Roadtrip Nation

Roadtrip Nation is a career exploration platform created through interviews with people in a wide range of career fields and career paths, showing you the real stories behind the struggles and successes that people encounter on their road to fulfilling careers. As you explore your top interests, you can find related careers and majors, as well as watch video interviews of "leaders" in those fields for advice, insight, and inspiration.

1. Access the website: lanecc.edu/RoadtripNation

2. Sign In and Create an Account. STUDENTS use School Subscription Code: GOTITANS LANE EMPLOYEES use School Subscription Code: LCCSTAFF

3. Select "Start Exploring."

4. Follow the instructions to select your top Interests and then you'll see "Careers," "Majors", and "Leaders" that match your interests. Explore all three of those tabs!

5. If you like, select "Edit" under *Your Roadmap* and change your "interest" combination. Switch out one interest or two interests or all three and see how the results change!

6. "Drill down" under each tab to get detailed information about occupations and college majors, as well as insight and advice from people in those fields. Explore job descriptions, educational paths, related careers and majors, wages, employment projections, and more, based on national O*NET data.

7. If a leader has a video interview available (you'll see a video camera icon on their picture), **make sure to watch the full Interview**--it will be the small video in the center of the page, labeled "Interview" (<u>not</u> Highlight). Interviews are usually 4-9 minutes long.

8. You can "*Save*" careers and leaders by selecting the "star" icon next to the name.



9. Return to the main screens at any time using the "Dashboard" and "Roadmap" tabs.

10. You can also access the "Plan" tab to get suggestions about next steps and activities. However, this is our least favorite part of the tool.

11. *Use the "Search" icon (little magnifying glass) in the upper right* with terms like "Film" or "Social Work" or "Teacher" or "Biology," etc. to find Careers, Majors, and Leaders related to your keywords. Or, search with terms like "First Generation College Student" or "Immigrant" or "LGBT" or "Addiction," etc. and look for Leaders with these themes.

12. Connect with a Career Advisor or Career Counselor to discuss your interests, review your Roadtrip Nation work, learn about more resources, and plan next steps.

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