

Career Development Center Overview

Main Location

A110 Kerr Administration Building

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Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. | drop-in 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

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Satellite Locations

College of Liberal Arts and College of Education | 204 Bexell Hall

Karla Rockhold | karla.rockhold@oregonstate.edu | 541-737-3733

College of Engineering | 124 Johnson Hall

541-737-3607

College of Science | 109 Kidder Hall | 541-737-3854

College of Public Health and Human Sciences | 105 Women's Building | 541-737-8900

Tzu-Chin (Claire) Wu | claire.wu@oregonstate.edu

College of Agricultural Sciences and College of Forestry | 200C Strand Ag

College of Earth, Ocean and Atmospheric Sciences | 104 Wilkinson

Britt Hoskins | britt.hoskins@oregonstate.edu | 541-737-4012

College of Business Career Success Center | 102 Austin Hall

Dan Ziriaux | csc@oregonstate.edu | business.oregonstate.edu/careers

University Exploratory Studies Program | 109 Waldo Hall

uesp.oregonstate.edu | 541-737-8144

OSU Cascades Career Development Center | 106 Tykeson Hall

career@osucascades.edu | osucascades.edu/cdc | 541-322-3157

From the Director

Dear Student:

Congratulations on starting your career search. Whether you're looking to earn a place in your field, enter graduate school, complete post-graduation service or take another path, we're here to help.

We'll give you the tools to become a profession-ready Oregon State University graduate.

This Career Guide is one of those tools. You'll start with self-assessments and career exploration and will continue to build your personal brand. You'll learn how to craft a résumé and cover letter that showcases your strengths and experiences. You'll learn how to interview, network and find opportunities.

Use the Career Guide with other Career Development Center resources, such as online tools, professional development workshops, industry treks and meetings with Career Development Center staff, and start carving your career path.

Brandi Fuhrman

Executive Director

Our Services and Resources

We offer one-on-one **appointments with advisors as well as career events and networking opportunities**. For all career needs, refer to our website **career.oregonstate.edu** or visit us in person.

One-On-One Advising

Meeting with a **peer advisor** is as simple as coming to our office. Our student advisors will work with you to review résumés and cover letters, provide interview advice, demonstrate our online tools and schedule advisor appointments.

Our **career advisors** meet with students in their respective colleges to provide specific information for career development in each field. This option is also available via phone for Ecampus students and other learning locations. OSU-Cascades students, please visit osucascades.edu/cdc for more information.

To make an appointment with your advisor, contact our main office or schedule via your **Handshake** account (oregonstate.joinhandshake.com).

Workshops and Webinars

Many of our career workshops involve employers and provide valuable networking opportunities. **Stay up-to-date** on what we are offering through our website and **Handshake** so you don't miss out!

Networking Opportunities

Career Expos: We host career fairs every term. Check out the list of events by logging into Handshake and selecting the 'Events' tab.

Speed Mock Interviews: During the week of career expos, we offer speed mock interviews to prepare you for networking with employers. Information on these events can be found on Handshake.

Ecampus and Learning Locations

We hold virtual events for Ecampus students throughout the academic year, including webinars and online workshops covering résumés, cover letters, job and internship searches, and negotiating. If traveling to Corvallis is an option, Ecampus students are welcome to attend events like career fairs in person.

Sign up for any events through your **Handshake** account.

Our online career tools are available to all current students, both on and off campus, to increase career readiness and confidence. You can access them through **career.oregonstate.edu**.

Handshake

Local and national employers, jobs and internships. Build your profile showing your work experience and education, register for upcoming career fairs and workshops, and request career advisor appointments.



Résumé review with individualized feedback on content and formatting.

Use this tool before a peer or advisor appointment to help you write your best résumé.



Interview practice to help you develop interview skills and become confident with questions.



A self-assessment tool to help you discover interests, personality traits and values, and to research career options.

Review results with our advisors and discuss how to move from education to career.



International opportunities. GoInGlobal provides an overview of the job market and application guidelines for various countries to help you plan for study/work abroad. The tool also includes an H1-B visa database for international students wishing to work in the U.S. after graduation. Don't forget to connect with the Office of Global Opportunities for guidance about going abroad.