

Welcome to Salem State College **CAREER SERVICES**

The following timeline is a reminder to check in with Career Services early in your SSC experience.

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FRESHMAN/SOPHOMORE

Explore choosing a major in different career directions.

- Come to the Career Resource Center and discover what you can do with a major in ...?
- Attend the SSC Majors Fair, get first hand information about course requirements.
- Set up an appointment with a counselor to assist you with your choice of major.
- Build your resume by participating in student groups and community service activities.
- Start to explore and plan for internships and or study abroad opportunities in the future.

JUNIOR

Begin networking, choose internships to gain skills, start to establish yourself in your field.

- Attend Junior Jump-start programs.
- Gain exposure to the realities of your field (volunteer, participate in an internship, conduct research).
- Conduct informational interviews with professionals in your field.
- Meet with a counselor about career paths and options.
- Attend a Job Fair, begin to build a network and explore possible career options.
- Join a professional association related to your career direction.

SENIOR

Plan your job search strategy, register with CSO for On-Campus Recruiting & Resume Matching.

- Use CSO/Career Services On-Line to register with Career Services early in the fall.
- Establish a job search and/or graduate school application timeline strategy.
- Attend job search seminars.
- Meet with a counselor to target your job search.
- Prepare your resume and have it critiqued.
- Participate in On-Campus Recruiting.
- Check out our web page or stop by the Career Services Office to view job listings.
- Attend Job Fairs.

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