Remember, that in many cases, a degree in business is not necessary to go into a business-related field or career. Many companies and organizations look for the types of skills provided by most Liberal Arts majors: writing ability, critical and analytical thinking skills, research skills, etc. You can enhance a Liberal Arts major with job experience, volunteer work, internships, and co-curricular activities. Here are a few alternate major options for each Smith School Major.

**Accounting**
- To sit for the Maryland CPA exam, individuals need to complete 150 credits. Some students will graduate with 120 credits in any major of their choosing and then use the remaining 30 credits to take accounting specific courses at another institution. Other option would be to pursue graduate level studies in accounting or business administration. This allows for flexibility in determining an alternate major if your career goal is to become an accountant.
  - Communication (COMM)

**International Business**
- Agricultural & Resource Economics (AREC)
- American Studies (AMST)
- Communication (COMM)
- Environmental Science and Policy – Environmental Economics (ENSP)
- Foreign Language
- Government & Politics (GVPT)
- Psychology (PSYC)
- Sociology (SOCY)

**Finance**
- Economics (ECON)
- Math (MATH)

**Supply Chain Management**
- Communication (COMM)
- Psychology (PSYC)
- Sociology – Organizations/Institutions Specialization (SOCY)

**Management**
- Agricultural & Resource Economics – Business Management Field (AREC)
- American Studies (AMST)
- Communication (COMM)
- Government & Politics (GVPT)
- Landscape Management (PLSC)
- Psychology (PSYC)
- Sociology (SOCY)

**Marketing**
- American Studies (AMST)
- Communication – Public Relations Track or Social Influence Track (COMM)
- Psychology (PSYC)
- Sociology – Social Psychology Specialization (SOCY)

**Information Systems**
- Computer Engineering (ENGR)
- Computer Science (CMSC)
- Geography - Geographic Information Systems, GIS (GEOG)

**Operations Management**
- Communication (COMM)
- Government & Politics (GVPT)
- Psychology (PSYC)

**Major Exploration Resources**
- Degree Navigator: [http://www.testudo.umd.edu/dnentry.html](http://www.testudo.umd.edu/dnentry.html)
- Majors: [http://www.umd.edu/catalog/index.cfm/show/content.chapter/c/1](http://www.umd.edu/catalog/index.cfm/show/content.chapter/c/1)
- Four Year Plans: [http://4yearplans.umd.edu/](http://4yearplans.umd.edu/)
- Majors Walk-ins: [http://www.counseling.umd.edu/Services/srv_mwi.htm](http://www.counseling.umd.edu/Services/srv_mwi.htm)