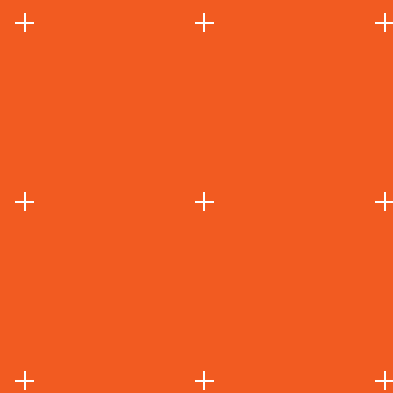


Across the country, many college students visit their career center only once — or not at all.

With Cascades Edge, we bring career development to you. Built into your coursework. Every single term. So you'll know you are on the right path, and have the tools to get there.

Your future is our #1 priority.



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CASCADES EDGE

CAREER
DEVELOPMENT

EVERY.

SINGLE.

TERM.

THIS IS YOUR CAREER ADVANTAGE

- > Gain confidence in your career path.
- > Get professional experience before you graduate.
- > Build a stronger resume and sharpen your interviewing skills.
- > Earn professional skill badges to show employers.



EXPLORE IT

ENSURE YOU'RE ON THE RIGHT PATH



Cascades Edge starts your very first term. Whether you are passionate about your major or still undecided, we'll work with you to explore your strengths, values and interests — and how they relate to different career paths.

You will:

- Identify issues important to you.
- Hear from professionals and OSU alumni.
- Explore student clubs and local organizations in your field.
- Conduct informational interviews.

DESIGN IT

YOUR PLAN HELPS YOU REACH YOUR GOALS



You'll create an action plan to help you stay focused and reach your career goals. You'll analyze how your chosen career relates to your financial goals. Your action plan stays with you all four years. Refine it as you grow!

You will:

- Create a mission statement.
- Design a personal action plan.
- Define what success looks like to you.
- Work with academic and career advisors.

LAND IT

GAIN EXPERIENCE AND MAKE CONNECTIONS



Get the edge you need to land a great job after graduation. Every term, you'll pursue professional development activities that align with your action plan and give you a career advantage.

You will:

- Get to know employers through job shadowing and guest lectures.
- Participate in internships, research and other experiential learning.
- Build a stronger resume and practice interviewing skills.
- Attend career fairs and networking events.

EARN PROFESSIONAL SKILL BADGES

As you work through Cascades Edge, you'll earn professional badges for skills that employers demand. Add the digital badges to your resume and LinkedIn profile for potential employers to see!



Career & Self Development



Communication



Critical Thinking



Equity & Inclusion



Financial Literacy



Leadership



Professionalism



Teamwork



Technology

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