WHAT ARE SOME ALUMNI DOING NOW?

Urban and Environmental Policy (UEP) major is an interdisciplinary program for students who want to change the world. It combines politics, planning, environmental policy, public health, urban studies, economics, sociology, and other disciplinary approaches. The program recognizes that “urban” and “environmental” are very much interconnected and that issues of economic and environmental justice are integrally linked to where and how we live, work, play, eat, and go to school. It offers a unique combination of classroom learning and hands-on experience in the field of public affairs and civic action. Consequently, UEP majors are well equipped to work in a wide variety of fields.

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POLITICAL ACTION GROUPS

EDUCATIONAL AGENCIES

NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

BOTANICAL GARDENS

LABOR UNIONS

FOREIGN SERVICES

PRIVATE FOUNDATIONS

COAST GUARD

NATIONAL FEDERATIONS

BUSINESSES & CORPORATIONS

HEALTH ORGANIZATIONS

ENVIRONMENTAL AGENCIES

• Participate in cultural, social justice and/or political action clubs/organizations such as Youth Coalition for Community Action.
• Develop a network of personal contacts.
• Become familiar with hiring practices in government agencies.
• Interest in Law: secure an internship with a legal organization.
• Develop research, writing, analytical and communication skills.
• Consider learning a foreign language and studying foreign cultures.
• Become involved in campus/local political orgs, student government, campus publications & community service projects.
• Interest in environmental consulting or other businesses: minor in Economics and take Sociology and computer courses.
• Study political environment of businesses, organizations and cultures.
• Volunteer through the Center for Community Based Learning or the Office of Community Engagement.
• Run for an Associated Students of Occidental College (ASOC) position.

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