# MODERN LANGUAGES CAREER SUMMARY

# OFFICE OF CAREER EDUCATION & DEVELOPMENT

**SLIPPERY ROCK UNIVERSITY** 

#### **CAREER RESPONSIBILITIES**

Studying another language is an exciting and rewarding experience, not to mention a career path that leads to many opportunities in today's global marketplace. Whether as a major or minor in the program, language study enhances your education, marketability, and broadens your horizons.

## **Skills Associated With Modern Languages Majors:**

- Adjust to new environments quickly
  - Appreciation of different cultures
- Diplomatic and leadership ability
- Logical thinker and ability to organize
- High interpersonal and communication skills

### • Independent

## **Sample Career Titles**

Advertising Copywriter Foreign Exchange Trader Overseas Personnel Manager Foreign Service Officer Advertising Manager Pharmaceutical Foreign Service Specialist Announcer Representative Anthropologist Foreign Social Worker Politician Archivist Historian **Production Supervisor** Art Dealer Hotel Manager Producer

Banking Correspondent Human Resources Director Professor
Bilingual Educator Importer/Exporter Proofreader
Bilingual Officers/Clerks Intelligence Researcher Public Healt

Bilingual Officers/Clerks Intelligence Researcher Public Health Administrator
Buyer Intelligence Specialist Public Relations Specialist
CIA Agent International Account Publishing Specialist
Civil Service Employee Manager Quality Control Supervisor

Commercial Loan Officer International Banking Officer Radio/TV Announcer Computer Systems Designer International Conference Reporter

ConsultantPlannerResort ManagerCopy EditorInternational ConsultantSalespersonCopywriterInternational HotelScientific LinguistCourt InterpreterAdministratorScientific

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Cultural Attaché International Trade Translator/Interpreter

Cultural Officer Economist Social Worker
Culture Teacher International Trade Specialist Teacher

Customs InspectorInterpreterTESO/ESL TeacherCustoms/Immigration OfficerJournalismTextbook PublisherDiplomatLexicographerTour Guide/Organizer

Diplomatic Service Agent Librarian Translator

Drug Enforcement Agent Library Technician Transport Equipment

Editor Linguist Manager

Escort/Interpreter/Guide Management Consultant Travel Agent/Tour Organizer

Fashion Buyer Missionary Travel Writer

FBI Agent Multilingual Port Receptionist United Nations Worker

Financial Planner Museum Curator UNESCO Official Flight Attendant Musician Writer

Flight Attendant Musician Wri Foreign Correspondent National Security Agent

Foreign Diplomat National Security Ager
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\*\* Some careers may require additional training and/or education

To find out more about the daily work of these professions, skills needed, and salary ranges, go to Occupational Outlook Handbook and type a career title into the search field.

Visit **Career Education & Development**, 124 Bailey Library, to discuss these occupations and career opportunities with a Career Counselor.