

# TOURISM & HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT



## WHAT CAN I DO WITH A MAJOR IN...?

### WHAT IS TOURISM & HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT?

Do you love to travel and immerse yourself in diverse cultures? Whether sailing the seas on a cruise ship, running a hotel, restaurant, quaint bed and breakfast, or working in a corporate office, the tourism and hospitality management program prepares students to succeed in the world of travel and tourism—one of the world's fastest growing industries.

Tourism and Hospitality ranks in the top three industries in all 50 states. Travel and tourism in the United States is a \$1.3-trillion industry and is among the nation's largest employers with 13 million direct travel-related jobs. If you are interested in organizing events, making sure conferences go smoothly, and ensuring that hotels run like a well-oiled machine, tourism and hospitality management is the program for you!

### RELATED CAREER TITLES

Airport Manager	Business Owner	Casino Manager	Corporate Executive
Cruise Ship Manger	Director of Resort Facilities	Director of Sales	Director of Services
Event Planner	Executive Director of Convention & Visitors Bureau	Flight Attendant	Food & Beverage Manager
General Manager	Guest Relations Manager	Human Resource Manager	Lodging/Hotel Manager
Marketing Manger	Meeting & Convention Management	Security Director	Spa Manager
Travel Agent	Venue Management	Wedding Planner	

### TRANSFERABLE SKILLS

Ability to Recognize Revenue Opportunities	Coordination	Leadership Skills
Ability to Respond Under Pressure	Communication Skill (Verbal & Written)	Manage & Direct People/Programs
Accountability	Critical Thinking	Multitasking
Attention to Detail	Cultural Awareness	Organize, Plan, Coordinate, & Direct Activities
Adaptability/Can Do Attitude	Customer Service	Problem-Solving Skills
Build & Lead Teams	Emotional Intelligence	Relationship Skills
Collaboration	Language Skills	Time Management

Attainment and demonstration of [NACE Career Readiness Competencies](#) help prepare for a successful transition into the workplace.

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## RELATED CAREER EXPLORATION LINKS

FHSU Career Services: [www.fhsu.edu/career/](http://www.fhsu.edu/career/)

Occupational Outlook Handbook: [www.bls.gov/ooh](http://www.bls.gov/ooh)

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