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# Agenda

- Famous Sociology Majors
- Skills
- Careers in Sociology
- Resume Writing
- Internship/Job Search Process
- UCR Career Center Resources

# **Famous Sociology Majors**

# Michelle Obama



# Rev. Martin Luther King



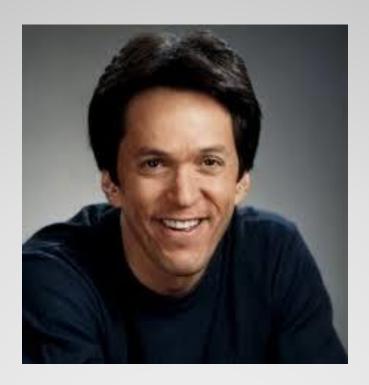
# **Robin Williams**



# Cory Booker



# **Mitch Albom**



# **Arne Duncan**



# Skills

# What skills are you developing as a Sociology major?

## **Top 10 Skills Desired by Employers**

1. Cor	mmunication
Skills	(Written)

6. Problem Solving Skills

2. Leadership

7. Communication Skills (Verbal)

3. Analytical / Quantitative Skills

8. Initiative

4. Strong Work Ethic

9. Detail-Oriented

5. Ability to work in a team

10. Computer Skills

# Careers in Sociology

- Human Services
- Criminal Justice
- Education
- Government
- Social Science Research
- Environment & Society
- Business

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- American Sociological Association
- Idealist.org
- USA Jobs
- Higher Ed Jobs
- City Year
- Teach for America
- Operation Safe House
- Mental Health of America Los Angeles Jump Start Fellowship
- Riverside County Human Resources, Probation
- Americorps

# Resume Writing

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### Job Search Strategies

- > How to Search for a Job
- > Resumes
- > Industries and Salaries
- > Networking
- > Interviewing
- > Life After College
- > References

### Career Planning

Career Fairs and Workshops for Students

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Preparing for Graduate & Professional Schools

About Us





### Create an Effective Resume Quickly

With the help of our resources, online Resume Builder and professional feedback, you can craft a standout resume fast

### ▼ 1. Resume and Cover Letter Samples

Organize your information with worksheets and advice from our Resume Guide. Use real-world examples as models.

### Resume Resources

Resume Guide 🖄

Action Verbs for Resumes 2

### Sample Resumes

Sample – First Year Student

Sample – Limited Experience 🖾

Sample – Engineering 🗳

Sample – Marketing 🖄

Sample - Biology

Sample – Humanities

Sample - Economics 2

Sample - Business 2

# UCR Career Center Resources

# What We Do

- Drop-in
- Career Planning
- Resume & Cover Letter Review
- Interview Preparation
- Internship & Job Search Assistance
- Major Events

# **Career Planning**

- Career Exploration Workshops & Panels
- Career Counseling
- Major Choice Assistance
- Career and Interest Assessment
- Graduate/Professional School Preparation

# Job Search Assistance

- SCOTJobs, NACELink, & CareerShift databases for jobs/internships
- Job and Internship Workshops
- On-Campus Interview Program
- Information Sessions
- Resume Builder
- Mock Interview Tool in SCOTLink

# **Major Events**

- General Career Fairs
- Specialty Career Fairs
  - Accounting & Finance, STEM
     Science/Technology/Engineering/Math,
     Government/Federal, & Education
- Graduate & Professional Info Days
  - Graduate, Law & Health
- Field Trips

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# Where Can You Find Us?

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**Materials Science & Engineering** 

Bourns
College of
Engineering

HUB



### **Drop-Ins**

M-Th: 10am-3pm

F: 10am-12pm

**Appointments:** 

951-827-3631

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