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UK Department of History

Info about undergraduate and graduate degrees at UK, stories by students, and Where Can History Take Me?

http://www.as.uky.edu/academics/departments_programs/history

What can I do with a major in History?

Reviews transferable skills and possible career options reflective of individual interests. Some careers will require additional study or advanced education.

http://www.as.uky.edu/academics/departments_programs/History/History/WhereCan/Pages/default.aspx

<http://www.historians.org/pubs/Free/careers/>

Major Resource Kits

Links history majors to career alternatives at the bachelor's level as well as the advanced degree level. Suggests ways to enhance employability. Lists potential employers and professional associations.

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

History Major Occupations

Sample occupations for bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees. Also sample work settings and professional organization sites.

<http://www.career.fsu.edu/Images/PDFs/history.pdf>

In What Fields Can I Use My History Degree?

Gives examples of career opportunities within different work sectors (e.g., private, public, not-for-profit, education).

<http://matrix.scranton.edu/academics/cas/history/careers.shtml>

Career Info for History Majors

Links to history career resources, internship, job opportunities, and graduate programs.

<http://www.library.csi.cuny.edu/dept/history/career.html>

Careers for Students of History

An online book which details the skills of professional historians, careers, and trends in the current job market. Profiles successful working historians.

<http://www.historians.org/pubs/careers/>

Historian - Occupational Outlook Handbook description

Nature of the work, working conditions, employment trends, earnings, sources of additional information on the psychology field.

<http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos315.htm>

Careers in Public History

Resources for job opportunities in the field of public history.

<http://www.historians.org/governance/tfph/publichistoryemployment.htm>

Professions in Preservation

Descriptions of careers related to historic preservation.

<http://www.preservationnation.org/career-center/professions-in-preservation>

Teaching History

Info for history educators in K-12 schools.

<http://www.teachinghistory.org>

Chronology of US Historical Documents

Notable pre-colonial through 20th century speeches and documents.

<http://www.law.ou.edu/hist/>

Archives and Preservation Resources

Learn about archives, archival management careers, and preservation of records/historical materials. Answers to specific questions about the field.

<http://www.archives.gov>

National Women's History Project

Women's contributions to history, organizations, programs, events, links.

<http://www.nwhp.org>