

Declaring a Major

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Declaring your major is instrumental to your academic success at USCB. This will help you plan the most efficient and beneficial path to your degree.

USCB Major Declaration Policy:

Degree-seeking students with 60 credits or more are required to have a declared major in order to register for USCB courses.

I don't know what I want to major in...what should I do?

Career Services and your academic advisor can help you explore appropriate programs of study and prepare for declaring a major. Each year career services puts on a major exploration fair and offers a variety of workshops related to career exploration.

Other strategies for choosing a major:

- Take your general education courses seriously. This is a time to explore various subjects.
- Spend some time reading the University Bulletin found on the registrar's website. Make note of course descriptions that sound most interesting to you.
- Take a class in a field that interests you.
- Schedule "informational interviews" with professors and professionals in the field(s) that interest you.
- Attend a meeting of a student organization related to a field you are exploring.