

Possible Occupations			Potential Employers		Skills To Develop & How To Gain Experience	
Businesses	International Relations Consultant	Proofreader	Advertising Agencies	Insurance International companies International Non-profit organizations Retail	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Skills in cross cultural studies Strong analytical and computer skills Get involved in campus organizations and seek leadership roles Become fluent in German / Russian Learn to work well with a team 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minor in business or other relevant field Obtain related experience through internships, summer and part-time jobs Take business courses such as economic, advertising, marketing, finance, and statistics to increase your marketability
	Foreign Exchange Trader	Importer/Exporter	Banking			
Culture & Tourism	Foreign Correspondent	Translator/Interpreter	International Airlines	International companies International Non-profit organizations Retail	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consider an internship or summer student program Consider earning a minor or a course of study to qualify for particular areas of interest Gain Volunteer experience 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain an internship or volunteer in related organization Get involved in campus organizations dealing with your region of interest Learn federal and state application procedures or internations procedures if working outside the US
	Foreign Correspondent	international Account Manager	Museums			
Education	Travel Agent	Translator/Interpreter	Travel companies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earn a PhD. Gain Research experience by assisting professors or participating in Independent studies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain High GPA and develop strong personal recommendations Develop excellent communication and presentation skills Get involved in campus leadership positions such as resident assistant, peer advisor, or campus tour Guide 	
	Translator/Interpreter	Interpreter/Guide	International Airlines			
Government	Interpreter/Guide		Campus and private museums	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earn a PhD. Gain Research experience by assisting professors or participating in Independent studies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain High GPA and develop strong personal recommendations Develop excellent communication and presentation skills Get involved in campus leadership positions such as resident assistant, peer advisor, or campus tour Guide 	
	Bilingual Educator	College / University teaching	Nature centers			
Government	Education Administration	Community Education	University institutes or laboratories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earn a PhD. Gain Research experience by assisting professors or participating in Independent studies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain High GPA and develop strong personal recommendations Develop excellent communication and presentation skills Get involved in campus leadership positions such as resident assistant, peer advisor, or campus tour Guide 	
	Library / Information Science	Research	Zoos			
Government	Student Affairs		Federal, state, and local government agencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete an internship with a government organization. Consider the BYU Washington Seminar program. Develop strong presentation and public speaking skills. Learn federal, state, and local job application procedures. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain specialized training for opportunities in protective services or law enforcement. Take additional courses in areas of interest related to federal/state government. 	
	Advocacy	Legislation	Health and wellness agencies			
Non-Profit	Program Coordination	Program Evaluation	Mental health agencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continually improve your foreign language skills. Volunteer with local Newspapers,radio stations, and church organizations, and any other local non-profit organizations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enhance Social Media Skills Find summer or part time work with local commercial TV radio station 	
	Research	Social Services	Military child care programs			
Non-Profit	Social Services		Overseas child care and education programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continually improve your foreign language skills. Volunteer with local Newspapers,radio stations, and church organizations, and any other local non-profit organizations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enhance Social Media Skills Find summer or part time work with local commercial TV radio station 	
	Economic / International development	Cultural Events Coordinator	Vocational rehabilitation			
Non-Profit	Escort/Interpreter/Guide		Women's protective agencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continually improve your foreign language skills. Volunteer with local Newspapers,radio stations, and church organizations, and any other local non-profit organizations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enhance Social Media Skills Find summer or part time work with local commercial TV radio station 	
Publishing				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continually improve your foreign language skills. Consider pursuing a minor in editing. Develop strong writing and speaking skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop computer software skills in relation to design and publishing. Obtain basic level experience through volunteer or part time work. 	

STRATEGIES FOR PLACEMENT IN THE FIELD OF RUSSIAN & GERMAN

- Receive as much out of country experience as possible. Really try to culture yourself and understand the language and country which you learn about .
- Speak your language as often as possible.
- Consider a very strong and adaptable minor so that you have not only your international language knowledge, but a very strong foundational knowledge in a certain focus such as business, economics, political science, etc.
- Receive a bachelor's degree to work entry level positions, obtain further education for higher occupational opportunities

CAMPUS RESOURCES

Alumni Career Website

<http://alumnicareers.byu.edu>

German and Russian Department

43112 JFSB, 801-422-4923

<http://germanrussian.byu.edu/>

Pre-Professional Advisement

3328 WSC (801) 422-3044

<https://ppa.byu.edu>

University Career Services 2410

WSC (801) 422-6535 [http://](http://ucs.byu.edu)

ucs.byu.edu



A guide to career
options inside the field of:

RUSSIAN, GERMAN, & SCANDINAVIAN STUDIES

INTERNET RESOURCES

- **Alumni Career**
<http://alumnicareers.byu.edu>
- **BYU Class Catalog**
[https://catalog.byu.edu/humanities/
german-and-russian](https://catalog.byu.edu/humanities/german-and-russian)
- **Job Listings**
<https://www.aatseel.org/joblist>



BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY
LIBERAL ARTS
ADVISEMENT &
CAREERS

1041 Joseph Fielding Smith Building (JFSB)
Local: (801) 422-3541 Toll-Free: (877) 890-5295
Fax: (801) 422-0226 Website: hac.byu.edu
Facebook: facebook.com/byuliberalartsadvisementandcareers

VISION
EDUCATION
OBJECTIVES
ETHICS
STRATEGY
INSPIRATION
PARTNERSHIP