

CO-OP & CAREER GUIDES

MATHEMATICS

Students enrolled in the Mathematics Major Program often use electives to focus on an area of personal interest and are encouraged to minor in a subject where mathematics is applied. Three different kinds of skills are emphasized in the mathematics major:

Abstract Reasoning – All students majoring in mathematics take at least five courses that emphasize abstract reasoning. Students read and write proofs, enabling them to graduate well prepared to enter a PhD program in mathematics.

Computing - All students majoring in mathematics take a series of seven courses that emphasize computing.

This emphasis on computing is one of the distinctive features of the mathematics program at Drexel, and provides students with a competitive advantage in the job market.

Employers Who Have Hired Drexel Students Include:

Ace USA
BlackRock
Merck Pharmaceuticals
Cigna Corporation
Comcast Corporation
Drexel University
PJM International
Independence Blue Cross
Sunoco
Susquehanna International Group

Mathematical Modeling - All students majoring in mathematics take multidisciplinary courses that focus on the interplay between mathematics and an area of application. Examples of courses in this category are Mathematical Finance Cryptography, Mathematics of Medical Imaging, and Actuarial Mathematics.

Students wanting specific information about the major are encouraged to stop by the department office in the Korman Center, Room 206, call the department at 215.895.2668, or visit their website at drexel.edu/math.

JOB TITLES

Actuarial Assistant
Bank Teller
Data Analyst
Operations Assistant
Investment Manager
Accountant

Teacher/Professor Trader Research Assistant Reinsurance Agent Statistician Economist

Please refer to drexel.edu/scdc for our most recent co-op salary information.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & INTERNET RESOURCES

Actuarial Careers beanactuary.com

American Statistical Association amstat.org

Society for Industrial & Applied Mathematics siam.org

CAS Student Central casstudentcentral.org

American Mathematical Society ams.org

Mathematical Association of America maa.org

Sloan Foundation sloan.org

CAREER RESOURCES

Resume, Interviewing and Job Search Best Practices drexel.edu/scdc/professional-pointers

Workshop Calendar drexel.edu/scdc/calendars-events/workshops

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