

# Careers By Interests

## REALISTIC

I'm practical, active, have good physical skills, and I like to work outside and create things with my hands. I prefer to deal with things rather than ideas or people. Sometimes I have difficulty in expressing ideas in words or in communicating my feelings to others. My political and economic ideas are fairly conventional.

### UCSB Majors related to REALISTIC types:

[Anthropology](#)                      [Environmental Studies](#)                      [Geological Sciences](#)  
[Materials](#)                              [Mechanical & Environmental Engineering](#)

**Career Options for REALISTIC types: (Click on the job title to see what we have in our library on this job. To see a listing of all occupational binders, click here).**

<a href="#">Airline Mechanic</a>	<a href="#">Electrician</a>	<a href="#">Jeweler</a>
<a href="#">Athlete/Sports Careers</a>	<a href="#">Engineer, Mechanical</a>	<a href="#">Machinist</a>
<a href="#">Building/Construction</a>	<a href="#">Engineer, Mining</a>	<a href="#">Mechanic</a>
<a href="#">Carpenter</a>	<a href="#">Engineer, Petroleum</a>	<a href="#">Optician</a>
<a href="#">Chemist</a>	<a href="#">Engineering Technology</a>	<a href="#">Podiatrist</a>
<a href="#">Cook/Chef</a>	<a href="#">Fire Fighter</a>	<a href="#">Printer</a>
<a href="#">Dental Lab Technician</a>	<a href="#">Fish/Wildlife Management</a>	<a href="#">Transportation</a>
<a href="#">Diver</a>	<a href="#">Florist</a>	<a href="#">Writer, Technical</a>
<a href="#">Drafters</a>	<a href="#">Forestry/Range Management</a>	

## INVESTIGATIVE

I prefer to solve abstract problems and understand the physical world rather than acting upon the world. I enjoy complicated problems and intellectual challenges. I do not like structured situations, lots of rules, or working around many people. I have unconventional values and attitudes and would like to be original and creative, especially in scientific areas.

### UCSB Majors related to INVESTIGATIVE types:

<a href="#">Anthropology</a>	<a href="#">Ecology and Evolution</a>	<a href="#">Marine Biology</a>
<a href="#">Aquatic Biology</a>	<a href="#">Electrical Engineering</a>	<a href="#">Microbiology</a>
<a href="#">Biochemistry</a>	<a href="#">Environmental Studies</a>	<a href="#">Molecular Biology</a>
<a href="#">Biological Sciences</a>	<a href="#">Geography</a>	<a href="#">Nuclear Engineering</a>
<a href="#">Bio Psychology</a>	<a href="#">Geological Sciences</a>	<a href="#">Pharmacology</a>
<a href="#">Cell &amp; Developmental Bio</a>	<a href="#">Geophysics</a>	<a href="#">Philosophy</a>
<a href="#">Chemistry</a>	<a href="#">Law and Society</a>	<a href="#">Physics</a>
<a href="#">Chemistry Engineering</a>	<a href="#">Linguistics</a>	<a href="#">Psychology</a>
<a href="#">Computer Science</a>	<a href="#">Mathematics</a>	<a href="#">Statistical Sciences</a>

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<a href="#">Actuary</a>	<a href="#">Engineer, Electrical</a>	<a href="#">Osteopathic Physician</a>
<a href="#">Agriculture, General</a>	<a href="#">Engineer, Marine</a>	<a href="#">Outdoor Careers</a>
<a href="#">Agronomist</a>	<a href="#">Engineer, Materials</a>	<a href="#">Pathologist</a>
<a href="#">Airplane Pilot</a>	<a href="#">Engineer, Nuclear</a>	<a href="#">Pharmacist</a>

Alternative Medicine	Environmental Careers	Pharmacologist
Anesthesiologist	Food Technologist	Photogrammetrist
Anthropologist/Archaeologist	Foreign Language	Physician
Architect	Forensic Scientist	Physician Assistant
Astronomer	Geneticist	Physician, Family Practice
Biochemist	Geographer	Physicist
Biological Sciences	Geologist	Physiologist
Biotechnology	Geophysicist	Plant Physiology
Botanist	Health Careers	Psychiatrist
Cartographer	Horticulturist	Psychologist
Chiropractor	Industrial Hygienist	Radiologist
Clinical Psychologist	Marine Scientist/Oceanographer	Robotics
Computer Scientist	Marketing Research Analyst	Sociologist
Curator, Museum	Mathematician	Space Careers
Dentist	Medical Technologist	Sports Medicine
Ecologist	Meteorologist	Statistician
Economist	Microbiologist	Systems Analyst
Energy	Oceanographer/Marine Scientist	Telecommunications
Engineer	Operations Research	Veterinarian
Engineer, Chemical	Ophthalmologist	Zoologist
Engineer, Civil	Optometrist	

## ARTISTIC

I prefer unstructured situations where I can deal with problems through self-expression in the artistic media. I prefer to work alone, have a great need for individualistic expression, and am sensitive and emotional. I would describe myself as independent, original, unconventional, expressive and energetic.

### UCSB Majors related to ARTISTIC types:

Art Studio	Dance	Portuguese*
Chinese*	Film Studies	Slavic Languages and Literatures
Classics*	French*	Spanish*
Communications	Germanic Languages and Literature	Theatre
Comparative Literature*	Italian Cultural Studies*	
English*	Japanese*	

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Advertising	Editor	Photographer
Archivist	Fashion	Publisher
Artist	Film Careers	Radio
Cartoonist	Graphic Artist	Technical Illustrator
Communications	Interior Design	Television
Dancer	Landscape Architect	Theater Arts
Designer, Dress/Textile	Multimedia Careers	Writer, General
Designer, Industrial	Musician	

# SOCIAL

I am sociable, responsible, humanistic and concerned with the welfare of others. I express myself well and get along well with others. I like to be near the center of groups and prefer to solve problems by discussing them with others. I like to see myself as cheerful, popular, achieving and a good leader.

## UCSB Majors related to SOCIAL types:

<a href="#">Anthropology</a>	<a href="#">Environmental Studies</a>	<a href="#">Political Science</a>
<a href="#">Asian American Studies</a>	<a href="#">Geography</a>	<a href="#">Psychology</a>
<a href="#">Asian Studies</a>	<a href="#">Global and International Studies</a>	<a href="#">Religious Studies</a>
<a href="#">Black Studies</a>	<a href="#">History History of Public Policy</a>	<a href="#">Renaissance Studies</a>
<a href="#">Chicano Studies</a>	<a href="#">Latin American and Iberian Studies</a>	<a href="#">Sociology</a>
<a href="#">Communications</a>	<a href="#">Law and Society</a>	<a href="#">Women's Studies</a>
<a href="#">English</a>	<a href="#">Medieval Studies</a>	

## Career Options for SOCIAL types: (Click on the job title to see what we have in our library on this job. To see a listing of all occupational binders, click here).

<a href="#">Air Traffic Controller</a>	<a href="#">Law Enforcement</a>	<a href="#">Recreation Worker</a>
<a href="#">Audiologist (see speech Pathologist)</a>	<a href="#">Librarian</a>	<a href="#">Recreational Therapist</a>
<a href="#">Career Guidance Counselor</a>	<a href="#">Librarian, Special</a>	<a href="#">Rehabilitation Counselor</a>
<a href="#">Catholic (Religious Careers)</a>	<a href="#">Medical Assistant</a>	<a href="#">Respiratory Therapist</a>
<a href="#">Child Development</a>	<a href="#">Music Therapist</a>	<a href="#">Restaurant Manager</a>
<a href="#">Cosmetologist</a>	<a href="#">Non-Profit Careers</a>	<a href="#">Peace/Social Change</a>
<a href="#">Counselor</a>	<a href="#">Nurse</a>	<a href="#">Social Worker</a>
<a href="#">Counselor, School</a>	<a href="#">Nurse, Midwife</a>	<a href="#">Speech Pathologist</a>
<a href="#">Criminology</a>	<a href="#">Nursing Specialties</a>	<a href="#">Student Services</a>
<a href="#">Dance Therapist</a>	<a href="#">Occupational Therapist</a>	<a href="#">Teacher</a>
<a href="#">Dental Hygienist</a>	<a href="#">Paralegal</a>	<a href="#">Teacher, Alternative Education,</a>
<a href="#">Dietician / Nutritionist</a>	<a href="#">Peace &amp; Social Change</a>	<a href="#">Teacher, College/University</a>
<a href="#">Education Administrator</a>	<a href="#">Physical Therapist</a>	<a href="#">Teacher, Elementary</a>
<a href="#">Gerontologist</a>	<a href="#">Political Scientist</a>	<a href="#">Teacher, English as a Foreign Language</a>
<a href="#">Government / Civil Service</a>	<a href="#">Probation Officer</a>	<a href="#">Teacher, Preschool</a>
<a href="#">Historian</a>	<a href="#">Protestant (Religious Careers)</a>	<a href="#">Teacher, Secondary School</a>
<a href="#">Home Economist</a>	<a href="#">Psychologist, School</a>	<a href="#">Teacher, Special Education</a>
<a href="#">Hospital Administrator</a>	<a href="#">Public Health</a>	<a href="#">Vocational Educator</a>
<a href="#">Industrial Organizational</a>	<a href="#">Public Policy Administrator</a>	
<a href="#">Labor Arbitrator</a>	<a href="#">Rabbi (Religious Careers)</a>	

# ENTERPRISING

I have great facility with words, which I can put to effective use in selling and leading. I enjoy persuading others to my viewpoints and am impatient with work involving precision or long periods of intellectual concentration. I see myself as energetic, enthusiastic, adventurous, self-confident, and dominant.

## UCSB Majors related to ENTERPRISING types:

<a href="#">Business Economics</a>	<a href="#">Economics</a>	<a href="#">Global and International Studies</a>
<a href="#">Communications</a>	<a href="#">Environmental Studies</a>	<a href="#">Law and Society</a>

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<a href="#">Abroad/Graduate Studies</a>	<a href="#">International Job: Business</a>	<a href="#">Office Manager</a>
<a href="#">Agribusiness</a>	<a href="#">International Jobs: General</a>	<a href="#">Personnel Development</a>
<a href="#">Airline Careers</a>	<a href="#">International Jobs: Government</a>	<a href="#">Pharmaceutical Sales</a>
<a href="#">Art Therapist</a>	<a href="#">International Jobs: Non-Profit</a>	<a href="#">Public Relations</a>
<a href="#">Business, Small/Franchise/Entrepreneur</a>	<a href="#">International Jobs: Teaching</a>	<a href="#">Realtor</a>
<a href="#">Buyer</a>	<a href="#">International Trade</a>	<a href="#">Reporter, Newspaper</a>
<a href="#">Consultant</a>	<a href="#">Internships, Travel</a>	<a href="#">Retailing</a>
<a href="#">Engineer, Industrial</a>	<a href="#">Journalist</a>	<a href="#">Sales</a>
<a href="#">Event Planner</a>	<a href="#">Law related Careers</a>	<a href="#">Speaker, Public</a>
<a href="#">Fund Raiser</a>	<a href="#">Lawyer</a>	<a href="#">Translator/Interpreter</a>
<a href="#">Funeral Director/Mortician</a>	<a href="#">Management/MBA</a>	<a href="#">Travel Service</a>
<a href="#">Hotel Manager</a>	<a href="#">Marketing (also see Sales)</a>	<a href="#">Urban Planner</a>

# CONVENTIONAL

I prefer highly ordered activities, do not like to be the leader, and like working in a well-established chain of command. I like to know exactly what is expected of me and feel uncomfortable when I don't know the "rules". I see myself as conventional, stable, well controlled and dependable.

## UCSB Majors related to CONVENTIONAL types:

<a href="#">Applied or Probability Statistics</a>	<a href="#">Economics-Mathematics</a>
<a href="#">Business Economics with an Accounting Emphasis</a>	
<a href="#">Computer Science</a>	<a href="#">Statistical Sciences with concentrations in Actuarial,</a>

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<a href="#">Accountant</a>	<a href="#">Financial Planner/Analyst</a>	<a href="#">Investment Banker</a>
<a href="#">Banking</a>	<a href="#">Financial Services</a>	<a href="#">Medical Record Science</a>
<a href="#">City Manager</a>	<a href="#">Insurance</a>	<a href="#">Surveyor</a>

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