

CAREER PLANNING FOR SUCCESS: COLLEGE TO CAREER-READY

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Career Services



College to Career-Ready...



starts **TODAY**





What is Career Readiness?

- a framework for identifying essential skills and abilities needed to accomplish career-related goals
- developing career competencies that can differentiate you from other graduates in the job search process
- the key to ensuring a successful transition from the classroom to the workplace







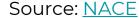


Employers identified 8 Career Readiness Competencies:

- Critical Thinking
- Leadership
- Communication Skills
- Teamwork
- Technology
- Professionalism
- Career & Self-Management
- Equity & Inclusion











Career Planning Resources for Success

Career Services can help you **identify**, **develop** and **communicate** your career competencies for the workplace.









Resources: Identify





CliftonStrengths for Students

Personalized Major & Career Matches:

TypeFocus



Transferable Skills for Tailored Career Searches:

CHOICES360

Connections between You, Majors & Careers:

Major & Career Appointments





Undecided or unsure? Contact lauren.landry@louisiana.edu







Interview Style:

Mock Interview Events & Appointments

Networks with Employers:

<u>Attend Career Fairs, Employer Information Events &</u>
More

Professional Community:

Handshake

Skills & Job-Related Experiences:

Part-time Jobs, Internships & Co-op Opportunties













Professionalism: Career Closet, Professional Headshots & Dinner Etiquette

Competencies & Work History: Free Resume Reviews

Marketability: <u>Handshake</u> & <u>LinkedIn</u> Customization

Distinctiveness: Disney Co-op program, JC Penney Suit-

Up & the UL Lafayette brand











Access to Your Resources Begins NOW

What is Handshake?

- One-stop shop for all your career building and campus career center needs
- Community of students and alumni to help you every step of the way
- Personalized feed & custom recommendations for you
- Employers eager to connect with you!
- Jobs & Internships for every student

How to Access/Join Handshake



Step 1	Log on to ULink
Step 2	Find the Career Services Card
Step 3	Click Handshake & Internship Positions
Step 4	Click on Blue Current Student button





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