

Bachelor of Science

Liberal Studies

*This is a degree completion option for those/professionals who want to advance in their current careers or to open up new doors within their field.

Which employers have hired Montana State University Billings Liberal Studies graduates?

Department of Corrections	MSU Billings	Tumbleweed
Bureau of Reclamation	Genesis Rehabilitation Center	Billings Clinic
Jones & Cook Attorneys at Law	First Interstate Bank	Billings Gazette

What is the average annual wage/potential lifetime earnings for professionals working in their thematic concentration field coupled with work experience?

Occupation	Annual mean wage in MT	Potential lifetime earnings*
Human Resource Specialists	\$39,410—\$59,660	\$62,290 x 39 yrs.= \$2,429,310
Loan Officers	\$70,940—\$78,260	\$63,380 x 39 yrs.= \$2,471,820
Training & Development Mangers	\$72,630—\$102,400	\$63,380 x 39 yrs.= \$2,471,820
Journalist/Reporters/News Analysts	\$32,340—\$42,440	\$48,370 x 39 yrs.= \$1,886,430

^{*}Based on state mean and national median wage of occupation in accordance to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Lifetime earnings is national median wage.

What percentage of Liberal Studies graduates report having a job after graduating?

Out of the 59% of 2022 Liberal Studies graduates that we received grad data on, 100%reported being employed* after graduation.

*Employment includes employment in major, employment not in major, continuing education, and military service.

Employment opportunities with advanced degrees:

- Master of Science Public Relations
- Master of Health Administration
- Master of Science in Clinical Rehabilitation & Mental Health Counseling **or** Master of Science in Psychology
- Master of Business Administration

Not sure if Liberal Studies is for you?

1. Connect with a Career Specialist to discuss your career goals and see which thematic concentration could help you further your career!

2. Get a part-time job in the field. Check out CareerLink by scanning the QR Code for the latest job openings!



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