, earnings, and ways to advance in the field.

<http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos092.htm>

What can I do with a major in Art History?

Click on art history to find related career titles, employment settings, and skills related to professional careers with this major. Also has a long list of career web sites and professional organizations. Can also review art studio and theater resources here.

<http://www.uncw.edu/stuaff/career/Majors/art-history.htm>

Arts Administration at UK

Reviews the role of arts administrators, areas of specialization, educational requirements and international opportunities. Lists web sites for arts administration internships with symphonies, operas, theatres, museums, and foundations.

<http://www.uky.edu/FineArts/ArtsAdmin>

Career alternatives for Art Historians

Document which reviews work in the antiquarian book trade, antiques, architectural conservation, art investments, art law, publishing, and many other areas.

Lists usual educational requirements as well as skills expected for these occupations.

<http://www.nd.edu/~crosenbe/jobs.html>

American Art Therapy Association

Professional association web page that gives information about art therapy as a profession and explains credentials.

<http://www.arttherapy.org/>

Photographers

Review the nature of the work, working conditions, employment opportunities, usual earnings, and web sites that give more information on the career.

<http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos264.htm>

Archivists and Museum Workers

Another option for art history majors. Reviews types of work as well as employment opportunities, usual earnings. Related web sites give more information.

<http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos065.htm>

Art and Culture

A collection of 141 web sites devoted to various art forms, the work of specific artists, museums, theatres, and galleries.

<http://www.refdesk.com/culture.html>

Art links on the World Wide Web

Large collection of web sites related to ancient art, computers and art, conservation, film, iconography, mythology, Native American art, non-western art, photography, sculpture, visual literacy, women in art, and many other topics.

http://www.bc.edu/bc_org/avp/cas/fnart/Artweb_frames.html

** Please note, there is a separate brochure for Careers in Music*