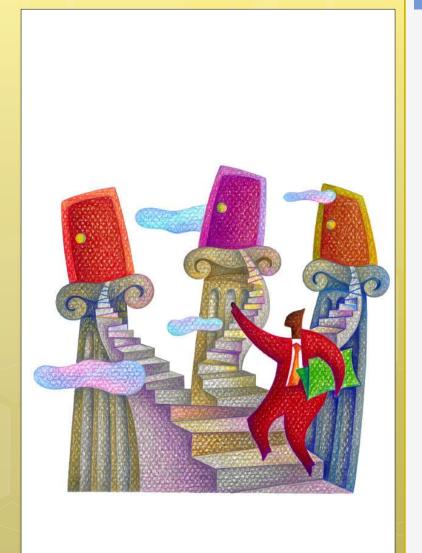
Decision Making

Have you narrowed down the choices you are interested in, but still can't decide on a major? Are you still unsure what questions to ask next?



The Student Will:

- Learn more about the decision making process.
- Utilize an online resource that will assist them in selecting a major.
- Learn requirements for the major.

Before You Start:

- Get out your worksheets from the Self-Awareness and Exploration activities.
- You should also have your List of Top 5 (or less) Majors.
- Do you have all the information you need, but just can't seem to balance all the pros and cons?

Making a Decision

- <u>This four-step program</u>, offered by Penn State University, can help you get the answers you need to make your decision.
- Use the back arrow to return to the Decision Making guide.

Welcome Back!

- Did this help narrow down your top choices?
- Below you will be directed to further recommendations, based on your readiness to select a major.

Ready to Pick a Major

• You can move on to the next screen.

Not Ready to Pick a Major

- What information do you need to make a decision?
- Were your estimates and ratings accurate?
- If you are still undecided, now would be a good time to visit the Career Development Center. Please call to make an appointment: 610.436.2501

There are a few final things you should find out about your intended major:

- What courses and grades are required for entry into the major? Use the <u>University Catalog</u>, and go to the departmental website or meet with your advisor.
- 2. What else is required to enter the major? (GPA, # of credits earned, exams, etc.)
- 3. Are you ready to declare your major? If yes, print this form and get the correct signatures, starting with your current advisor. If no, you should meet with your advisor so he/she can help you meet the requirements.

Wrapping It Up

- Congratulations on completing the PMAA Determining Your Major modules! We hope you have learned more about yourself and have chosen a major at West Chester University.
- Please keep in touch with your advisor if you have questions or concerns while you are fulfilling the entry requirements.
- We hope you have benefited from this process.