

Some of the most successful leaders in hi-tech, business, finance, and law speak to the value of a Liberal Arts education:

“Things move so quickly and the pace of innovation is so high that we need people who can think critically, react, solve problems and have that high level of intelligent agility and adaptability that will enable them to be successful in any role.... **liberal arts graduates are particularly well-positioned**”

- Cheri Chevalier, worldwide sales leader for marketing solutions at Microsoft

“It’s technology married with liberal arts, married with the humanities, that yields us the results that make our heart sing.”

- Steve Jobs, CEO of Apple, Inc.

"For almost all students, a liberal arts education works in subtle ways to create a web of knowledge that will illumine problems and enlighten judgment on innumerable occasions in later life."

- Derek Bok, lawyer and former president of Harvard University

"What is desperately needed... is the skepticism and the sense of history that a liberal arts education provides."

- Felix Rohatyn, Investment Banker

"I think the more you have a generalist perspective, I think sometimes the more you can kind of see through the forest and the trees. And when it gets a little bit cloudy, you know, have some sense of, "Well, maybe this might happen or maybe that might happen."
So I really am a big believer in liberal arts education. I think it's better - particularly in these kind of uncertain times - to know a little bit about a lot of things as opposed to being expert in one thing."

- Steve Case, CEO of America Online