SDS 3340 Critical Ingredients in Career Interventions

The list below highlights the variety of evidence-based assignments and activities included in the SDS 3340 – Introduction to Career Development course taught at FSU broken out by the critical ingredients in career interventions identified by Brown et al., 2003.

Workbooks and written exercises

- Autobiography
- Career Thoughts Inventory Workbook activities in class
- FSU Skills Portfolio Activity
- Individual Action Plan

Individualized interpretations and feedback

- Instructor conferences
- Self-Directed Search Interpretive Report
- Career Thoughts Inventory
- Resume and Cover Letter critiquing

World-of-work information

- SIGI³ and FOCUS 2 Computer Feedback Forms
- Career Field Analysis Paper
- Career Center tour and scavenger hunt
- Information Interviews
- Self-Directed Search Occupations Finder & Interpretive Report
- Alternative Ways of Working, Dual Career Couple, & Employer panels

Modeling

- Strategic Academic/Career Plan Project
- Class lectures & small group meetings

Attention to building support

- Instructor conferences
- Information Interviews
- Alternative Ways of Working, Dual Career Couple, & Employer panels

Reference: Brown, S. D., Krane, N. E. R., Brecheisen, J., Castelino, P., Budisin, I., Miller, M., & Edens, L. (2003). Critical ingredients of career choice interventions: More analyses and new hypotheses. *Journal of Vocational Behavior, 62,* 411-428.

SDS 3340 NACE Career Readiness Competencies

The list below highlights the variety of National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE - <u>https://www.naceweb.org/career-readiness/competencies/career-readiness-defined/</u>) career readiness competencies integrated throughout this career course.

Career management

- Chapter 1: Introduction to Career Planning
- Career Center Tour & Scavenger Hunt
- Instructor Conference & Career Center Library
- Chapter 15: The First Job and Early Career Moves

Critical thinking/problem solving

- Chapter 2: Skills
- Chapter 4: Career Decision Making
- Chapter 14: Negotiating and Evaluating Job Offers

Digital technology

- Chapter 3: Knowing about my Options
- Chapter 7: Working in the New Global Economy
- Chapter 12: Job Searching on the Internet

Global/intercultural fluency

- Chapter 6: Careering in a Changing World
- Chapter 8: Organizational Culture

Leadership

- Chapter 2: Skills
- Chapter 13: Interpersonal Communications in Job Hunting

Oral/written communications

- Alternative Ways of Working, Dual Career Couple, & Employer panels
- Chapter 12: Written Communications in Job Hunting
- Chapter 13: Interpersonal Communications in Job Hunting
- Critiquing Resumes and Cover Letters

Professionalism/work ethic

- Alternative Ways of Working, Dual Career Couple, & Employer panels
- Chapter 14: Negotiating and Evaluating Job Offers
- Chapter 15: The First Job and Early Career Moves

Teamwork/collaboration

- Chapter 2: Values & Skills
- Chapter 15: The First Job and Early Career Moves