

GEOGRAPHY, GEOLOGY, & ANTHROPOLOGY

Use the Career Center Services

- Visit the Career Center homepage: <http://career.indstate.edu>
- Attend a [Networking Etiquette Workshop](#) to learn how to network in a group setting and the proper behavior in business and formal dining.
- Sign up for a [Practice Interview and Critique](#) with a Career Counselor.
- Attend the [ISU CAREER OPPORTUNITY FAIRS](#) held each Spring and Fall semester.
- Use [Sycamore CAREERlink](#) to look for Internships and Co-ops in your field.
- Use [Sycamore CAREERlink](#) to be able to view job listings and to post your resume online for employers to view.
- Be sure to sign up for [campus interviews](#) in your field.

Some Job Fields

Anthropology
Archaeology
Archives
Cartography
Computer Mapping

Geology/Hydrology
Geophysics
Geoscience
Environmental
GIS Analysis/Consulting

Higher Education
Image Processing
Museums
Photogrammetry
Remote Sensing (RS)

Know the Skills Employers are Looking for in Your Field

If you look at job advertisements you will find that employers are looking for specific skills. Here is a list of some of these skills in Geography. Consider looking at more job ads in the career center resources and on the internet. From jobs ads you will get an idea of job titles and needed skills to land the jobs you want when you graduate.

Bachelor's degree in Geography, Geology, or Anthropology

M.S. and Ph.D. degree preferred

Working knowledge of ARC/INFO GIS products, especially Arcplot and Arcview

Working knowledge of standard computer programs

Excellent interpersonal and communication skills

Experience conducting hazardous waste site assessments

Ability to manage multiple projects

Prepare proposals and work plans

Must have excellent writing skills

Background in Remote Sensing (Erdas Imagine, Softcopy)

Experience in project management in a production arena

Proven leadership skills

Management experience in business development, client and employee relations, staffing, billing, collections, strategic planning, and budgeting

How can you get these skills while at ISU?

Assist a professor with research

Join Professional Associations

Join a fraternity/sorority, student club or organization: become an officer; chair a committee

Take computer classes such as MIS 276 and 376

Summer jobs, Co-ops, and Internships

Get HAZMAT certification

Volunteer in the office of Environmental Safety

Plan to attend graduate school

<http://www1.indstate.edu/gga/gga/javatest/index2.html> - ISU Department of Geography, Geology, & Anthropology

A Sampling of Geography/Geology Web Sites

<http://geography.about.com/science/geography/> - Information about the field of geography
<http://geology.about.com/science/geology/> - About.com: Geology
<http://www.aag.org> - Association of American Geographers
<http://www.agiweb.org/> - American Geological Institute
http://www.census.gov/geo/www/gis_gateway.html - GIS Gateway
<http://www.earthworks-jobs.com/remotese.htm> - jobs in Remote Sensing and GIS
<http://www.geology.com> - Earth Sciences on the Web
<http://www.ggrweb.com> - GeoWeb Interactive: on-line resources for GIS/GPS/Remote Sensing Professionals
<http://www.gisjobs.com/> - GIS jobs
<http://www.gisl.co.uk/jobs.htm> - international GIS jobs
<http://www.gjc.org> - GIS Jobs Clearinghouse: employment postings in GIS/IP/GPS
<http://www.preservenet.cornell.edu/> - Jobs in preservation
<http://www.usgs.gov> - U.S. Geological Survey

A Sampling of Anthropology/Archaeology Web Sites

<http://archaeologyfieldwork.com> - Jobs and resume posting
<http://museumstuff.com/professionals/jobs/index.html> - Museum jobs
http://vlib.anthrotech.com/Job_Opportunities/ - Virtual Library Anthropology Job information
<http://acra-crm.org/> - The American Cultural Resources Association
<http://shesc.asu.edu/> - Arizona State University School of Human Evolution & Social Change
<http://www.museumjobs.com> - Recruitment service for museums, libraries and archives.
<http://www.physanth.org/careers/> - American Association of Physical Anthropologists
<http://www.shovelbums.org> - Academic jobs

You may also wish to visit the Geology/Geography/Earth Science/Anthropology/Archaeology department web sites of various colleges and universities for a variety of information.

Federal jobs are at <http://www.usajobs.opm.gov>

Also, you can search for jobs on sites such as <http://HotJobs.Yahoo.com> or <http://www.Monster.com>