WHAT CAN I DO WITH A DEGREE IN MEXICAN AMERICAN STUDIES?

The mission of Mexican American Studies at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley is to recognize, validate and engage with students, faculty, and Mexican American, Chican@ and Latin@ communities as agents of conocimiento (knowledge).

University Preparation
We prepare students to critically investigate community knowledge and sociopolitical, economic, cultural and artistic conditions of and contributions by Mexican Americans, Chican@s and Latin@s, while helping them cultivate transformative experiences, spaces and relationships.

Acquired Skills
Gain cultural sensitivity/awareness, Effective written and oral communication, Strong presentation skills, Flexibility and adaptability, Problem-solving, Critical thinking, Team-player mentality, Computer literacy

Potential Employers
School Districts, Research Centers, Large & Local Businesses

Related Careers
Teacher, Counselor, Operations research, Archivist, Human Resources, Travel Agent, Paralegal, Urban Planner, Marketing/Advertising, Housing Development Specialist, EEO/affirmative action Specialist, Curator, Museum Specialist, Study Abroad Coordinator, News Analyst, Case Worker, Public Relations Specialist, Writer, Editor

Resources
- Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities – http://www.hacu.net/hacu/default.asp
- International Opportunities – https://www.interexchange.org/