

CAS 391B: Humanities Futures Pilot Workshop (1 credit) Th 6:00-6:55pm
CRN 41373
Call for Participants

Are you a humanities major who loves what you study here at UP but aren't quite sure about how your academic experiences can be put to use in your life after college? Want to be a part of building a lasting contribution to humanities education at UP? The [Public Research Fellows](#) is recruiting a small cohort of humanities students to participate in the development of the Humanities Futures pilot workshop in Spring 2024. Read on for details.

What is the Humanities Futures Pilot Workshop?

It's a 1-credit course (Th 6:00-6:55pm; CRN 41373) in which we'll experiment with a series of new activities geared specifically toward helping humanities students translate their majors into personal and professional goals. The course will:

- meet weekly, alternating between a class devoted to a pilot activity followed by a class the next week in which the cohort will reflect on the activity and how it might be developed and improved;
- include potential activities such as: reading and discussion of how humanities thinking translates to and augments professional development, alumni interviews and Q&As, humanities-aligned internship research, humanities portfolio development, and résumé, cover letter, and interview pitch workshopping.

Who is the course for?

We are looking for humanities majors (English, History, Languages, Music, Philosophy, Theology, Theater) of any year at UP who are:

- interested in devoting time to thinking about how to connect their majors to professional contexts in a supportive environment
- want to collaborate to build a course that will help future humanities majors navigate the perennial question of "What are you going to do with that?" in genuine and productive ways.

Curious? Have questions?

Email Dr. Jen McDaneld (mcdaneld@up.edu).