

## Career Information for Global Studies

A College of Social Sciences Major

### **General Overview Information**

Global Studies' is the study of foreign politics and institutions. Students learn to compare the customs and governments of other countries. They learn international law and diplomacy and look at countries relationships with one another, their conflicts, and their attempts at collective efforts for global order.

### **Do You Have These Characteristics?**

Awareness of International Politics, Economics, Geography & Culture · Analytical Mind  
Foreign Language Proficiency · Relate with Others of Varying Backgrounds  
Effective Researcher · Excellent Oral and Written Communication Skills

### **Salary Information Can Be Found At:**

[www.bls.gov/bls/blswage.htm](http://www.bls.gov/bls/blswage.htm)

[www.iseek.org](http://www.iseek.org)

[www.stcloudstate.edu/careerservices](http://www.stcloudstate.edu/careerservices)

### **What Can You Do?**

- International Banker
- Personnel Management
- Government Service
- Adjudicator
- Customs Inspector
- Reporter
- Economist (International Trade)
- Foreign Service Officer
- Foreign Correspondent
- Translator
- Teacher/Professor
- Intelligence Analyst
- Demographer
- International Buyer
- Diplomacy/Foreign Affairs

### **Where Can You Work?**

- Private Business & Industry
- Government Agencies
- Non-Profit Organizations
- Peace Corps
- International Companies
- Banks
- Universities & Colleges
- Law Firms
- Research & Development Firms
- Newspapers, Radio, TV
- World Trade Associations
- ....and MORE!!

### **Resources**

- SCSU Global Studies – <http://bulletin.stcloudstate.edu/ugb/programs/intr.asp>
  - Occupational Outlook Handbook – [www.bls.gov](http://www.bls.gov)
  - Center for Strategic & International Studies – [www.csis.org](http://www.csis.org)
  - National Board for Certified Counselors – [www.nbcc.org](http://www.nbcc.org)
  - *Best Resumes and CVs for International Jobs*
  - *Career Opportunities in the Nonprofit Sector*
  - *Careers in International Affairs*
  - *International Job Finder: Where the Jobs are Worldwide*
  - *International Jobs*
  - *International Marketing Resource Guide*
  - *National Trade and Professional Associations*
  - *The Directory of Websites for International Jobs*
  - *The Human Rights Internship Book*
- (Books are available at SCSU Career Services Center)*