HUMANITIES+
GET STARTED GUIDE
LET'S GET STARTED!

HUMANITIES + is about getting ready for life after graduation as you integrate your major with professionalized experiences and communicate the value of your Humanities education.

LAUNCH FORWARD TOWARD YOUR FUTURE!

TELL YOUR STORY

GET EXPERIENCE

PLAN YOUR PATH
Humanities majors have a diverse range of professional opportunities thanks to the core competencies they develop in their program:

**COMMUNICATION**
Articulate and write coherent explanations and arguments with attention to the implications of language.

**INFORMATION LITERACY**
Locate credible information, identify patterns, and connect them to relevant contexts.

**CULTURAL NAVIGATION**
Observe and interpret the nuances of another culture through its language as well as its history, traditions, and practices.

Portable and durable, Humanities Competencies will give you a professional edge.
PLAN YOUR PATH

FIRST STOP: THE LAAC!

Your advisor in the Liberal Arts Advisement & Careers office can help plan your courses and experiences and make connections between the two.

Don’t know your advisor? No worries! Find your advisor here at the link below:

HCOLL 310: Humanities in Professional Life is a 1-credit course that helps Humanities majors bridge their classwork to their professional goals. Click the link below!
Now let's apply your learning outside the classroom. Find it, fund it, and get out there!

Learn about the College of Humanities experiential learning (ExL) programs:

**INTERNSHIPS**

Internships are the single most valuable experiences for career readiness. **HCOLL 399: Professional Internship** will help you develop the Professional Competencies employers value most. Apply at: [https://humanities.byu.edu/humanities-internships/](https://humanities.byu.edu/humanities-internships/)

**STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES**

Take classes for your major while immersing yourself in another culture. Search for your ideal program here: [https://humanities.byu.edu/study-abroad-programs/](https://humanities.byu.edu/study-abroad-programs/)

**H+ FUNDING**

Humanities majors and minors can get funding for internships and study abroad, as well as foreign language student residences and alternative professionalizing experiences. Apply for funding at: [humplus.forms.byu.edu](humplus.forms.byu.edu).

**MENTORED RESEARCH**

Humanities Undergraduate Mentoring (H.U.M.) Grants involve working one-on-one with a professor on independent research. Form a project, find a professor, and get a grant to support your work. Apply at: [https://humgrants.byu.edu/](https://humgrants.byu.edu/)

* Students may need to receive approval from their majors, if applicable
**GET EXPERIENCE**

**HUMANITIES** experiences will help you get the skills you will need in the workplace.

**ESTABLISH EXPECTATIONS**
I can create shared purpose by communicating effectively.

**CULTIVATE PRIORITY RELATIONSHIPS**
I can access advice and create professional opportunities by investing in my connections.

**MAKE SENSE OF INFORMATION**
I can provide critical analysis through assessing and interpreting information.

**HARNESS CULTURAL DIVERSITY**
I can collaborate across cultures by balancing different priorities and perspectives.

**CONTRIBUTE TO EFFECTIVE TEAMS**
I can contribute to a successful team dynamic.

**MANAGE A PROJECT**
I can identify, initiate, and complete a project.
Communicate how your studies and experiences have prepared you for graduate school and a career.

See how other students write about their experiences here: https://humanitiescenter.byu.edu/public-humanities/blog/

Submit your own story for possible publication here: https://humanities.byu.edu/experience-journal/

See how Humanities training gives you an edge in today’s marketplace: humanitiesplusblog.byu.edu

Work with your advisor on telling your story: https://liberalarts.byu.edu/contact-us
HAVE MORE QUESTIONS?

Schedule an appointment with your advisor at the LAAC. 
https://liberalarts.byu.edu/contact-us

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