

Make the Most of Your College Experience by Connecting Within Career Goals









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My College Experience Activity





Get Involved On Campus

- Organizations and Clubs
 - Obtain leadership positions, join committees
- Sports Clubs and Intramural Teams
- Sororities or Fraternities
 - Business, law, biology, community service, multicultural
- Community Service
 - Weekend trips and events
- Student Government
- Honor Societies
- Professional Associations and Student Chapters





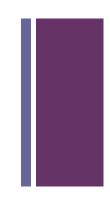






⁺Gain Experience

- Part-Time Jobs
- Internships
- Study Abroad
- Volunteer Work
- Job Shadowing
- Research Experience
- Possible undergrad thesis











*What is Networking

- Group of things that are integrated and connected together to form a whole.
- A process by which one connects and integrates friends, colleagues, family, etc. to secure their support in your job.









Network and Building Relationships

- What is networking?
- Who do you network with?
- How do you go about networking?
- What about online networking?











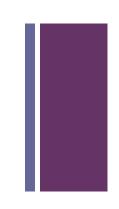
Networking Web Activity





*Who do you network with?

- Professors
- Advisors
 - Department
 - Club
- Coaches
- Fellow peers
- Employers
- Guest speakers
- Online Groups/Communities





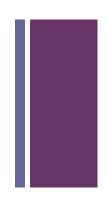






How do you go about networking?

- Face-to-face interactions
- Online presence
- E-mails
- Job Fairs
- Involvement
 - Class
 - Work
 - Organizations











Be aware of your online presence

- Be aware of Facebook
 - Make it private
 - Be aware of the groups you join
 - Be careful of the pictures you post
 - Be thoughtful of your status











Chex-Mix-Resume Analogy Activity





⁺ Final Thoughts

- What are you involved in now?
 - Will you continue?
- What new things do you want to try?
- Who do you want to meet and network with?











Questions?





We want your opinion!





