

Career Pathways for Fashion and Retail Studies Majors

Below is a list of some possible career options for people with a degree in Fashion and Retail Studies:

Click on a profession below for detailed information from the Occupational Outlook Handbook <http://www.bls.gov/oco/> or the Occupational Information Network. <http://online.onetcenter.org/> Please note that careers identified by an Asterisk () require an advanced degree or license.*

Administrative Service Manager <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos002.htm>
Author/Editor <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos089.htm>
Buyer/Purchasing Manager <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos023.htm>
College Professor* <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos066.htm>
College Student Services Provider* <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos007.htm>
Corporate Trainer <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos021.htm>
Event Planner <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos298.htm>
Fashion Designer <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos291.htm>
Food Service Manager <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos024.htm>
Government Employee: Federal <http://www.bls.gov/oco/cg/cgs041.htm>
or State & Local <http://www.bls.gov/oco/cg/cgs042.htm>
Lawyer* <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos053.htm>
Lobbyist/Government Relations <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos086.htm>
Museum Curator/Archivist <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos065.htm>
Promotions/Public Relations <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos020.htm>
Property Manager <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos022.htm#training>
Realtor* <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos120.htm>
Retail Sales Managers <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos025.htm>
Sales <http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos119.htm>
Textile and Apparel Manufacturing <http://www.bls.gov/oco/cg/cgs015.htm>

Possible activities to enhance your potential

Assemble a portfolio of creative works and activities
Conduct research with a faculty mentor
Intern at a design house or distribution center
Join a professional association
Lead a related student organization
Learn a foreign language, study abroad
Master computer application skills
Minor in business, communications, behavioral or social sciences
Plan a successful event for a campus organization
Read career periodicals for trends and legislative issues
Work in a store

Visit the Related Links <http://ehe.osu.edu/career-services/related-links.cfm> page of the College of Education and Human Ecology Career Services web page for more information regarding Fashion and Retail Studies, general career resources, and volunteer opportunities.

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