People often say that an education in the Liberal Arts does not give students the kind of specialized career preparation that STEM offers. These generalizations are misguided. While it is true that a liberal arts degree does not lead to a specific career, liberal arts students graduate college with a diverse array of transferrable skills that they can apply in a variety of fields.

Students in the Liberal Arts/Multidisciplinary studies program are given the freedom to devise their own course of study by selecting courses from two or three disciplines. For example, a student interested in business might choose to take courses in Business and China Studies to prepare for a career in international business.

Transferable Skills
- Analytical and critical thinking
- Presentation, public speaking, & didactic skills
- Strong technical and analytical writing skills
- Close reading and analysis
- Interpretive research skills
- Manage time efficiently by setting priorities
- Worldliness/cultural awareness
- Communication skills

Career Communities to Consider
- Public Service
- Arts & Communications
- Education & Helping Professions
- Business