Mapping your career with Geography
There has never been a more exciting time to study Geography

Geography helps make sense of an increasingly complex world

Geographers are highly employable and have diverse career paths
What is Geography all about?

Natural environments
Tourism
Fieldwork
Changing the Land
Global Population
The importance of Geography

"The study of geography is about more than just memorizing places on a map. It's about understanding the complexity of our world, appreciating the diversity of cultures that exists across continents. And in the end, it's about using all that knowledge to help bridge divides and bring people together."

Barak Obama
President of the United States

View President Obama’s comment at the 2012 National Geographic Bee, Courtesy of National Geographic Channel.
Tertiary courses linked to Geography

Geography can be an integral part of your tertiary education . . . some examples . . .

Bachelor of Science – Geospatial Science
Bachelor of Urban and Rural Planning
Bachelor of Global Studies with Bachelor of Laws (double degree)
Bachelor of Arts – Sustainability Management
Bachelor of Engineering – Environmental Engineering
Why study Geography?

Teachers and students at John Monash Science School Melbourne give some great reasons on why students should study Geography.
Geography in the workplace

Planning and Design
Spatial Sciences

Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
Environment

Disaster management
Science / Engineering / Physical Geography

Oceanography
Humanities

Ecotourism
Commerce

Advertising
Geography in the spatial industry

An understanding of spatial technologies is essential to make sense of our world.

The spatial industry, both in Australia and internationally, is growing. Recent estimates by the Spatial Industries Business Association (SIBA) Australia put the current labour shortage of spatial professionals in the Australian workforce at up to 3 000 to 4 000
The Geospatial Revolution Project, developed by Penn State University Public Broadcasting shows us the world of digital mapping and how it is changing the way we think, behave, and interact.
For more information purchase the careers brochure ‘Mapping your career with Geography’ from the GTAV.