



WHAT CAN I DO WITH A MAJOR IN...

AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION, LEADERSHIP, AND COMMUNICATIONS

Description of Major

A Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education, Leadership and Communications equips graduates with the ability to inform and engage people about agricultural information and issues. Agricultural Education, Leadership and Communications (AELC) graduates may become involved in a variety of occupations in agricultural business and industry, education, production, extension and communications. Students may choose from one of the following concentrations.

- Agricultural Communications
- Agricultural Leadership
- Agricultural Teaching

For more information on this major, visit <https://www.humansci.msstate.edu/>, stop by 255 Tracy Drive, Mississippi State, MS 39762 or call 662-325-2950.

Possible Job Titles*

Agribusiness Public Relations Agent
Agrichemicals Sales Representative
Agriculture Education Teacher
Banker
County Agricultural Agent
DNR Ranger
Educational Researcher
Educational Supervisor

Extension Agent
Extension Work Instructor
Farm Consultant
Farm/Ranch Manager
Greenhouse or Florist Shop Manager
Horticulture Specialist
Photographer
Public Relations Specialists

Possible Employers*

Apex Life Sciences
Atlantic Tractor
BASF Corporation
CHS, Inc.
Department of Agriculture
Department of Health & Environment
Department of the Army

Greenacres Foundation
International Fertilizer Development
Java Farms Supply
Middle & Secondary Schools
The Nature Conservancy
Universities & Colleges
Wilbur-Ellis Company

Job Search Websites*

The following links are excellent resources on specific careers such as those listed above:

- **Connections:** <https://msstate-csm.symplicity.com/>
 - **Careershift-** (Under Resources tab)
 - **GoinGlobal-** (Under Resources tab)
- **LinkedIn:** <https://www.linkedin.com>
- **O-net:** <https://www.onetonline.org/>
- **USAJOBS:** <https://www.usajobs.gov/>

Campus Involvement*

The following links are excellent resources on how to get involved on the MSU campus:

- **Bulldog Mentor Program:** <https://bulldognetwork.msstate.edu/v2>
- **Cowbell Connect:** <https://msstate.campuslabs.com/engage/>
- **National Association of Agricultural Educators:** <http://www.naae.org/>

***Note: This list is not comprehensive, and some positions may require further education.**