



This information describes typical occupations and employment settings associated with this major. Understand some of these options may require additional training. Moreover, you are not limited to these options when choosing a possible career path.

Description of Housing

The Housing major gives students expertise in various aspects of housing including needs assessment; financing; federal, state, and local housing programs; housing policy; housing theory; household technology; property management; and real estate. The major helps students gain a comprehensive understanding of housing as a product, an environment, a service, and a process for sheltering a diverse and changing population adequately, accessibly, and affordably. Students may choose an emphasis in Residential Property Management, which prepares students to work with diverse groups as they manage real estate. Coursework delves into such topics as mortgages, financing, governmental policies dealing with housing, and social issues related to the field, and also includes sales (leasing), accounting, development, human resources, technology services, training, and management.

Research Careers

Georgia Career Information Center <http://www.gcic.peachnet.edu> (userid: ugacpp & password: gcis889)
O*NET <http://online.onetcenter.org> (click on Find Occupations)
Occupational Outlook Handbook <http://www.bls.gov/oco> (type in general term for career of interest)
Alberta Occupational Profiles <http://www.alis.gov.ab.ca/occinfo/frameset.asp> (click on Occupational Title Search)
**Please visit the Career Center Library or your Career Consultant if you need additional information or assistance.*

Possible Job Titles of Housing Graduates

Commercial Real Estate Broker	Leasing Consultant
Community Development Administrator	Marketing Representative
Consumer Loan Officer	Mortgage Loan Officer
Extension Agent	Mortgage Originator
Financial Analyst	Nonprofit Housing Administrator
Financial Consultant	Outside Sales Representative
Homeowner Educator	Project Manager
Housing Counselor	Property Manager
Housing Specialist	Realtor
Independent Contractor	Residential Home Loan Officer
Housing Development Manager	Small Business Owner

Possible Employers of Housing Graduates

Community Development Agencies	Lending Agencies
Extension Agencies	Manufactured Housing Industry
Housing and Finance Authorities	Private or Public Non-profit Agencies
Home Builders Associations	Property Management Firms
	Real Estate Agencies

Career Center Library Resources

100 Best Nonprofits to Work For
Opportunities in Purchasing Careers
Real People Working in Business
WetFeet Insider Guide to Industries and Careers for Undergrads
Your Successful Real Estate Career

Campus Resources

National Association of Home Builders at UGA - <http://www.nahb.org>

UGA Family and Consumer Science Cooperative Extension - <http://www.fcs.uga.edu/extension/>

College of Family & Consumer Sciences Student Services - <http://www.fcs.uga.edu/ss/index.html>

Employment Websites

National Multi-Housing Council - www.nmhc.org

Real Estate Jobs/Property Management Jobs - http://www.nationjob.com/real_estate/

USAJOBS - <http://www.usajobs.gov/>

Idealist - <http://www.idealist.org/>

Additional Resources

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development - www.hud.gov/

National Association of Residential Property Managers - <http://www.narpm.org/>

National Association of Home Builders - <http://www.nahb.org>

Council for Consumer Interests - <http://consumerinterests.org>

Mortgage101.com - <http://www.mortgage101.com>

LinkedIn - <https://www.linkedin.com>