of recent Notre Dame Philosophy majors found full-time employment, enrolled in graduate school, entered service programs, joined the military, or launched independent projects within six months of graduation.

28% find full-time jobs
Adjunct professor, University of Rennes, France
Analyst, Huron Consulting Group
Children’s services specialist, Center for the Homeless
Design engineer, Stryker Endoscopy
Fixed income analyst, Federated Investors
Forensic analyst, SpearTip
Inside sales consultant, SinglePlatform
Investment banking analyst, JPMorgan Chase
LSAT instructor, The Princeton Review
Market researcher, Beneficial Bank
Paralegal, U.S. Department of Justice
Refining technology intern, BP
Research assistant, Federal Reserve Board
Research associate, Abdal Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab
Research intern, U.S.-China Commission
Residential dean and teacher, Subiaco Academy
Sales and trading analyst, Bank of America Merrill Lynch
Software tester, Epic Systems
Writer, Discovery Channel

48% go to graduate or professional school
Bioethics and theology: Emory University
Computer science: University of Pittsburgh
Creative writing: Louisiana State University
Divinity: Congregation of Holy Cross
English: Rutgers University, University of Chicago
German: University of Wisconsin
Humanities: University of California-Berkeley
International economic development: Indiana University
Law: Baylor University, Duke University, Georgetown University, Indiana University, University of Arizona, University of Oregon, University of St. Thomas, University of Tennessee, University of Texas, Vanderbilt University
Medicine: Creighton University, Johns Hopkins University, University of Chicago, University of Florida, University of Iowa, University of Rochester, University of Virginia
Philosophy: École Normale Supérieure, Indiana University, St. John Vianney College Seminary, University of Saint Andrews
Psychology: Stanford University, University of Rochester
Refugee and forced migration studies: University of Oxford

17% enter service programs
Alliance for Catholic Education, Los Angeles, California
Amate House, Chicago, Illinois
AmeriCorps, Chelsea, Massachusetts
Christian Appalachian Project, Mount Vernon, Kentucky
Citizen Schools, Chicago, Illinois
City Year, Washington, D.C.
Collegio Rotondi, Italy
House of Brigid, Ireland
Jesuit Volunteer Corps, Washington, DC
Teach for America, Washington, D.C.
WorldTeach, China

1% launch independent projects

Source: Career Center First Destination Reports, 2010–2014

Ellen Carroll ’13
Consultant, The Boston Consulting Group
“What I loved most about the philosophy major is the style of studying and participating in the classes. I’ve taken a lot of seminar-style courses, and I really enjoy learning by being able to have a discussion with other students and a professor who is extremely knowledgeable. I really like being able to read an argument and try to pinpoint what the author is doing.

“Philosophy prepared me for anything after graduation. I’ve become very comfortable with giving a presentation in class, presenting to people who are older or younger, and engaging peers in discussion. It’s really taught me about being able to give an argument and present your points effectively.

“It teaches you that you have to have a strong argument if you know you’re going to have people critiquing different points in it. You have to be able to stand by what you wrote. That’s a skill that I developed through the major, and it will help me no matter where I go in my career.”

2% join the military

Curriculum requirements
- 2 philosophy courses to meet University requirements
- 2 history of philosophy courses
- 1 formal logic course
- 2 40000-level seminars
- 3 electives at the 30000 or 40000 level

Study everything. Do anything.

Department of Philosophy
100 Malloy Hall
574-631-6471 philosophy.nd.edu ndphilo@nd.edu

Director of Undergraduate Studies
Alexander Jech ajech@nd.edu

University of Notre Dame
College of Arts and Letters