

# Career Profile

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**Directions:** Using the Career Cruising website and other internet sites to discover your personal interests, career choices, and educational options. The purpose of this activity is to:

1. Provide aware of the many career opportunities related to design and technical drawing skills.
2. Provide aware of the many educational requirements and skills needed to be successful in a career related to design and technical drawing.

[www.careercruising.com](http://www.careercruising.com)

Username: Stevenson

Password: careers

**Step #1:** Create a profile

**Step #2:** Complete the “Career Matchmaker” assessment

**Step #3:** Explore one of the suggested careers or see how other careers match up with your answers.

What were 3 of the suggested careers you explored?

1. [Air Craft Mechanic](#)
2. [Recording Engineer](#)
3. [Construction Tradesperson](#)

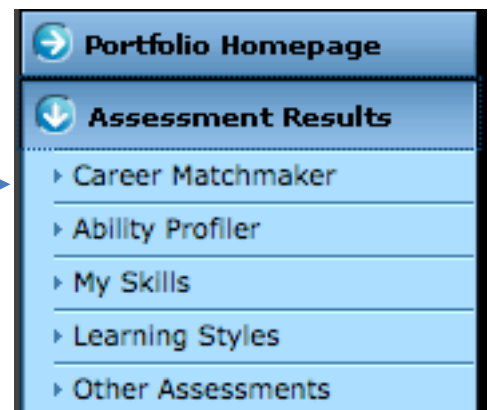
Explore a career that relates to this course (ie. Architect, aerospace, mechanical engineer, etc.) that interests you. What are 2 interesting facts that you learned about this career?

[Recording Engineer: 20,000 to 90,000 a year, for people that like music. Work for recording studios, radio stations, film companies, post-production companies, or are self-employed](#)

**Choose 1 career of your choice:**

What are the job responsibilities for this career?

- Set up and test recording equipment
- Operate recording equipment to capture performances, adjusting settings as necessary
- Combine separate instrumental and vocal tracks to create final products
- Suggest ways to improve sound
- Solve technical problems when they arise



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What educational background or training or experience is needed for this career?

- No formal requirements
- A post-secondary program related to recording engineering is highly recommended

What levels of advancement are available to a person in this career?

Recording major artists or musicians. Easy to become a music artist from this career,

What are the job responsibilities for this career?

To spend as much time as the artist needs recording and making sure it sounds perfect

What educational background or training or experience is needed for this career?

Training with computers and music.

What is the salary range for this career?

Starting: 20,000 Average: 80,000 Top: 100,000

**Step #4:** Using the “Schools that Interest Me” complete the survey. →

What were 3 universities/colleges that matched your career interest?

1. California State University (Los Angeles)
2. San Diego State University
3. Iowa State University



Using the Career Cruising website and other online sites, choose 1 university/college to explore:

What are the graduation requirements for the major/degree you chose?

To receive a degree, a student must meet the requirements of the curriculum in which the degree is to be awarded. Verification that the student has met those requirements is made by the dean of the college, who also has the authority to waive a requirement under exceptional circumstances.

A cumulative grade point average of at least 2.00 in all work taken at Iowa State University is required for graduation.

What are the costs involved with the major/degree you chose?

Tuition & Fees \$17,871 for non resident

Room & Board \$7,277 for non resident Books \$1,000 for non resident

Name at least 3 services, programs, or activities that this college/university offers that would support your pursuit for your degree in your chosen career.

**1. BA or BS in English**

The 37-credit English BA degree program allows students to select classes that suit their interests. English majors learn to think critically, read carefully, and express ideas effectively. Students seeking teacher licensure must meet additional requirements beyond the 37 credits required for the major.

**2. BS in Technical Communication**

The undergraduate program in technical communication addresses the natural relationship between practical communication and science/technology.

**3. BA in Speech Communication**

Students in Speech Communication develop an understanding of communication theories, principles, and applications.