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A publication to benefit high school students, college advisors and parents.

MajorEdge Selects Top 41 Most Viable Careers

We have updated your MajorFinder Results page on majoredge.com to include our selection of the 41 most viable careers. The “**Top 41 Careers**” were selected based on industry growth, earnings potential, number of job openings, job security and clear career path trajectory.

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| 1 | Accountants and Auditors (Top 41 Career) | 28 | Nurse Practitioner (Top 41 Career) |
| 2 | Actuaries (Top 41 Career) | 29 | Occupational Therapist (Top 41 Career) |
| 3 | Administrative Services Managers (Top 41 Career) | 30 | Personal Finance Advisors (Top 41 Career) |
| 4 | Advertising, Promotions, and Marketing Managers (Top 41 Career) | 31 | Pharmacists (Top 41 Career) |
| 5 | Aerospace Engineers (Top 41 Career) | 32 | Physical Therapist (Top 41 Career) |
| 6 | Architects (Top 41 Career) | 33 | Physicians and Surgeons (Top 41 Career) |
| 7 | Biomedical Engineers (Top 41 Career) | 34 | Postsecondary Education Administrators (Top 41 Career) |
| 8 | Chemical Engineers (Top 41 Career) | 35 | Postsecondary Teachers (Top 41 Career) |
| 9 | Civil Engineers (Top 41 Career) | 36 | Public Relations and Fundraising Managers (Top 41 Career) |
| 10 | Computer and Information Research Scientist (Top 41 Career) | 37 | Registered Nurses (Top 41 Career) |
| 11 | Computer Hardware Engineers (Top 41 Career) | 38 | Sales Managers (Top 41 Career) |
| 12 | Construction Managers (Top 41 Career) | 39 | Software Developers (Top 41 Career) |
| 13 | Cost Estimators (Top 41 Career) | 40 | Speech-Language Pathologist (Top 41 Career) |
| 14 | Dental Hygienists (Top 41 Career) | 41 | Veterinarians (Top 41 Career) |
| 15 | Dentists (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 16 | Environmental Engineers (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 17 | Financial Analysts (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 18 | Human Resources Managers (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 19 | Instructional Coordinators (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 20 | Interior Designers (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 21 | Lawyers (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 22 | Logisticians (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 23 | Management Analysts (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 24 | Market Research Analyst (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 25 | Mechanical Engineers (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 26 | Medical Scientists (Top 41 Career) | | |
| 27 | Nurse or Registered Nurse (Top 41 Career) | | |

Quote of the Month

“The website was very user friendly, informative and the questions and surveys were simple and easy, but detailed enough to identify our daughter’s interests, goals and strengths. It’s difficult to assess the trustworthiness of the information you get with internet searches; is it the college marketing or statistical and factual based information? I highly recommend MajorEdge for that task.”

Bernie & Sharis Hauder

By request, we feature a Career Spotlight of the Month, which showcases a “hot”, “new”, “emerging” or “best long-term employment & pay forecast” career! For additional information about this career, students can go to their MajorFinder results page after taking the MajorFinder assessment, click on a major and then click on a career to learn more!



Personal financial advisors help people with investments, taxes, and insurance decisions.

Work Environment

Most personal financial advisors work in the finance and insurance industry or are self-employed. They typically work full time and may meet with clients in the evenings or on weekends.

How to Become a Personal Financial Advisor

Personal financial advisors typically need a bachelor's degree. A master's degree and certification can improve chances for advancement in the occupation.

Pay

The median annual wage for personal financial advisors was \$67,520 in May 2012.

Job Outlook

Employment of personal financial advisors is projected to grow 27 percent from 2012 to 2022, much faster than the average for all occupations. As the population ages and life expectancies increase, demand for financial planning services should increase.

Sources: US Department of Labor - Bureau of Labor Statistics, MajorEdge LLC



We help schools, college advisors, and parents, guide students to smarter career, major, and college decisions.

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