Employer Feedback

“Employers want to know what you are bringing to the table and visualize how you will fit into the role. Make it easy for an employer by describing your experience by giving an overview of a situation you have encountered, what you specifically were tasked to do, the actions you took to solve the situation and the end results. Score bonus points with the employer by relating the experience back to the job!”

- Sadi Foltz, Internship Specialist, CEA Study Abroad

To take advantage of this feedback, make sure to answer the standard job interview behavioral and situational questionnaire, and relate your answers to the job posting’s required skills and qualifications. Practice with your career specialist in a mock interview to make sure you are effectively using the STAR method.

Student Spotlight

Celeste Montes
Integrative Studies
Memphis Teacher Residency Teacher

I wanted to apply for Memphis Teacher Residency, so I worked alongside Ayanna Perkins, my career specialist, to help me through the process of getting into the program. First, she reviewed my essays and I received feedback on them. Then, I set up mock interviews with her so I could be fully prepared for my real interviews. As a result, I got accepted to a full time position while I earn my master’s.

Thought for the Month

“Do not wait until graduation to get experience. Develop your skills through volunteer work, extracurricular activities and internships.”

Ayanna Perkins, Education Career Specialist

Upcoming Events

Mar 13 | Resume on Point Workshop | 2–4 PM | Library 225
Mar 14 | “Career-Chella” | 3–5 PM | Library 2nd Floor Commons
Mar 19 | Senior Luncheon: Memphis Campus | 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM | UC Ballroom
Mar 20 | Spring All Majors Career Fair | NOON – 4 PM | UC Ballroom
Mar 20 | Senior Luncheon: Lambuth Campus | 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM | Lambuth
Mar 27 | Health Studies Spring Career Fair | 10 AM – 1 PM | UC River Room
Mar 31 | Tiger Suit Up | 6–9 PM | JCPenney Wolfchase Galleria

Student Leadership & Professional Competencies Outcomes (SLPC)

Communication and Digital Technology

- You should effectively engage in verbal, nonverbal and written communication.
- You should demonstrate how to actively listen while communicating with others.
- You should understand how to facilitate a discussion or meeting.
- You should know how to use various forms of technology and use them to solve problems, complete tasks and achieve goals.

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