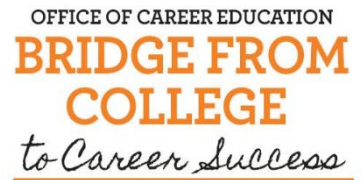


# Student Support

Browse the platforms the OCE has to offer and the different ways in which we can help you.



## OCE Services/Resources

- [Career Launchpad](#): A custom online portal where you can find all of the career-related news, advice, events, opportunities, resources, and more in one convenient place. Note: It is strongly recommended that you take a few moments to set up your email alerts to ensure you receive automated, customized alerts about new content that interests you.
- [Handshake](#): The central hub for scheduling appointments, searching job listings, finding internships, signing up for career events, and much more. All Arcadia students already have an account with their MyArcadia login information.
- Career Counseling: Individual career counseling is available by appointment. We assist students/alumni at every step in the career development process. Whether you want to explore your career interests, navigate the job search process, or apply to graduate school, our Career Educators will help. Additionally, we will help you to hone your resume, build interview techniques, & create your LinkedIn profile. Schedule your appointment with a Career Educator via [Handshake](#).
- The [e3 Career Action Plan](#) accessible at [www.arcadia.edu/track\\_e3](http://www.arcadia.edu/track_e3) is a trackable online career development plan that you can engage with via the OCE Community Canvas site to:
  - explore career options
  - enhance employability
  - develop professional skills
  - connect with employers
  - Receive incentives after completing each level
  - Earn a professional development certificate
- Career Assessments: Interest and personality assessments will help you identify your interests, skills, and personality preferences in relation to selecting a major and career decision-making. These assessments are interpreted by a Career Educator through individual career consultations. Start with [TypeFocus](#), an online assessment tool using access code "Arcadia OCE".
- Express Advising: Career Peer Advisors (CPAs) are trained in assisting students with achieving their professional goals. They can *virtually* provide students with the following career development support. Schedule your Express Advising meeting in Handshake.
  - Résumé & Cover Letter Reviews
  - LinkedIn Profile Tips
  - Handshake Tutorials
  - Internship & Job Search Strategies
  - Tutorials on e3 & OCE's Canvas Community

- Strategic Career Planning: Students may participate in a 2-credit course called [ID125: Strategic Career Planning](#). This course meets over 7 weeks and is open to all class years/majors.
- Career Events: We deliver distinct [career events](#) to support Arcadia students and alumni in their career and professional development each semester. These events are hosted either on campus or virtually through platforms, such as Handshake, Zoom, and Brazen.
- Practice Interviews: Improve your ability to discuss your skills in a professional setting through a practice interview with a Career Educator, scheduled through Handshake. We also offer online simulations through [Big Interview](#).
- Career Resources: Engage with wealth of career and professional advice and resources including [Vault](#) (online career library), as well as checking out our [Canvas Community page](#).
- Internships and Jobs: [Internships](#) are essential to the Arcadia experience and are consistently rated among the top criteria employers seek in recent college graduates. We support students in finding and successfully obtaining internships across a diverse range of industries. We also connect job seekers to entry-level and experienced jobs. Search for positions, share your resume with employers, in [Handshake](#) under the “Jobs” tab.
- Employer and Career Connections: Employers connect with our campus to share industry-specific information, employment, and internship opportunities. We facilitate employer connections through classroom presentations, virtual networking events, and career fairs. Sign-up for employer networking events and fairs through [Handshake](#).