

# What you can do with your Management major



Management majors get broad exposure to many facets of business operations, developing practical skills to manage yourself, other individuals, work, and teams. You will learn to assess and optimize human, physical and financial resources to achieve an organization's objectives and have an appreciation for the global, ethical, and environmental factors that impact organizations. With these skills, graduates have access to a wide variety of career paths in a myriad of different industries in the public, private and nonprofit sectors. Narrowing down your career objectives through research, experience and further technical skill development will be an important part of making the most of your Management degree.

According to the [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#), employment of management occupations is projected to grow 7% from 2021 to 2031, faster than the average for all occupations. Employment cycles are driven by the expanding and contraction of new industries and organizations. Continuing education and related certifications are important to stay current with these trends.

## Essential Skills & Characteristics to develop and highlight



Passion for solving problems



Mathematical and deductive reasoning



Attention to detail and organization



Written and oral communications



Personal management



Data analysis



Digital literacy



Teamwork

## How To Get Started:

- [Assess](#) your personal strengths & preferences
- [Research opportunities](#): online/in-person
- [Expand your network](#), management technical skills, and improve your personal brand
- [Get an internship/relevant](#) work experience
- [Join a professional business organization](#)
- [Connect with professionals](#) through career conversations & job shadowing

## Chart Your Path Forward with the [Career Success Center](#)

### [Activate Your Handshake Account](#)

for events, coaching appointments and connections to jobs, internships, employer & alumni networking & more!  
[www.wcsu.edu/handshake](http://www.wcsu.edu/handshake)

### [Explore Career Communities](#)

to discover a wide variety of fields where you can turn your Management major into success.

### [Get Career & Internship Advising](#)

from the Career Success Center to make a plan, whether you're a first-year student or about to graduate

# Put your Management major to **WORK**

## Common Alumni Job Titles

- Financial Manager
- Food Service Manager
- Agricultural Manager
- Real Estate Manager
- Top Executive
- Management Analyst
- Marketing Manager
- Emergency Manager

## Employers of Management Majors

- IBM
- Wells Fargo
- GE Capital
- PepsiCo
- Cartus
- Boehringer Ingelheim
- Bank of America
- M&T Bank

## Recent Management Alumni

### Employment Sector

- 19 % Professional, Scientific, and Tech Services
- 13 % Finance and Insurance
- 11 % Retail Trade
- 9 % Manufacturing
- 9 % Management of Companies and Enterprises
- 7 % Administrative Support
- 6 % Wholesale Trade
- 5 % Accommodations and Food Services

### Live & Work

- 80 % Connecticut
- 15 % Middle Atlantic
- 2 % South Atlantic
- 1 % New England
- 1 % Pacific



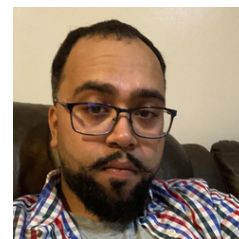
[Shannon Tenney](#)

B.B.A. in Human Resource Management, Class of 2013  
Associate HR Business Partner at PerkinElmer

"My career found me. My job allows me to help others explore what's possible and take the next step in their career journey."

## Informational & Job Websites

- <https://wcsu.joinhandshake.com/login>
- <http://www.aftercollege.com/>
- <https://datausa.io/profile/cip/general-business-administration-management>
- <http://www.helpwithmanagement.com/>
- <https://www.careerbuilder.com/insights/business-manager>
- <http://www.amanet.org/>
- <http://www.hfma.org/>
- <http://www.nsba.biz/>
- <http://nma1.org/>
- <http://www.hypehartford.com/home.aspx>
- <http://nma1.org/>
- <http://www.shrm.org/pages/default.aspx>
- <http://www.pmi.org/>
- <http://www.careers-in-business.com/management/>



[Gurprem Bhullar](#)

B.B.A. in Management, Class of 2017  
Online Tutor on Wyzant teaching React/Redux | MongoDB | Node | GraphQL | Firebase | Express

"Writing code in general is just really cool and I love modern JavaScript in particular. Being able to create and deploy your own apps makes an interesting side project!"

## Career Communities for Management Majors

The Career Success Center has seven Career Communities to connect you with career advising, resources and programs. All can be applicable to a Management major. Here are a few from which to start.

Not inspired by these options? Visit our website at [www.wcsu.edu/careersuccess/career-communities/](http://www.wcsu.edu/careersuccess/career-communities/) to view more.

- [Financial, Business and Consulting Services](#)
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