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Third Year Career Plan

Step-by-Step Guide

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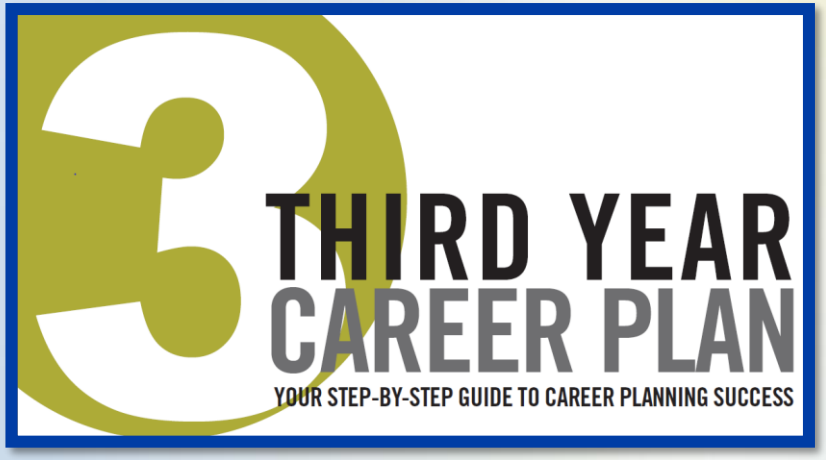
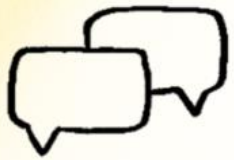
Agenda

- Gain experience
- Polish interviewing skills
- Network and build relationships
- Research graduate & professional schools





COMMUNICATION

PROFESSIONALISM

CRITICAL THINKING

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CAREER READINESS COMPETENCIES

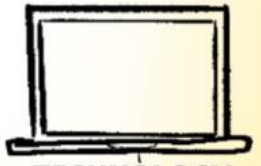
Obtaining requisite competencies that broadly prepare college graduates for a successful transition into the workplace.

TEAM WORK

EQUITY & INCLUSION

LEADERSHIP

CAREER AND SELF-DEVELOPMENT



TECHNOLOGY

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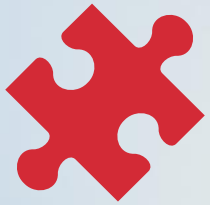
What You'll Learn Today

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

Describe different opportunities to gain experience

Identify how to build your interviewing skills



List what to consider when thinking about graduate or professional school

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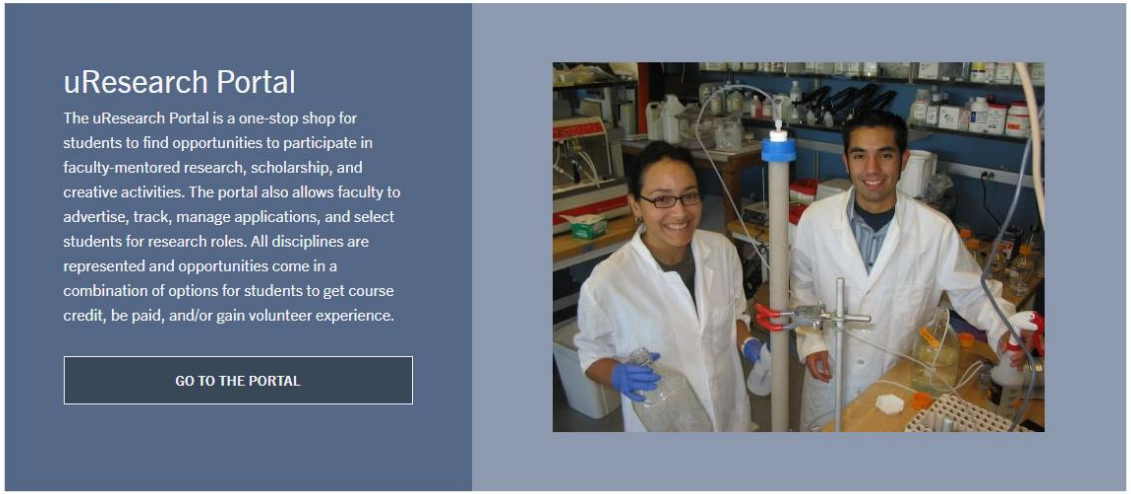
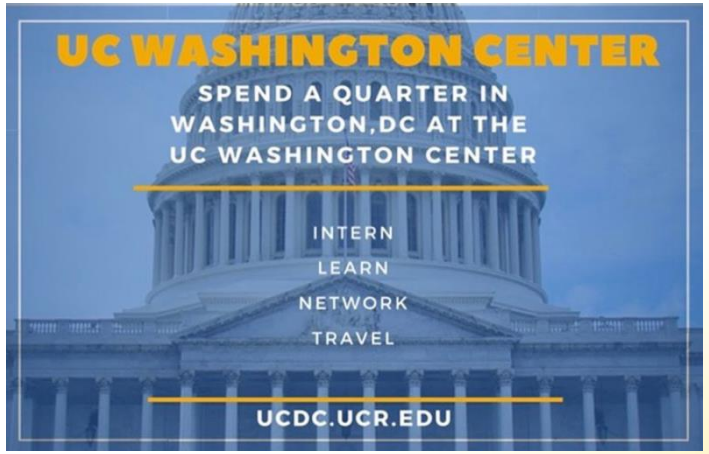
Undergraduate Research Portal and Opportunities





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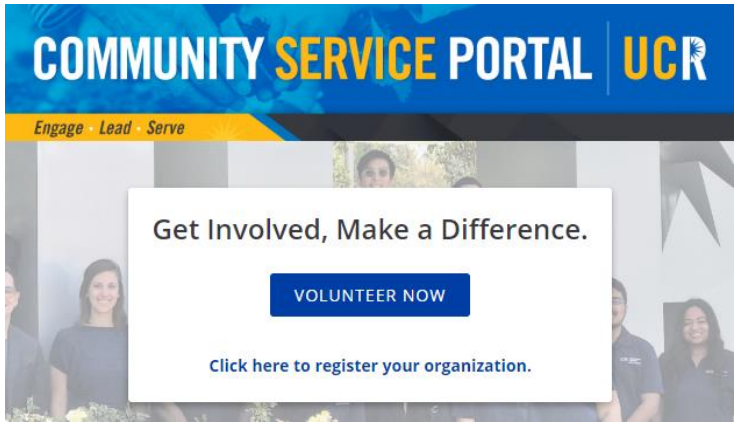

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Polish Your Interviewing Skills

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Polish your interviewing skills

Get started
Attend the *Ace the Interview* workshop
Review Interview Skills Handout

Take it to the next level
Practice your interviewing using our Mock Interview sessions
Make an appointment with your Career Specialist to

- Get feedback
- Practice questions
- Go over logistics of interviews

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Network & Build Relationships

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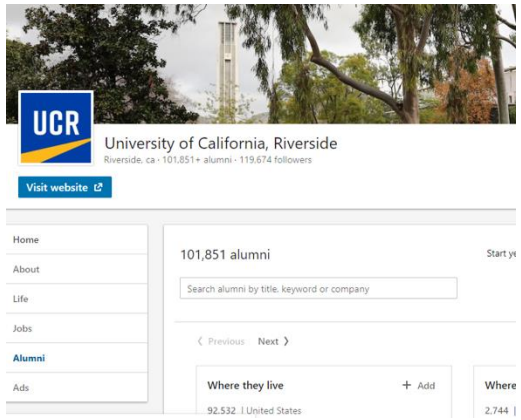
Your network

Talk to everyone – fellow students, faculty, friends, and family! You never know how you'll find the next opportunity!



LinkedIn

See alumni career paths, conduct informational interviews, and build your network

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Attend workshops, information sessions, and career fairs

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Research Graduate/Professional Schools

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Research graduate and professional schools

Research career options
Is graduate or professional school required?

Use Career Center resources
Attend the *To Be or Not To Be: Graduate & Professional School Edition* workshop
Attend the *Graduate & Professional School Information Day Fair* and *Law School Information Day Fair*

Research programs and prepare
Learn about admissions requirements, entrance exams, personal statements, and letters of recommendation
Take advantage of the Academic Resource Center for help with statements and exams

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Questions?

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location

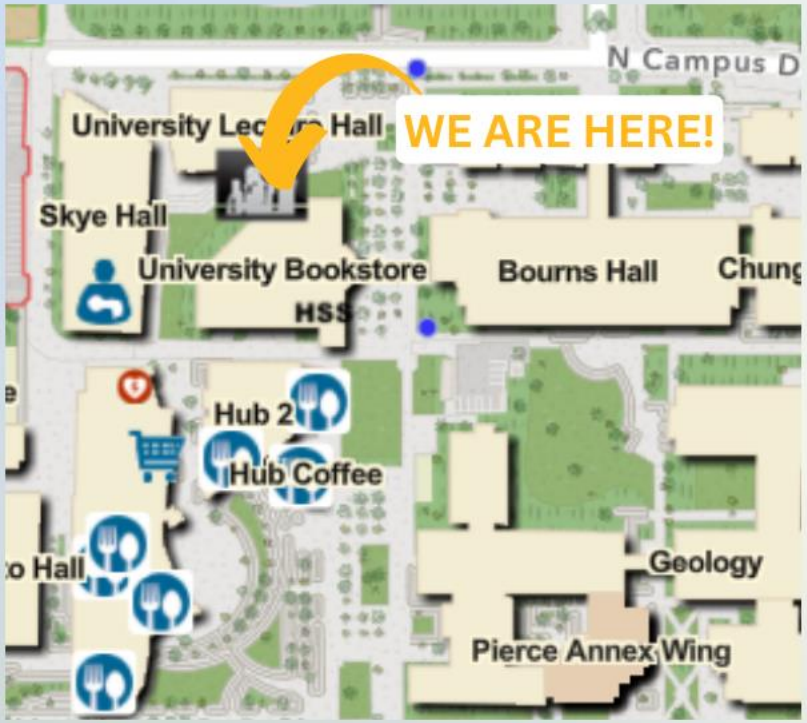
ENTRANCE IS ACROSS FROM ARC AND UNIVERSITY LECTURE HALL, UNDERNEATH THE BOOKSTORE

hours

8 AM - 5 PM MONDAY-FRIDAY

website home

drop in hours



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