



THE CENTER FOR ACADEMIC ADVISING & CAREER ENGAGEMENT

Second Year Career Engagement Plan

- Meet with your Academic and Career Advisor
 - Begin preparing and searching in the Fall semester to plan for summer internship
 - Utilize career tools and techniques to begin developing your professional network
 - Schedule a practice interview with your Advisor during or before Spring semester
- Update professional documents and profiles
 - Include first year campus and summer experiences
 - Develop your career contacts and network
 - Utilize CUW Connect, LinkedIn, Handshake, and other recommended resources
 - Develop your [personal brand](#) and monitor your [digital footprint](#)
 - Create your [elevator pitch](#)
- Research employers and professions to identify summer internships or employment in your field of study
 - Explore Handshake for jobs and internships in your field of interest
- Career events
 - Attend career fairs, workshops and employer information sessions
 - Explore job shadow, mentoring, and networking experiences
- Continue to broaden on-campus experiences and groups
 - Consider a leadership position
 - Consider joining a professional association
- Secure an internship, job, volunteer opportunity, or service project
 - Focus on roles or experiences that allow you to use your skills, gifts and talents
- Reflect on what vocation means