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# Job Titles for Technical Communications Majors

Many jobs require a college educated individual. College graduates can use their education in a wide variety of occupations. Individuals with a Technical Communications major are prepared to write, edit and publish a wide variety of reports, manuals, and other technical or lay publications produced by industry and government. Other career options are managing the flow of information within a company, government agency, or between industries and agencies; and designing and implementing internal training programs, and providing technical information through visual media. Each area of emphasis offers training in one or more of the communications areas that are most in demand by industry and government. The technical writing and editing emphasis prepares students to write, edit and publish a wide variety of reports, manuals, and other technical publications produced by industry and government. The corporate communications emphasis is designed for students who will manage the flow of information within a company or government agency, or between industries and agencies. The technical media emphasis teaches students how to write, design, and produce media programs for the corporate, government, and cable sectors and focuses on the production of visual media that communicates technical information to a variety of audiences.

Graduates of the program are employed with a variety of companies, including: Media Lab; National Center for Atmospheric Research; Qwest; Lockheed Martin; Telecommunications, Inc.; Waxman's; IBM; CH2M Hill; Quark; StorageTek Corporation; Valley Labs, Inc.; Columbia Swedish Medical Center; Colorado Alliance of Research Libraries (CARL); Hewlett-Packard; and CU Health Sciences Center. *For information about these and other careers, please go to [www.onetonline.org/](http://www.onetonline.org/).*

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| <b>Advertising Worker</b>         | <b>Announcer, TV/radio</b>                | <b>Annual Report Writer</b>          |
| <b>Author</b>                     | <b>Communications Lawyer</b>              | <b>Communications Manager</b>        |
| <b>Corporate Animator</b>         | <b>Corporate Communicator</b>             | <b>Corporate Information Officer</b> |
| <b>Corporate Media Specialist</b> | <b>Corporate Scriptwriter</b>             | <b>CPA</b>                           |
| <b>Digital Video Editor</b>       | <b>Freelance Writer</b>                   | <b>Grant / Proposal Writer</b>       |
| <b>Hardware Manual Writer</b>     | <b>Indexer</b>                            | <b>Journalist</b>                    |
| <b>Multimedia Producer</b>        | <b>Networking Officer</b>                 | <b>On-Line Media Producer</b>        |
| <b>On-Line Writer</b>             | <b>Personnel / Human Resource Manager</b> | <b>Procedures Manual Writer</b>      |
| <b>Publications Officer</b>       | <b>Publisher</b>                          | <b>Recruiter</b>                     |
| <b>Research Assistant</b>         | <b>Script Writer</b>                      | <b>Software Manual Writer</b>        |
| <b>Sound Technician</b>           | <b>Specifications Writer</b>              | <b>Teacher</b>                       |
| <b>Technical Communicator</b>     | <b>Technical Editor</b>                   | <b>Technical Translator</b>          |
| <b>Technical Writer</b>           | <b>Videographer</b>                       | <b>Videotape Producer</b>            |
| <b>Virtual Reality Designer</b>   | <b>Visual Media Producer</b>              | <b>Webmaster</b>                     |

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