

Which CBP Career Is Right for You?

Choosing a career at CBP based on your major

To assist you in choosing the right career path, the following table groups CBP jobs that are often filled by college graduates with appropriate academic majors. As you review the table, please keep these facts in mind: 1) the jobs listed under each major are examples, not all-inclusive; 2) Many jobs do not require a college degree, job-related experience is just as good and 3) you can qualify for a large number of administrative jobs with a degree in any academic major.

Any Major

CBP Officers
Border Patrol Agents
Personnel Occupations
Administrative Specialists/Officers
Management & Program Analysts
Logistics Management
Public Affairs
Writing and Editing
Contract Administration

Accounting

Accountants
Auditors
Contract Specialist
Financial Analysts
Import Specialists

Arts, Fine and Applied

Audio-Visual Production Specialists
Photographers
Visual Information Specialists

Biology

Agricultural Specialists

Botany

Agricultural Specialists

Business

Budget Analyst
Misc. Administrative and Program Specialists
Trade Specialists
Contract Specialists

Chemistry

Agricultural Specialists

Communications

Public Affairs Specialists
Technical Writers and Editors
Writers and Editors

Computer Science/IT

Information Technology Specialists
Computer Specialists
Program Managers
Management Analysts
Computer Programmers

Criminal Justice

CBP Officers
Border Patrol Agents

Economics

Import Specialists
Budget Analysts
Contract Specialists
Economists
Financial Analysts
Trade Specialists

Education

Employee Development Specialists

Employee/Labor Relations

Employee Relations Specialists
Labor Relations Specialists

Engineering (Any Specialty)

General Engineers
Civil Engineers
Electrical Engineers
Computer Engineers

English and Literature

Editorial Assistants
Printing Specialists
Public Affairs Specialists
Technical Writers and Editors
Writers and Editors
Misc. Administration and Program Specialists
Program Analysts
Program Managers
Management Analyst

Finance

Budget Analysts
Financial Analysts
Trade Specialists

Foreign Language

Border Patrol Agent
Intelligence Specialists

History

Intelligence Specialists
Management Analysts
Misc. Administration and Program Specialists
Program Analysts

Human Resources Management

Human Resources Specialists
Employee Development Specialists

Journalism

Printing Specialists
Public Affairs Specialists
Writers and Editors
Program Analysts

Law Enforcement

Border Patrol Agents
CBP Officers
Personnel Security Specialists

Liberal Arts/Humanities

Management Analysts
Human Resources Specialists
Program Analysts

Marketing

Contract Specialists
Trade Specialists

Political Science/Government

Budget Analysts
Foreign Affairs Specialists
Misc. Administration and Program Specialists
Program Analysts
Public Affairs Specialists

Psychology

Personnel Research Psychologists
Employee Development Specialists
Human Resource Specialists