

# What Can I Do With This **Ohio State** Major?

Bachelor of Arts

## Ancient History and Classics

College of Arts and Sciences

Ancient History and Classics is an interdisciplinary major offered jointly by the Department of Greek and Latin and the Department of History. The major combines two areas of study which are closely related. Both classics and ancient history involve the study of Greek and Roman political and social institutions such as religious practices and beliefs; laws and legal procedures; the organization of states; the conduct of warfare; expressions of gender, sexuality, age and class; and Greek and Roman art, architecture, science, and technology. Both fields rely on the written and material remains of Greek and Roman culture. <sup>i</sup>

### Career Areas/Job Titles:

#### Management and Industry

Historian  
Archivist  
Appraiser  
Architect  
Philosopher  
Curator  
Museum Administrator  
Travel Consultant  
Event Planner  
Gallery Manager

#### Communication and Media

Grant Writer  
Interpreter/Translator  
Publisher  
Freelance Writer  
Public Relations Specialist

#### Health Professions

Medical Doctor

#### Education

Professor  
Researcher

Librarian

#### Non-Profit/Advocacy

Fundraiser/Development  
Director

#### Government/Politics

Foreign Affairs/Diplomat  
Foreign Correspondent  
Lawyer  
Lobbyist

*\*Some careers may require licensure, certification, or further education. Talk to an advisor about specific requirements.*

### Transferable Skills:

Basic Computer Skills  
Language Fluency  
Editing  
Expressing Ideas  
Facilitating Group Discussion

Written Communication  
Verbal Communication  
Cultural Understanding  
Social Perceptiveness  
Teaching/Instructing Others

Gathering Information  
Research Skills  
Data Analysis  
Attention to Detail  
Analytical/Critical Thinking

*\*This is not an extensive list of transferable skills. See larger list of skills you might develop here:  
<http://ccss.osu.edu>*

### Professional Links:

The Association of Ancient Historians: <http://associationofancienthistorians.org/>

Society for Historical Archaeology: <http://www.sha.org/>

The American Classical League: <http://www.aclassics.org/>

American Association of Museums: <http://www.aam-us.org/>

The OSU Classics Club: <http://classics.osu.edu/undergraduate-clubs>

American Philological Association: <http://www.apaclassics.org/>