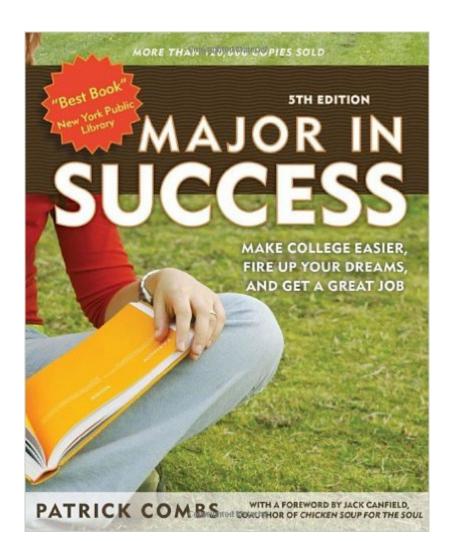
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# Major In Success: Make College Easier, Fire Up Your Dreams, And Get A Great Job





## Synopsis

With so much at stake during college, students need smart and inspiring advice to help them excel. Now in its fifth edition, MAJOR IN SUCCESS reaches out to undecided freshmen and sophomores in search of a major that suits their interests and career ambitions; shows near-graduation students how to bolster their résumé and ace the interview to land their first real job; and presents innovative strategies for tackling the six biggest fears that hold students back. Â Revised edition of the best-selling guide for college students looking to discover their passion and make the most of their college years. Includes updated resources and websites, the latest job market research, and new student success stories. Named a "Best Book" by the New York Public Library. Previous editions have sold more than 120,000 copies.

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Major in Success can be misleading if you buy by impulse. It WONT teach you how to study or how to have great grades. However, it will do more than that - it WILL teach you to be successful and get your dream career.What if you don't know what your dream career is? Well, you are not alone! Before reading this book I didn't know either, but the first part of the book will guide you in learning all your interests and then mix them to discover the perfect job for you.And if that wasn't enough, you will then learn how to actually get it: break your fears, enrich your life, and have fun in college, while building the curriculum and getting the connections that will get you there.This book changed my life and totally inspired me. It also has some wonderful cartoons and inspiring stories about real

people. And toward the end has a wonderful manual, The Rules of Being Human, that our soul certainly read before dropping on earth but which, according to the last term of the contract, it forgot. A refreshing attitude toward college, wonderfully written and inspiring, Major in Success is more than a book about success in college; it is a book about success in LIFE - all aspects of it.PS: In case you didn't get the message: \*buy it\*; it will change your life!

Full of trivial, cliche advice about finding your passion. There is some good advice here about considering alternative career choices and compiling a portfolio of work, for example. It can be helpful for college students needing a push or motivation to find themselves but I could have gathered the majority of any 'information' in here by reading chapter titles.

It's a very well written book. It helps you go on the right path to your passion & career. I highly recommend this for high school and college students.

It's sure to say this simple, short, easy to read book changed my life. It's very inspiring and a must-have. I bought several copies for my friends and they love it.

(this review is of the 3rd edition)I picked this book up at the career counselor office at Rutgers. I felt as though I was meant to find this book. At the core, Combs professes great values: do what you love, don't stop believing in yourself, be proactive, well roundedness is more important than amazing grades. Good ideas on how to make yourself look better in interviews such as finding articles and joining organizations (he mentions national organizations, but others can be just as great). For someone entering or still in college, this is a great book to read, especially for business oriented students, but still great for anyone else (I'm a math major with interest in psychology and outdoor camps/experiential learning).

This book is very well written and inspirational. It has put many of my college experiences in perspective, and I look forward to implementing many of Combs' strategies. I definitely recommend this title to any college student, or recent graduate.

Patrick Combs writes a concise, yet informative text about succeeding in college. This information can also be applied to success in life.

Although I did not read the book in full, the paper I proof-read did want to make me read it! highly recommend buying and actually reading this book because I do see it benefiting you to MAJOR IN SUCCESS

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