Career Counseling Appointments

Create an action plan and develop a career planning timeline to give your career search direction. Make an appointment with us on Handshake.

Self Assessments

Explore through assessments such as Focus 2 (career.uci.edu/focus-2-career) and learn how your interests, skills, values, and personality can help identify career paths of interest.

Research Careers

Use tools like Focus 2 (career.uci.edu/focus-2-career) and conduct informational interviews with professionals to find careers which match your interests. Check out our career panel video recordings (career.uci.edu/webinar-video-library), like our Career Discover Series, to learn from professionals in fields of interest.

Get Involved

Start getting involved in campus activities, organizations, or jobs that fit your interests. Take on leadership roles and gain experience. Join a DCP Club Affiliate, which are clubs who partner with DCP to promote professional development (career.uci.edu/resources-for-student-clubs/club-affiliates).

Test Drive a Career Field

Consider applying for an internship to gain relevant experience, network with professionals, and see what the career is like firsthand.

Prepare for the Job Market

Attend workshops (e.g. Resume, LinkedIn, Internship, Job Search, and more). Get your resume and cover letter reviewed and participate in a one-on-one practice interview.