WHAT IS LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT?
• Logistics is concerned with the design and management of systems for the movement of products from points of production to points of consumption.
• Such systems typically encompass activities such as transportation, warehousing, materials handling, inventory planning, customer service, facility location, scheduling and purchasing.

PREPARATION
• A bachelor’s degree with a specialization in logistics management.
• Good background in mathematics and statistics is important for entry into the field.
• Internships in logistics management are available and an excellent way to prepare for a career.
• Active participation in extra-curricular activities is valued and can provide an opportunity to develop leadership skills.
• Having supervisory experience is also a plus when entering the field especially for management positions where you will have supervisory responsibilities from the beginning.

CAREERS
Students selecting logistics management as an area of specialization will obtain a broad foundation for careers in:
• management for transportation and warehousing companies.
• the distribution, logistics, materials or traffic management departments of manufacturing, retailing and wholesaling firms.
• research and administrative agencies of government concerned with transportation and logistics matters.

Job titles include: planning and supply chain analyst, consultant, logistics analyst, inventory control supervisor, traffic manager, logistics management associate, fleet manager, supply & distribution resource manager, logistics account executive trainee.

HIRING COMPANIES (a sampling of companies who have recruited logistics management majors)
Abercrombie & Fitch, Cardinal Health, J.B. Hunt Transport
Accenture, C.H. Robinson Worldwide, Inc., LBrands
Amazon, DHL Supply Chain, Mast Global Logistics
Anheiser-Busch, General Supply Chain, Target Corp.

SALARY (average salaries for 2018-2019)
Full-time $55,173
Intern $17/Average Hourly Salary
**ACTION STEPS FOR STUDENTS CURRENTLY EXPLORING SPECIALIZATIONS WITHIN FISHER**

**Review the Career Exploration by Academic Specialization PowerPoints.**
Each presentation covers career areas, sample job titles, career path, companies that hire this major, salary information, professional organizations and more.

🔗 fisher.osu.edu/offices/career-management/undergraduate-students/explore-careers

**Check out the “From Orientation To Graduation” blog.**
The blog features student interns who post notes about their initial steps into the business world, the challenges they face as interns, and how they are applying their classroom theories and extracurricular activities to practice. “From Orientation To Graduation” is a great place to read about the experiences and contributions being made by a select group of undergraduate students. The blog also offers other career related tips and advice throughout the year.

🔗 fisher.osu.edu/blogs/ug-career-mgmt

**Enroll in Business Administration 2600 (offered spring semester).**
This is a speaker series course with a focus on business enrichment for Fisher undergraduate students. While open to all business majors, this class is structured to benefit sophomores who are exploring the many fields of business study. During the course a variety of business and community leaders share their personal and professional life stories with a focus on their own challenges and successes.

**Talk to people!**
Informational interviewing is a method of career exploration and a way of discovering jobs not publicly advertised. It is not the same as a job interview. Informational interviewing allows you to talk with people already in the industry you have targeted. By obtaining informational interviews, you have gained access to the “inside information” regarding career paths, alternate careers that will use your skills, and people to contact who may be looking for an employee like you.

**Peer Career Coaches** in the Office of Career Management and **Peers Advisors** in the Undergraduate Programs and Advising Office are students who are happy to talk with you and answer questions about their experience in selecting a specialization.

**Get Involved!**
Student organizations are a great way to meet new people (alumni, employers, and peers) and to learn about specializations. There are over 30 student organizations in Fisher.

🔗 fisherosu.campuslabs/engage/

**Review job descriptions in Handshake or on company websites.**
Job descriptions help you learn what skills and qualifications employers are seeking in candidates and the type of information you will be learning in a specialization.

**Utilize the Occupational Outlook Handbook.**
For hundreds of different types of jobs the Occupational Outlook Handbook tells you: the training and education needed, earnings, expected job prospects, what workers do on the job, and working conditions. In addition, the handbook gives you job search tips, links to information about the job market in each state, and more.

🔗 bls.gov/ocoandsalesforcemanagement