The Hospitality Management major prepares graduates for entry-level professional management positions in all segments of the industry - hotels, restaurants, convention centers, and resorts. The curriculum includes study in basic nutrition, basic food theory and application, food production and management, hotel operations, human resource management and employee relations, marketing, purchasing, menu planning, public relations, and business and financial control. The hospitality program includes two levels of internships, which include full-service restaurants, major hotels, and resort settings.¹

Career Areas/Job Titles:

**Management and Industry**
- Property Manager
- Banquet and Catering Manager
- Restaurant Manager
- Quality Assurance Supervisor
- General Manager
- Event Planner
- Travel Consultant
- Guest Relations Coordinator
- Entertainment Planner
- Human Resources Manager
- **Communication and Media**
- Public Relations Specialist
- Market Research Analyst
- Sales Agent
- Media Planning and Development
- Editor
- Professor
- **Government/Politics**
- Attorney

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

Transferable Skills:

- Basic Computer Skills
- Business Fundamentals
- Economics and Accounting
- Expressing Ideas
- Listening Skills
- Negotiating
- Persuasion
- Provide/Respond to Feedback
- Speaking Effectively
- Use Technology Effectively
- Written Communication
- Social Perceptiveness
- Teaching/Instructing Others
- Teamwork
- Willingness to Take Risks
- Creativity/Imagination
- Forecasting/Predicting
- Identifying Problems
- Adaptability/Flexibility
- Attention to Detail
- Initiative
- Managing Time/Stress
- Punctuality
- Administrative Skills
- Delegating Tasks
- Organization Skills
- Prioritizing Tasks
- Strategic Planning/Visioning
- Multi-tasking
- Problem Solving
- *Internship Required

*This is not an extensive list of transferable skills. See larger list of skills you might develop here: [http://ccss.osu.edu](http://ccss.osu.edu)*

Professional Links:

- National Restaurant Association: [http://www.restaurant.org/index.cfm](http://www.restaurant.org/index.cfm)
- American Culinary Federation: [http://www.acfchefs.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Home6](http://www.acfchefs.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Home6)