

Hospitality, Tourism, and Recreation

Do you: have good people skills?
 Have a natural ability for leadership?
 Enjoy learning about other cultures?
 Like to plan events and parties?
 Enjoy the outdoors?
 Enjoy recreation activities?
 Like to travel?



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About this Sector

The Hospitality, Tourism, and Recreation industry sector includes California's fastest-growing industries: travel, recreation, and food and hospitality. Nearly 900,000 jobs are directly supported by the travel industry, making tourism the state's third largest employer; and the industry is expected to expand by more than 2 percent per year through 2017. Food service occupations, ranging from food production and service to the study of human nutrition and wellness, bring in over \$970 million a day and account for 8 percent of jobs worldwide. The California restaurant industry is the largest employer in the state, providing 957,000 jobs, with annual projected sales of \$51.5 billion and sales tax revenues of \$4 billion. Students choosing a career in this industry sector are eligible for positions throughout the world, with potential for advancement and ready availability of continuing employment.

Sample Careers in Hospitality, Tourism, and Recreation

Entry Level Careers

(with high school diploma)

Youth Recreation Leader
Hotel Guest Services
Food Preparation Worker
Food and Beverage Wait Staff
Dietary Aide
Food Product Tester
Quality Control Technician
Line Cook
Food Expediter
Bakery Helper
Camp Counselor
Recreation Leader
Spa Attendant
Front Desk Worker

Technical Level Careers

(with AA or AS degree or certificate)

Food Inspector
Dietetic Technician
Food Production Chemist
Food and Beverage Director
Food Service Manager
Food Designer
Social Director
Tour Guide/Manager
Hotel Concierge
Convention Planner
Chef/Cook/Baker
Caterer
Travel Agent
Concert Promoter
Event/Wedding Planner
Flight Attendant
Club Manager

Professional Level Careers

(with BS or BA degree)

Registered Dietician
Food Technologist
Food Product Developer
Sous/Executive Chef
Food and Beverage Analyst
Food Service Director
Food Stylist
Visitor & Convention Bureau Director
Registered Dietician
Non-Profit Association
Museum Director/Curator
Club/Resort/Hotel Manager
Theme Park Director
Convention Coordinator
Travel Company Manager

Students seeking an advanced college degree are recommended to fulfill UC/CSU (a-g) requirements, beyond that, students are encouraged to take the following elective credits:

Intro to Hospitality and Tourism (CEO)	Mock Trial
Foods I	Contest Speech (g)
Foods II	ROP Online Business (g)
Adv Foods	Sociology (g)
ROP Careers in Nutrition/Wellness	Student Government
AVID	Work Experience

@ articulated course - **bold courses need pre-requisite/concurrent enrollment** - Career Express Online (CEO)

Dual Enrollment Community College extension courses to consider:

Sociology 100, 105