Actuaries analyze the financial costs of risk and uncertainty. They use mathematics, statistics, and financial theory to assess the risk that an event will occur, and they help businesses and clients develop policies that minimize the cost of that risk. Actuaries’ work is essential to the insurance industry.

Profile of successful Actuarial Science majors:
- Math subtest score on SAT ≥ 620
- Success in advanced high school math courses
- Highly motivated, strong work ethic
- Interested in math and business

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- Economics
- Finance
- Internship
- Math
- Statistics

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Useful online resources:
- About Actuarial Science
- Bureau of Labor Statistics Forecasts and Descriptions
- CareerCast Job Satisfaction Ratings
- EU Department of Mathematics and Computer Science
- Edinboro University Honors Program
- Why Be an Actuary?

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