

“Chat and Chew” on Careers

Historian

Historians analyze, review, research and interpret the past. The research that they complete provides insight that helps us better understand various groups and individuals. Historians use a multitude of resources to aid them during their research, including newspapers, periodicals, government and institutional records and reports. Interviews, letters and unpublicized manuscripts may also be used to help historians formulate facts and opinions. Many historians engage in research on historical topics. They conduct field surveys on historical properties and provide guidance and technical assistance for historical preservations.



A bachelor's degree can provide a suitable background for entry-level jobs, such as a research assistant or administrative aid. However, for top-level, non academic research positions, a Ph.D. is required. Helpful qualities for individuals who desire this career field include: creativity, systematic work habits, analytical skills and good judgment.



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