

South Carolina Honors College
Field Guide to Employment
Fall 2020 Edition

Overview

Need guidance from a professional with your career exploration and planning? Seeking resume or cover letter feedback? Interested in building relationships and expanding your professional network? Preparing for an interview or job fair? Looking for an internship? UofSC offers a variety of career resources across campus and in the South Carolina Honors College. This field guide highlights resources and upcoming events that can help you on your path to employment.

Student Services

UofSC Career Center

Serving the entire University campus

Learn more [here](#)

Darla Moore School of Business: Office of Career Management

Serving sophomores, juniors, seniors and graduate students in the Darla Moore School of Business

Learn more [here](#)

Pre-Professional Advising

Serving students interested in law, medical or other professional schools

Learn more [here](#)

Honors College Internship Team

Serving honors students interested in honors internship programs

Learn more [here](#)

Online Resources

Handshake	Big Interview	Additional Resources
Handshake is the UofSC Career Center's online career management platform. Search for positions, post resumes, sign up for on-campus interviews, find out about job fairs and events, network with employers and more. Get started at sc.joinhandshake.com/login	Practice your interview skills whenever, wherever with Big Interview. Record an unlimited amount of practice interviews and send them to employers, professors, friends and career center staff for review and feedback. Get started at sc.biginterview.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Career Shift• LinkedIn• Indeed.com• Internships.com• Internqueen.com• Usajobs.gov• Glassdoor.com• Onetonline.org• Company websites

Save the Date: Fall 2020 Virtual Events & Job Fairs

Unless otherwise noted, detailed event information and registration links can be found in [Handshake](#). It is important to note that some events are restricted to students in a specific college, school or department.

September

- 09/08 Career Day: Business Owner, featuring UofSC Alumna Kathleen Hoover
- 09/09 College of Nursing Virtual Job Fair
- 09/09 HRSM Virtual Networking, Researching, and Interviewing - Experience Expo Preparation
- 09/16 HRSM Tips & Tricks to Master a Virtual Career Fair - An Employer Perspective
- 09/17 Career Day: Accountant, featuring UofSC Alumnus Ryan Freiburger
- 09/18 CEC: Career Fair Prep - Preparing Handshake & Social Media Profiles for the Fair
- 09/18 CEC: Career Fair Prep - Maximizing Your 10-Minute Individual Employer Sessions
- 09/23 DMSB: Business EXPO
- 09/23 HRSM Ask the Expert! Last minute tips, questions and preparation for the Experience Expo
- 09/23 CEC: Career Fair Prep - Resume Reviews with Davis & Floyd
- 09/23 Career Day: Teacher, featuring UofSC Alumna Jennifer Wise
- 09/24 HRSM: Experience Expo
- 09/24 UofSC Career & Internship Virtual Fair - STEM
- 09/25 UofSC Career & Internship Virtual Fair - STEM
- 09/29 UofSC Career & Internship Virtual Fair - Corporate Careers & Beyond
- 09/29 Career Day: Restaurant Owner

October

- 10/01 UofSC Career & Internship Virtual Fair - Impact & Influence: Government, Public Service & More
- 10/07 DMSB: IMA Corporate Accounting & Finance Virtual Fair
- 10/08 Career Day: Healthcare Communications, featuring UofSC Alumna Sarah McClanahan
- 10/13 CEIA Southeast/Northeast Virtual Career Fair (CareerEco Virtual Events) - Learn more [here](#)
- 10/19 UofSC Career & Internship Virtual Fair - Health & Wellness Professions
- 10/20 Career Day: Sports Marketing, featuring UofSC Alumnus Patrick Donovan
- 10/27 UofSC Furthering Your Education Virtual Fair - Professional Health & Graduate Programs
- 10/27 DMSB: Business EXPO

Additional Events

Additional career-related events can be found in [Handshake](#) or may be advertised in other ways by your specific college, school or department. The Honors College will advertise events in the SCHC Newsletter.

Resume Resources

Your resume is a brief highlight of your education, experiences, and skills. It is designed to attract the attention of potential employers and get you to the next step in your job search - - interviewing. Find resume writing resources [here](#).

Consider scheduling an appointment with your Career Coach at [UofSC Career Center](#) or [DMSB Office of Career Management](#) for a professional critique or help in creating a high impact resume.

Search for Remote Internships

Research virtual or remote internship opportunities using the resources below:

Site	Search limits to use
Handshake	Type “remote” in search
Career Builder	Type in “telecommute” or “remote” as keyword
Chegg Internships	Use keyword search “Remote”
Glassdoor	Filter WFH or Remote turn on
Idealist	Use keyword “remote”
Indeed	COVID19 Resources
LinkedIn	Click “remote” under location on job tab
Monster	Use keyword search “Work from Home”
Student Opportunity Center	Click “Virtual & Remote Opportunities”
The muse	Type “Flexible/Remote”
WayUp	Click “View Remote Jobs”

Honors Internship Programs

HONORS INTERNSHIP COURSES

Honors Internship Courses give students the opportunity to earn academic credit for an approved internship experience. Students must have special permission from the Honors College Internship Team to enroll in an honors internship course. Learn more [here](#).

SOUTH CAROLINA SEMESTER PROGRAM

The South Carolina Semester Program (SCSP) affords students opportunities to work in state government while earning academic credit. Learn more [here](#).

Virtual Information Sessions	Application Deadline
Will be held in Spring 2021	Applications are no longer being accepted for the 2020-2021 academic year. The application deadline for the 2021-2022 academic year will be determined at a later date.

WASHINGTON SEMESTER PROGRAM

The South Carolina Washington Semester Internship Program (WSP) gives students in universities and colleges across the state of South Carolina the opportunity to spend a semester working and taking classes in Washington D.C., gaining valuable experience while earning academic credit toward their degrees. Learn more [here](#).

Virtual Information Sessions	Application Deadline for Spring 2021
September 1, 12:00-12:30pm September 8, 3:00-3:30pm September 9, 6:00-6:30pm Register for information session here	September 17 at 5:00pm EST Access the online application here

PERK UP YOUR NETWORK: HONORS INTERNSHIP COFFEE BREAKS

Attend a virtual, 30-minute coffee break with Internship Coordinator, Erica Elbery. Drop-in to ask a quick question or stay awhile for conversation and networking with others in attendance.

Friday, September 25 @ 2:00pm

Use the unique link below to join the Blackboard Collaborate Ultra session -
<https://us.bbcollab.com/guest/30d3202127c54867b2335a342b0b72e7>

Friday, October 9 @ 2:00pm

Use the unique link below to join the Blackboard Collaborate Ultra session - -
<https://us.bbcollab.com/guest/2bd7a137f519425c9dccbafa6b6d87be>

Friday, November 13 @ 2:00pm

Use the unique link below to join the Blackboard Collaborate Ultra session -
<https://us.bbcollab.com/guest/8aef07834c9a43a186e60285345b49b7>

Want to speak with a current student who has already completed an internship and earned academic credit for the experience? Let us help connect you for a face-to-face meeting or virtual conversation - with or without coffee! Contact Erica Elbery, elbery@sc.edu for more information.

VIRTUAL EVENTS

During the 2020-2021 academic year, the Honors College Internship Team will host virtual events to support students on their journey to finding an internship. Events may feature current honors students, alumni and/or special guests. As events are confirmed, they will be advertised in the SCHC Newsletter.

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