

Using Your Interests* to Explore Majors and Careers

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People who are “Doers,” they prefer to work with objects, machines and tools. These individuals enjoy "hands-on" activities, and therefore tend to be competent in manual, mechanical, electrical and agricultural areas. They often have athletic ability and prefer to be outdoors. They prefer an active lifestyle.



Do you tend to be...	Are you good at...	Do you generally like to...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ practical and concrete ▪ action oriented ▪ athletic ▪ straightforward/frank ▪ mechanically inclined ▪ a nature lover ▪ thrifty ▪ curious about the physical world ▪ stable ▪ concrete ▪ reserved ▪ self-controlled ▪ independent ▪ ambitious ▪ systematic ▪ persistent ▪ honest ▪ natural ▪ frank ▪ modest ▪ humble ▪ active ▪ practical ▪ genuine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ fixing electrical things ▪ solving electrical problems ▪ pitching a tent ▪ playing a sport ▪ reading a blueprint ▪ planting a garden ▪ operating tools and machinery ▪ working with animals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ tinker with machines/vehicles ▪ work outdoors ▪ work with your hands ▪ be physically active ▪ build or fix things ▪ tend/train animals ▪ work on electronic equipment ▪ operate machinery ▪ work alone ▪ think and evaluate, then take action in specific detailed tasks ▪ have excitement/adventure

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REALISTIC Majors	REALISTIC Job Titles
College of Business Supply Chain Management (RES)	Bachelor's Degree/Entry Level Veterinary laboratory technician (RIS) Nuclear medicine technologist (RIS)
College of Health & Human Services Law Enforcement Sciences (RIS)	Paramedic (RIS) Electronics engineer (RIE) Flight engineer (RIE)
College of Engineering Construction Engineering Technology (REC) Electrical Engineering Technology (RIE) Mechanical Engineering (RIS) Mechanical Engineering Technology (RIE)	Wildlife control agent (RSE) Engraver – glass (REA) Mechanical engineer (RIS) Laboratory technician, pharmaceutical (RIC) Museum technician (REI)
University College Computer Network Technology (RIC) Computer Software Development (IR) Computer Software Specialist Technology (RC)	Further Education/Experience Often Required Quality control technician (RIE) Instructor-trainer, canine service (RCE) Recording engineer, radio, TV, broadcasting (RES)

For more information, to talk to an adviser, or to declare a major, contact:

College	Location	Phone #	Website
<i>Arts & Sciences</i>	University Hall 3000	530-2671	www.utoledo.edu/colleges/as
<i>Business</i>	Stranahan 1016	530-2087	www.business.utoledo.edu
<i>Education</i>	Gillham Hall 4023	530-2495	www.education.utoledo.edu
<i>Engineering</i>	Nitschke Hall 1045	530-8040	www.eng.utoledo.edu
<i>Health & Human Services</i>	CHHS 1212	530-5360	www.hhs.utoledo.edu
<i>Pharmacy</i>	Wolfe Hall 1227	530-1904	www.utpharmacy.org
<i>University College</i>	Scott Park, AS 1030	530-3142	www.ucollege.utoledo.edu
<i>Career Services</i>	Student Union 1532	530-4341	www.student-services.utoledo.edu/career
<i>Student Success Center</i>	Rocket Hall 1400	530-1250	www.studentsuccesscenter.utoledo.edu

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