

“Employability is having a set of skills, knowledge, understanding and personal attributes that make a person more likely to choose, secure and retain occupations in which they can be satisfied and successful.”

~ Dacre Pool & Sewell
2007; 2012

University of South Carolina Employability Model

Adapted with permission from the CareerEDGE Model of
Graduate Employability (Dacre Pool & Sewell, 2007)

Whether or not a student finds employment can be impacted by factors both inside and outside the model (i.e. a downturn in the market, selection of major/degree or the range and quality of experiences gained by the student.)

