Senior Year Career Plan Step-by-Step Guide

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- Seek employment
- Apply to graduate/professional schools
- Stay focused







Self-Development

What You'll Learn Today

At the end of this workshop, you will be able to...



Identify job search methods

Describe how to search online for jobs

Explain the importance of tracking applications for jobs or graduate programs





Seek Employment



Seek employment

Prepare your toolkit

Get your resume critiqued Practice your interview skills

Use Career Center resources Meet with your Career Specialist to develop a strategy Search on Handshake and Career*Shift* Attend job fairs

Tap into your network

Share goals with those around you Create and/or maximize LinkedIn





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Career fairs – Fall Quarter

Student Employment Fair

Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) Virtual Career & Internship Fair

Business & Diversity Expo

Graduate, Professional & Law School Fair





Career fairs – Winter Quarter

Engineering & Technology Career Expo

Education & Social Impact Job Fair



Where to search

Career fairs – Spring Quarter

Spring Career & Internship Fair

Health Professions Information Day

Just in Time Virtual Career Fair





BEWARE OF JOB

Learn the red flags to look out for in your job search.



They're asking you to shop for them.



You have to send them money.



The job sounds too good to be true.



The job they offer isn't the one you applied for.



They won't meet you in person.



You can't verify their information.



They're asking for personal information.



You'll be working from home.

Learn more about job fraud and how to protect yourself at careers.ucr.edu or contact a career counselor today.



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Apply to Graduate/Professional Schools





Graduate & Professional School Information Days

Graduate, Professional & Law School Information Day Fair

Specific School Information Sessions

Track application deadlines and materials

Continue gaining related, on-campus, community, and/or volunteer experience



Stay Focused









Tracking system Track applications, follow-up, interview dates, and more LinkedIn Continue networking



Career Center Attend workshops, information sessions, and career fairs











Join the UCR Career Network, an online community for networking, mentoring, and job opportunities for alumni and students.

MENTORING

Matching process that connects current students with alumni or alumni with one another.

JOB SEARCH

Job board for those currently seeking employment or for alumni looking to hire other Highlanders.

NETWORKING

Discussion boards to meet and network with others who have similar career questions.

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REGISTER AT CAREERNETWORK.UCR.EDU





Location: We are located in the Career Center Plaza. Our entrance is the University Lecture Hall and the Surge Building, behind the UCR Campus Store.

Hours:

Mon. - Fri. 8 am to 5 pm

Individual counseling appointments available Schedule on Handshake

Drop-in Hours:

Mon. - Fri. (days & times vary)

View drop-in schedule on our website https://careers.ucr.edu/



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