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MAJOR IN **DIETETICS**

A REGISTERED DIETITIAN (RD) is an expert in food and nutrition and an advocate for healthy eating. Registered dietitians are employed in a variety of settings, such as health care facilities and child nutrition programs. USU offers two programs in Dietetics — the Coordinated Program in Dietetics (which includes an internship during junior and senior year) & the Didactic Program in Dietetics (which includes an internship following graduation). Both are accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics. Admission into either program requires a formal application process during spring semester of the sophomore year.

WHAT DO DIETETICS MAJORS STUDY?

Science (chemistry, physiology) • Math (college algebra, statistics) • Nutrition (courses in clinical nutrition, community nutrition, sports nutrition, and food service management)

A MAJOR FOR STUDENTS WHO...

Want to work with people • Are comfortable with science and math • Are strong communicators and effective educators

WHAT KIND OF JOBS DO GRADUATES GET?

Clinical nutrition (hospitals, long-term care facilities, health care, etc) • Community nutrition and education • Public health • Food service management • Private consulting