

Liberal Arts Update

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Overview of My English Degree

The Liberal Arts Department at Huston-Tillotson University offered me courses in American as well as other cultures that enhanced my knowledge in literary history. The Liberal Arts

Department was also very helpful in strengthening my academic as well as my professional writing. These resources will prepare me for a variety of

careers and activities in life, that will depend on my background in culture studies, writing, and critical thinking.

Though it was like pulling teeth the instructors at Huston-Tillotson University gave me a familiarity with a broad array of literature. I also gained the ability to explore the meaning of foreign literature, and

articulate ideas for a variety of audiences.

English as a major is very versatile and helped me to develop skills that can be useful in almost any career choice. Many careers do not require a specific major, but rather a wide range of demonstrative skills and accomplishments.

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Employment Placement for English Majors

Regardless of your career choice it is wise to increase your marketability to employers through internships and your work experience.

Effective career de-

cision making is based on ones interest, values, and experiences.

Though English degrees are aimed at positions in education a high percent-

age of English majors find employment in business management, marketing, advertising, publishing, public relations, and customer services.

Areas I'm Planning to Take My Degree

- **Marketing Consumer Brand Manager-** Formulates Marketing plan for a product / service and brings the plan to fruition.
- **Producer film Video or Radlo-** Responsible for turning ideas into programs within allocated budget..
- **Program Researchers-** Generate program ideas, researches background material, brief production team & presenters

“Take stock, be honest with yourself, and take charge”

Starting Your Career , Starts With Motivation

'Take stock, be honest with yourself, and take charge, these are encouraging words of advice given by Judith Price. Judith Price is a Master-level guidance counselor . Judith is also a correspondent at the Lowell Sun, in her recent article, '[Finding a Job Starts With Motivation](#)', she talks about how people who will have the educational and employment background, but lack the motivation that it takes to gain the employment they desire. Price expresses how having a laid back and procrastinating attitude hurts so many people in the working world, her job is to help these people regain their motivation to get out in the world and take control of their life and their career. Price points out that if you are not motivated, and lack motivation. Cont. p3

Skills Retained While Earning English Degree

Skills that I retained while earning my English are the ability to influence and persuade, problem solve and clarify ideas, compare interpretations, make oral presentations, summarize ideas, creative writing, summarizing ideas, and thinking independently while

presenting an alternative view points.



Cont. Starting Your Career , Starts With Motivation

Is visible one ounce of self doubt can loose you a ton of money". Because hiring managers want to have cheerful, motivated and positive people. Though Price makes it clear that being motivated does not bring you overnight success, but what I took from this article is it makes the difference in liking what you do

“employers in some fields may give extra incentives to minority women, who graduate from college.”

Do Black Women Earn More Money

Technical Error

A Sample of Related Occupations

- **Administrative Assistant**
- **Claims Examiner**
- **Critic**
- **Education Director**
- **Insurance Underwriter**
- **Lobbyist**
- **Media Buyer**
- **Public Relations Assistant**
- **Researcher/ Writer**
- **Research Assistant**
- **Legislative Assistant**
- **Advertising**
- **Copy Writer**
- **Cust. Service Rep.**



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http://www.naspaa.org/about_naspaa/naspaa.asp

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