History courses integrate many branches of knowledge, cutting across the lines of the social sciences, humanities, and the natural sciences. The special responsibility of historical studies is to help individuals and communities understand the past. The study of history builds confidence for making judgments in many fields of human endeavor and provides insight into current social, political, economic and cultural issues.

Identifying forces of stability and processes of change, history students develop research, writing, and analytical skills that will serve them well beyond their university years. The CU Denver History Department is dedicated to supporting its students find career success after graduation.

Related Occupations

- Teaching
- Higher Education
- Government
- Private Sector
- Librarian
- Communications
- Law
- Museum Professions
- Health Fields
- Business
- Archaeologist
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- Education: 40%

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- https://ucdenver.joinhandshake.com
- http://www.ucdenver.edu/life/services/careercenter

Online Resources
- http://www.oah.org/career-coach/outlooks
- https://www.historians.org/jobs-and-professional-development
- https://www.indeed.com
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- Shana Ewing, (2017), Guest Services Manager at History Colorado
- Rose Campbell (2016), Public History Professional
- Jennifer Bryant, (2007), National Parks Service Professional
- Leslie Krupa (2016), Discover Denver Coordinator at Historic Denver
- Samuel Irving (2017), Social Studies Teacher
- Rachel Weisbruch (2010), Scientific Research Librarian at the National Research Library for Renewable Energy
- Denise Astbury (2017), Senior Accountant
- Brooke Garcia (2015), Communications Manager
- Jolie Diepenhorst (2017), Director of Community Outreach
- Pamela Kerpius (2002), Founder of Migrants of the Mediterranean