Sociology: Useful Careers Resources

Careers Information

- Prospects website [www.prospects.ac.uk/careers-advice/what-can-i-do-with-my-degree](www.prospects.ac.uk/careers-advice/what-can-i-do-with-my-degree)
- Prospects website job profiles [www.prospects.ac.uk/job-profiles](www.prospects.ac.uk/job-profiles)
- Public Sector Careers [www.jobsgopublic.com](www.jobsgopublic.com)
- National Careers Service website [https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/](https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/)
- Civil Service Careers [www.gov.uk/government/organisations/civil-service/about/recruitment](www.gov.uk/government/organisations/civil-service/about/recruitment)

Other Societies and Associations

- British Association of Social Workers (BASW) [www.basw.co.uk/](www.basw.co.uk/)
- Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC) [www.hpc-uk.org/](www.hpc-uk.org/)
- The Social Research Association [www.the-sra.org.uk](www.the-sra.org.uk)
- Teaching – Get into teaching : [https://getintoteaching.education.gov.uk/](https://getintoteaching.education.gov.uk/)
- Social Care Association [www.socialcareassociation.co.uk](www.socialcareassociation.co.uk)
- Youth Justice Board [www.justice.gov.uk/about/yjb](www.justice.gov.uk/about/yjb)
- UK Social Policy Association [www.social-policy.org.uk](www.social-policy.org.uk)
- British Sociological Association [www.britsoc.co.uk](www.britsoc.co.uk)
- National Centre for Social Research [www.natcen.ac.uk](www.natcen.ac.uk)
- Market Research Society [https://www.mrs.org.uk/](https://www.mrs.org.uk/)
- Association for Qualitative Research [http://www.aqr.org.uk/](http://www.aqr.org.uk/)

Job Listings

- Prospects [www.prospects.ac.uk](www.prospects.ac.uk)
- Targetjobs [www.targetjobs.co.uk](http://www.targetjobs.co.uk)
- Employability and Careers Centre [www.surrey.prospects.ac.uk](http://www.surrey.prospects.ac.uk)
- Jobs Go Public [www.jobsgopublic.co.uk](http://www.jobsgopublic.co.uk)
- Public sector [www.jobs4publicsector.com](http://www.jobs4publicsector.com) and [www.lgjobs.com/vacancies](http://www.lgjobs.com/vacancies)
- Community Care [www.communitycare.co.uk](http://www.communitycare.co.uk)
- Charity Jobs [www.jobsincharities.co.uk](http://www.jobsincharities.co.uk) and [www.indeed.co.uk](http://www.indeed.co.uk)
- Directory of Think-Tanks [www.policylibrary.com](http://www.policylibrary.com)
- The Guardian online [http://jobs.guardian.co.uk](http://jobs.guardian.co.uk)

**Postgraduate study**

- [https://www.prospects.ac.uk/postgraduate-courses](https://www.prospects.ac.uk/postgraduate-courses) - General database of programmes and information on funding
- Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) [www.esrc.ac.uk](http://www.esrc.ac.uk)
- [www.findamasters.com](http://www.findamasters.com)
- [www.findaphd.com](http://www.findaphd.com)
- [www.postgrad.com](http://www.postgrad.com)
- [www.jobs.ac.uk](http://www.jobs.ac.uk)
- [www.postgraduatestudentships.co.uk/](http://www.postgraduatestudentships.co.uk/)
- UCAS Teacher Training [www.ucas.com/how-it-all-works/teacher-training](http://www.ucas.com/how-it-all-works/teacher-training)
- [www.fulbright.org.uk](http://www.fulbright.org.uk) - Postgraduate study in the USA

**Volunteering Opportunities**

- [www.uusu.co.uk](http://www.uusu.co.uk) (University of Surrey Students’ Union, volunteering pages)
- [www.do-it.org.uk](http://www.do-it.org.uk) (Volunteering opportunities across the UK)
Please note that this list is by no means definitive but features some of the more useful websites. For further information on job sectors and detailed occupational profiles please go to the Prospects website www.prospects.ac.uk