

Careers in Geography

Geography graduates work at the intersection of people, place, and data — solving environmental, social, economic, and technological challenges worldwide.

Sector	Common Employers	Common Jobs
Geospatial & GIS / Remote Sensing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Army Corps of Engineers • City & County GIS Departments • North Texas Tollway Authority • Engineering & Surveying Firms • Utility & Energy Companies • Environmental Consulting Firms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GIS Analyst • GIS Technician/Specialist • Cartographer • Remote Sensing Analyst • Geospatial Analyst • Geomatics Engineer • Spatial Data Analyst
Urban, Transportation & Regional Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City & County Planning Departments • Regional Councils of Government • Transportation Agencies • Engineering & Infrastructure Firms • Real Estate & Development Firms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban Planner • Transportation Planner • Land Economist • Regional Development Planner • Infrastructure Analyst • Floodplain Manager • Agricultural Manager
Environmental Science & Natural Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Texas Water Development Board • U.S. Forest Service • National Park Service • State Parks & Wildlife Agencies • Bureau of Land Management • Environmental Consulting Firms • Conservation Organizations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ecologist • Conservationist • Natural Resources Manager • Hydrologist • Climatologist • Geomorphologist • Zoologist • Environmental Specialist • Park Ranger
Emergency Management & Public Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FEMA • Emergency Management Offices • City & County Governments • Public Safety Departments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emergency Management Specialist • Disaster Recovery Analyst • Public Safety GIS Analyst • Resilience Planner
Education, Research & International Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colleges & Universities • Research Institutions • Federal Research Agencies • Peace Corps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College/University Professor • Graduate Research Fellow • Research Scientist • Peace Corps Volunteer
Business, Consulting & Corporate Analytics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial Institutions • Energy Companies • Market Analytics Firms • Engineering & Construction Companies • Corporate Strategy Teams 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Market Analyst • Risk Officer • Data Analyst • Business Development Representative • Pricing & Contracts Manager