



MAJOR MAP

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PHILOSOPHY

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO



CAREER POSSIBILITIES

FRESHMAN

SOPHOMORE

JUNIOR

SENIOR

TAKE THE RIGHT CLASSES

Review core and other requirements in undergraduate catalog. <http://catalog.utep.edu>

These classes will be helpful in considering this major: PHIL1301, PHIL1304 or PHIL2306

PHIL3314 and PHIL3317 are required.

Complete your major requirements and any minor or additional courses. Remember you must have 45 hours at the 3000/4000 level.

TALK TO YOUR ADVISOR

Meet with your Freshman Advisor in the University Advising Center before registration. <http://academics.utep.edu/advisingcenter>

Meet with your advisor your sophomore year.

Meet with your Junior Advisor in the Philosophy Department.

Meet with your Senior Advisor in the Philosophy Department. Review your graduation audit with the Graduation Director/Coordinator.

YOUR MAJOR IN ACTION

Work throughout your college career with a faculty member on research projects and other major activities as a University Scholar assistant.

Explore ways to get involved in the community through the Center for Civic Engagement, <http://utep.edu/cce>.

Find an internship that may satisfy a course requirement and provides future employment opportunities and references.

Visit our internship programs at: www.utep.edu/careers

Use connections made during your internship for job leads.

GET INVOLVED

Build relationships in your Freshman Learning Community.

Join in a study group or tutorial session.

Consider joining the Liberal Arts Honors Program www.utep.edu/lahp or join the Philosophy Club.

Experience real-life teamwork through volunteering in the community.

THINK GLOBALLY

Take advantage of a Study Abroad course during Maymester or Summer term. www.utep.edu/studyabroad

Consider participating abroad for a semester or a year in a student exchange program.

Be on the lookout for events sponsored by the Office of International Programs. www.utep.edu/oip

Put your ethical training to good use by becoming involved with a charitable organization.

PREPARE FOR LIFE AFTER GRADUATION

Take advantage of the Liberal Arts College lectures and other events.

Visit the University Career Center. www.utep.edu/careers

Think about graduate or professional study. Review Graduate School offerings. <http://graduate.utep.edu/>

If considering graduate or law school, take the appropriate examinations.

SOCIAL/COMMUNITY SERVICES

Research, Staff Positions, Counseling

EDUCATION

Secondary School Teacher, University Research, Administration, Student Affairs, Philosophy for Children

LAW

Lawyer, Paralegal, Rights Advocate

RELIGION/MINISTRY

Clergy, Staff Positions

GOVERNMENT

Staff Positions, Congressional Staffs, Lobbying

ETHICS

Medical, Environmental, Research, Legal, Civil, Criminal

WRITING

Writing, Editing, Technical Writing, Journalism, Advertising

BUSINESS

Management, Sales/Marketing, Human Resources, Marketing, Research, Advertising, Finance, Insurance, Lobbying



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PREPARE FOR CAREER SUCCESS



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TOP 10 SKILLS employers look for:

- Ability to verbally communicate with persons inside and outside the organization
- Ability to work in a team structure 
- Ability to make decisions and solve problems
- Ability to plan, organize and prioritize work
- Ability to obtain and process information
- Ability to analyze quantitative data
- Technical knowledge related to the job
- Proficiency with computer software programs 
- Ability to create and/or edit written reports
- Ability to sell or influence others

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CHECKLIST FOR SUCCESS:

- Create a Job Mine account.
- Check in with your advisor.
- Review your degree plan to stay on track.
- Attend a financial literacy workshop.
- Visit the Student Engagement & Leadership Center (SELC).
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