Interdisciplinary Studies

School of Humanities and Social Sciences

Overview:
Through an interdisciplinary studies program, students can develop an individually designed program of study based on personal and academic interests that’s utilizes their strengths and applies them in many different disciplines. Examples of customized programs have included Psychology and Criminal Justice, Film, TV and English, Business and Entrepreneurship, Biology and Psychology.

Acquired Skills MOST Valued by Employers:
- Demonstrate Knowledge in the Liberal Arts
- Establish Understanding of Two academic Disciplines
- Utilize Effective Writing Skills to Reflect on Area of Expertise
- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving
- Oral/Written Communications
- Teamwork/Collaboration
- Digital Technology
- Leadership
- Professionalism/Work Ethic
- Career Management
- Global/Intercultural Fluency

Common Pathways:
- Human Resources
- Market Research
- Writing
- Research
- Program Coordination
- Nursing
- Entrepreneurship
- Sales

Please note that some of these pathways require an advanced post bachelor’s degree

Common Industries:
- Education
- Government
- Non-Profit
- Public Relations
- Law
- Sciences
- Healthcare
- Business
- Arts
- Public Service
- Technology
- Retail

Sample of Employers of Stevenson University students:
- Baltimore County Circuit Court
- J.M. Huber Corporation
- YMCA
- FedEx
- The Baltimore Orioles
- US Army
- Under Armour
- Key Point Health Services
- Private In-Home Healthcare
- Enterprise Holdings
- St. Paul Lutheran School
- Continental Realty
- University of Maryland Medical Center
- Rountree Art Consulting
Internship Sites for Stevenson Students:

- Sinai Hospital
- DC 101
- Ronald McDonald House Charities of Baltimore
- Upper Chesapeake Medical Center
- Kennedy Krieger Institute
- Chapel Hill Nursing and Rehabilitation
- Perry Hall Elementary School

Graduate Schools Attended by Stevenson Alumni:

- University of Maryland Baltimore County
- Georgetown University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Stevenson University
- University of Delaware

An Employer’s Perspective:

Interdisciplinary Studies majors should have the ability to speak and write clearly, think creatively, evaluate, and analyze issues. They are often team-oriented and have an openness to new ideas and innovation, and have an ability to think from a wide liberal arts focus.

Salaries:

Salaries are dependent upon the industry, level of position, and geographical region. A few good resources for researching salaries of specific jobs within various industries are www.salary.com and www.payscale.com. Salary ranged for Stevenson Students range from $20,000-$50,000