Career Resources on Campus

Many UC offices can support your professional development. Below we’ve outlined offices and programs students often visit for academic and career support.

UNIVERSITY-WIDE
Division of Experienced-Based Learning and Career Education

The Division provides assistance throughout the entire career development process, including knowing oneself, exploring options, getting focused, and taking action. We can also help you answer the “What can I do with my major?” question, and provide experience-based learning opportunities, such as co-op, academic internships, international opportunities, service learning, UCForward, and undergraduate research, to help you get real-world experience. For assistance with creating or revising a resume, CV, cover letter, or personal statement, please visit our office during walk-in hours. To learn more about employment opportunities, we encourage you create an account in Handshake, attend a career fair, or check out our on-campus recruiting sessions with local, regional, and national employers.

Location: 7th and 8th floor, Steger Student Life Center
Website: uc.edu/careereducation
Phone: (513) 556-3471

EXPLORATORY STUDENTS
Center for Exploratory Studies

CES is the University of Cincinnati’s academic home for students who are undecided, exploring majors, or seeking admission to a competitive UC academic program. Their professional advisors are uniquely skilled to help students navigate the admission and program requirements for all undergraduate majors offered at UC. An intentional curricular structure ensures that students participate in academic exploration leading to major selection and timely graduation.

Location: 2nd floor, French Hall
Website: uc.edu/explore
Phone: (513) 556-6540
COLLEGE-SPECIFIC
Lindner College of Business Career Services

Location: Lindner Hall  
Website: business.uc.edu/career  
Phone: (513) 556-5147

Clermont College Career Services

Location: 141 Snyder  
Website: ucclermont.edu/careers  
Phone: (513) 732-5277

FIELD-SPECIFIC
Pre-Professional Advising Center

If you are in a major such as pre-pharmacy, or pursuing a career track in law or the health professions, the Pre-Professional Advising Centers collaborates with students starting in their freshman year, helping them explore their options, prepare an outstanding portfolio and then apply to professional schools.

Location: 120 University Pavilion  
Website: uc.edu/preproadvising.html  
Phone: (513) 556-2166

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES
Office of Nationally Competitive Awards

The Office of Nationally Competitive Awards serves as a resource for outstanding students who seek to compete for world-renowned and highly competitive scholarships and fellowships, such as the Boren, Fulbright, Goldwater, Marshall, Mitchell, Rhodes, Truman and Udall Scholarships. Our goal is to mentor students throughout the application process so that they can build the strongest application possible. If you are an undergraduate or graduate student seeking more information about award opportunities, please contact us at nca@uc.edu to set up an advising appointment.

Location: 709 Swift  
Website: uc.edu/nca  
Phone: 513-556-4741

Ronald E. McNair Postbaccalaureate Achievement Program

The McNair Postbaccalaureate Achievement Program assists undergraduate students in preparing for doctoral studies through various scholarly activities. Students serve as McNair Scholars and are expected to enroll in the McNair Seminar each semester through their junior year. Scholars conduct research and write a research paper during the summer between their 3rd and 4th year. The program continues to work with the student on the graduate school application process.

Website: uc.edu/mcnair  
Phone: 513-556-2723
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