



Your Career Journey Via Clarkson, U.S.A.

Freshman Year - Prepare for your journey

Take a Variety of Courses

- Explore your options for majors
- Your major should be satisfying and should utilize your strengths

Improve Study Habits/Academic Skills

- Demonstrate quality work--your GPA can enhance your career opportunities

Expand Involvements Outside Classroom

- Extracurricular activities and the demonstration of leadership qualities is looked upon favorably

Conduct a Summer Job Search

- Refer to summer job handout and see summer job files in career library
- Refer to newsletters for positions

Sophomore Year - Begin your journey now

Establish Rapport With Faculty

Consider Internship For Junior Year

- Cooperative education will provide you with work experience, contacts and will help you formulate career decisions.

Your Interest, Values & Skills

- Talk to a career counselor
- Utilize resources in career library
- Interest inventory testing
- Self Directed Search
- Myers-Briggs Type Indicator

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Junior Year - Recognize alternate routes and choose best one for you

Through our experiences you have been able to explore many options...

- Which ones do you want to explore further?
- Are there others you haven't considered?

Research/Making Contacts

- Informational interviews
- Alumni Career Assistance Program
- Attend workshops

Take the Initiative

- Plan a class project
- Improve your communication/leadership skills
- Excel academically

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Prepare For Your Senior Year

- Write your resume
- Establish consistent contact with the Career Development Center
- Seek advice from Career Counselors

Senior Year - Go

What Company is Best for you?

Which Graduate School is Best For You?

- Continue researching companies and schools
- Recruitment interviews
- Explore alternatives to on-campus interviewing
- Video-tape mock interviews
- Job trips (2nd interviews)