



Fall 2012

IMPORTANT DATES

- ◆ The **last** day to withdraw from a class is **October 17**.
- ◆ The Majors and Minors Fair will take place on **Wednesday, September 19th** at the **Preston Center** from **11AM-1:30PM**.
- ◆ The Study Abroad Fair is coming up on **Wednesday, September 26** from **10am-3pm** in the lobby of MMTH. Get all your study abroad program information in one spot!

YOUR ADVISOR

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For Exploratory/Undeclared students

WKU Academic Programs

Did you know that WKU offers more than 170 choices for undergraduate areas of study through majors, minors, associate degree programs, certificate programs, pre-professional study, and areas of concentration within majors? No wonder it's so difficult to narrow down the list!

You can view each of these programs in one easy to find location on our website [here](#).

If you're feeling overwhelmed by the number of options you see, you're not alone. There are hundreds of students at WKU who also feel this way. So what can be done about it?

Instead of thinking about what major you want, try thinking about what major you *don't* want. Print out the list and cross off the majors

you know you definitely are not interested in. Now, instead of having 170 options, maybe you've at least narrowed the list down to 50, 20, or 10.

Once you can narrow your list even a little bit—or if you were already on the fence between 2 programs—make some contacts with the people who know those majors the best. Go to the Majors and Minors Fair to speak directly with

faculty and staff from that major. Talk to students in that major, or talk with someone in a related profession to that major.

In the least, check out WKU's [What can I do with this major?](#) website. Learn about the typical career areas and the types of employers that hire people with each major, as well as strategies to make you a more marketable candidate.



[What can I do with this major?](#)

Whether you are exploring multiple majors or searching for information about your chosen field, this site will help you connect majors to careers.

Check These Out—What's going on this week?

Mon. | John C. Goodman Lecture—"The Rights and Wrongs of Health Reform" in MMTH 0166 from 7pm-10pm.

Tue. | Project Affect in the Centennial Mall from 11am-3pm. This campus and community engagement fair offers information on how to get involved through service, as well as engages visitors with hands-on activities reflective of different causes.

Tue. | Pre-Law Admissions Forum in Faculty House from 3:30pm-5pm. All students interested in Pre-Law should attend.

Tue. | Academic Advantage Workshop: Making Time for Graduation with Jennifer Markin in GRH 1074 from 4pm-5pm.

Wed. | The Majors and Minors Fair will take place on Wednesday, September 19th at the Preston Center from 11am-

1:30pm. There will be pizza, door prizes, and more!

Fri. | Instruments of Excellence Exhibit Opening in the Kentucky Building at 1pm. This unique collection showcases the ordinary means by which Americans from many fields of study have achieved extraordinary things.

Sat. | Home football game vs. Southern Mississippi at Houchens Industries L.T. Smith Stadium at 6pm.