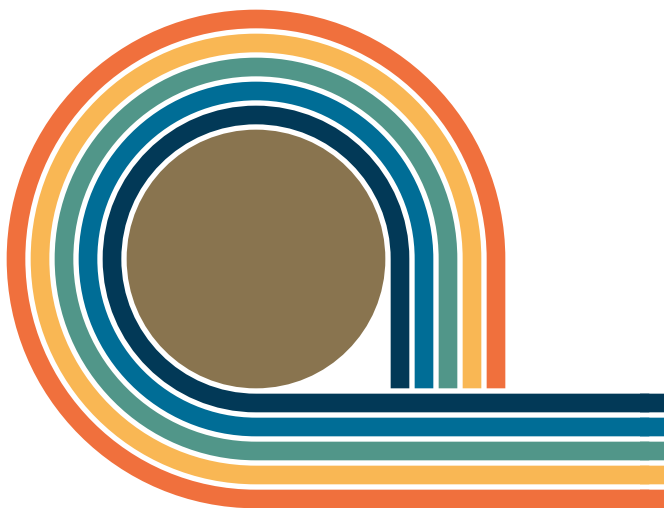


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# CAREER ROADMAP



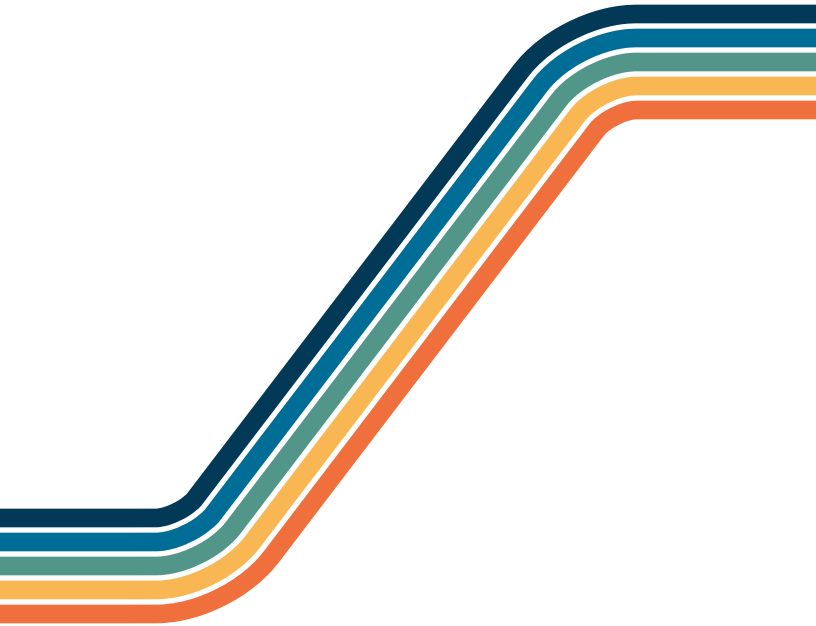




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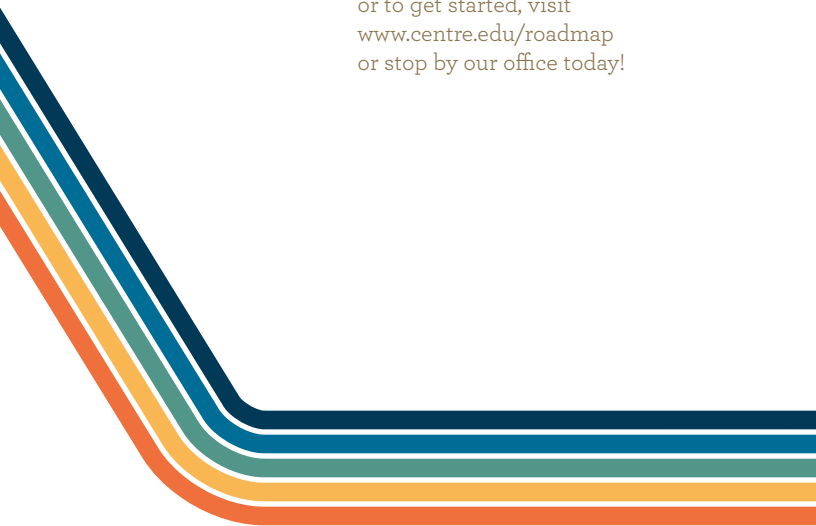
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**The Center for Career & Professional Development is committed to helping you navigate the journey from college student to professional life.**

This Career Roadmap is a four-year guide that will help you learn about yourself, explore career options, gain experience and put you on the path to career success. We recognize that everyone begins their career journey at different places, so we encourage you to work with your career counselor, who can guide you through this roadmap. For more information or to get started, visit [www.centre.edu/roadmap](http://www.centre.edu/roadmap) or stop by our office today!



# FIRST YEAR



Fill out profile in  
CentreWorks.



Attend Extended  
Orientation.



Turn your high  
school resumé into  
a college resumé.



**Explore options and learn more about yourself.** Visit the Center for Career & Professional Development to explore your values, interests, abilities (self-assessments) and possible majors.



**Get involved on campus by joining a student organization.**



# SOPHOMORE



**Explore career fields.** Use the Career Mentor Directory and other on-line resources to explore possible career fields.



**Update and refine your resumé.**



Meet with your counselor to explore your options and develop preliminary career goals.



Attend Center for Career & Professional Development events and programs such as Career Chats and Emerging Professionals series.



**Engage in experiential opportunities.** Begin to gain experience through participation in a summer internship, study abroad, undergraduate research, service learning, and/or student leadership. If participating in an internship, explore internship funding options.



# JUNIOR



**Create a LinkedIn profile.** Stop by the Center for Career & Professional Development for a professional profile picture and to learn more about networking. Use LinkedIn to network and to research employers.



**If considering graduate school, begin researching programs and studying for graduate exams.**



**Participate in an internship or research experience.** Gain relevant experience by participating in an academic-credit semester-long internship, a summer internship, or research experience.



**Attend Center for Career & Professional Development events and programs such as Career Chats and Emerging Professionals series.**



**Meet with your counselor to further refine your career goals.**

# SENIOR



## **Refine your interview skills.**

Meet with your career counselor to talk about interview preparation and conduct a mock interview in the Center for Career & Professional Development.

**Attend Spotlight Career Fair and on-campus interviews.**



**Develop your job search plan.** Create a plan to target employers, network, hone your interviewing skills, and successfully apply for jobs.



**Attend Senior Celebration and other Center for Career & Professional Development events.**



**Complete the Senior Survey at the end of the school year.**

**Update and customize your resumé.**



**If applicable, finalize your graduate school application.** A successful graduate school application process includes taking the appropriate entrance exam(s), having your personal statement(s) reviewed by your career counselor and any appropriate advisors/faculty, and securing letters of recommendation.



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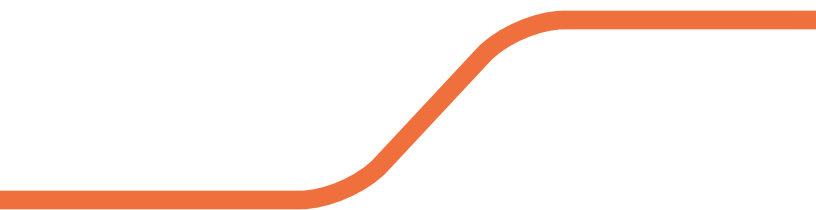
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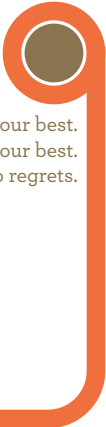
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Do your best.  
Be your best.  
No regrets.