

Employer Relations Newsletter

UCF Career Services - Summer 2024

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OUR MISSION

UCF is a public research university invested in unleashing the potential within every individual, enriching the human experience through inclusion, discovery and innovation, and propelling broad-based prosperity for the many communities we serve.

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Why Recruit at UCF

UCF is an emerging preeminent research university located in metropolitan Orlando, one of the most popular regions in the world. With more than 68,000 students, UCF is one of the largest universities in the nation.

UCF is the largest university by enrollment in Florida with over **68,000** students

UCF offers 240 degree programs across 13 different colleges

UCF is proud to be a Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) with a **28.2%** Hispanic student population

More than **20%** of UCF students are first-generation college students

49.1% of UCF's students are a member of a traditionally underrepresented group

Ways to Connect

On Campus

- Communicate with your liaison to reserve a space
- Submit your request at least 2 weeks prior on Handshake
- Requests for spaces are available Monday-Friday between 9am 4:30pm

Virtual

- Advertise your company hosted events through Handshake
- Be sure to provide an RSVP or a direct link to join (Zoom, Teams, etc.)
- Contact your liaison for ideas on how to market your events

Click Here For Additional Instructions

Requesting Events on Handshake

- Log in and click on Events
- Click on Request Events
- Fill in event details and be specific
- Click Request Event to submit your event

All requests are reviewed by the Career Services team before being displayed to students. Once approved, you will receive a confirmation from Handshake. For on-campus events, you will receive a confirmation that includes details such as location, a campus map, and parking information.

Please note: Priority will be given to Career Services Sponsors

What's Your Strategy?



Recruiting events are subject to availability and must be requested via Handshake at least 2 weeks in advance. Please contact your liaison or CSRecruit@ucf.edu with questions.

Lunch & Learn

Speak directly to students about open positions, company culture, industry insights, and more. We recommend scheduling during lunch and bringing along the #1 student attention getter:

Food!

Tabling

Coordinate with us to set up a table in a high-traffic area for the students you are looking to recruit. Bring giveaways, business cards, and other items to garner interest in your company.

On-Campus Interviews

Coordinate interviews for open positions within your organization by scheduling interviews right on campus! This benefits student by eliminating a common hurdle: **Transportation**.

Workshops

Give back to students by presenting on career readiness topics (e.g. Salary Negotiations or Interviewing Strategies) while giving an overview of what your organization looks for in potential candidates.

Florida Career Centers Presents

JOB FAIR

Meet employers recruiting students and alumni for full-time and part-time professional opportunities.

May 16, 2024 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Virtual | Symplicity

Florida Statewide Job Fair

Recruit for full-time and part-time positions at the Florida Career Centers Statewide Job Fair. This event is open to students and alumni from Florida public universities. Registration for this event is open and will remain open until the day the event is hosted*.

• **Date**: May 16, 2024

• **Time:** 9:00am – 4:00pm

• Format: Virtual

Learn more about the Symplicity Virtual
 Career Fair System here

Click here to register

EMPLOYER SUCCESS SERIES

SUMMER 2024

Join UCF Career Services for college-specific recruitment strategies. Learn how to maximize your recruitment efforts via the Handshake platform and improve your visibility & branding across the campus. Join us for one session or multiple depending on your interests and recruitment needs.

Registration is available by clicking the title of the session you are interested in attending (below)

JUNE 20TH, 2024



BUSINESS

Key Majors:
Accounting, Finance,
Marketing,
Management,
Economics, Real Estate,
Integrated Business,
Entrepreneurship

JUNE 27TH, 2024



EDUCATION & ARTS

Key Majors:
Education, Criminal
Justice, Public Admin,
Nonprofit Management,
Visual Arts, Music,
English, History,
Philosophy, Theatre

JULY 11TH, 2024



HEALTH

Key Majors:
Nursing, Biomedical,
Communication
Sciences & Disorders,
Health Sciences,
Kinesiology, Biology,
Chemistry, Psychology

JULY 25TH, 2024



ENGINEERING & SCIENCE

Key Majors:
Engineering (All
Disciplines), Computer
Science, IT, Data
Science, Physics,
Mathematics, Optics,
Photonics

AUGUST 8TH, 2024



GENERAL

All Colleges & Majors

Questions? Contact:

CSRecruit@ucf.edu



Become an Employer Sponsor!

Increase your presence on campus and show your support by becoming a Career Services sponsor.



Priority Invitation To Events



Intentional Student Engagement



Enhanced Brand Visibility



Leave a Lasting Impression





Career Services

Benefits

- **Recruitment Support:** Targeted recruitment support along with introduction to key faculty.
- Student Newsletter Promotion: Company spotlight in a campus wide newsletter to all students.
- Company Logo on Website: Logo on Career Services website, T-shirts, Department Monitors and Career Expo.
- **Sponsorship Benefit Term:** August 1, 2024 July 31, 2025

Sponsorship Tiers

- **Pegasus** \$10,000
- **Knightro -** \$7,000
- Excalibur \$4,000

Questions?

For questions regarding payment deadlines or to schedule a consultation, please contact CSRecruit@ucf.edu

Resources

Career.ucf.edu

Find resources for building a presence on campus, employer FAQ's, and the most up to date info on UCF Career Services.

Knight Connect

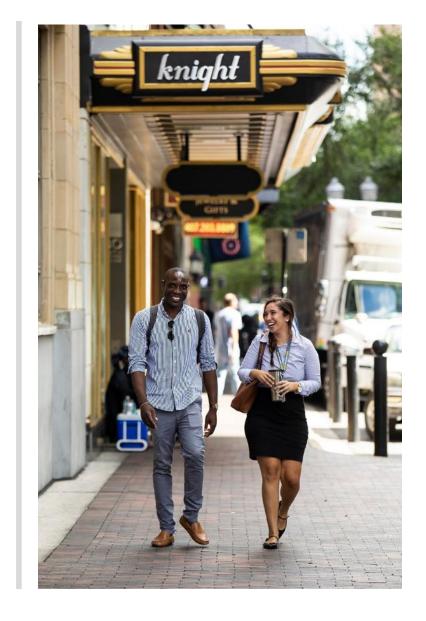
View a directory of registered student organizations at UCF and discover groups based on your target population.

Handshake Help Center

Become familiar with all the features handshake has to offer through helpful articles and detailed tutorials.

Handshake Employer Blog

Be part of Handshake's Employer Network by participating in strategic conversations on recruiting through Handshake.



Thank you for considering **UCF Knights** for your hiring needs! **UCF** Career Services