

# Get Career Ready

**It's never too soon to start planning your life after college. We have collected a list of suggested activities and/or goals to complete throughout your college career. These activities will help you get a head start on career success.**

## Explore

- Attend the Student Activities Fair during Welcome Week.
- Follow **@ThomasMoreICG** on Instagram, Twitter, & Facebook.
- Utilize free Peer Tutoring at the Institute for Academic Excellence (IAE).
- Join clubs and organizations.
- Volunteer for organizations that inspire you.
- Apply for student employment on campus.
- Start a resume. Meet with ICG Staff for help or check out [bit.ly/lcgResources](http://bit.ly/lcgResources).
- Take career assessments through **Focus2Career**.
- Meet with your advisors and faculty for career exploration.
- Attend the Career & Internship Fair.

## Experience

- Participate in ICG Workshops throughout the year.
- Make a plan to fulfill your **Experiential Learning Requirement**.
- Seek out leadership positions in student organizations and clubs.
- Job shadow an individual in a career that interests you.
- Clean up and secure your social media accounts.
- Schedule an appointment to have the ICG review your resume.
- Practice mock interviews in the ICG Studio.
- Attend campus events and fairs to learn about companies and opportunities.
- Research Graduate School options and requirements.
- Write an elevator pitch to use at networking events.
- Create a LinkedIn page and connect with coworkers.
- Attend networking events.
- Conduct informational interviews with people who have jobs that interest you.
- Hold a part time job: Campus work study jobs are excellent office experience.

## Excel

- Tailoring your resume for your professional career.
- Join a professional networking association in your career field.
- Take the GRE, GMAT, LSAT, or MCAT.
- Apply for Graduate Schools.
- Check out Interview Tips on [tmuky.us/icg](http://tmuky.us/icg).
- Research companies/organizations in your career field.
- Follow companies of interest on LinkedIn.
- Create a list of professional references.
- Request letters of recommendation from faculty and supervisors.
- Attend career fairs with your prepared elevator pitch.
- Sign up for the Mock Interview Competition.
- Obtain an internship (or several) in a career field of interest.

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### ICG Website

[bit.ly/ThomasmoreICG](http://bit.ly/ThomasmoreICG)

### Career Resources

[bit.ly/lcgResources](http://bit.ly/lcgResources)

### Handshake

[ThomasMore.JoinHandshake.com](http://ThomasMore.JoinHandshake.com)

### ICG Email

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Schedule an individual appointment with the ICG Staff. Head over to [ThomasMore.JoinHandshake.com](http://ThomasMore.JoinHandshake.com).

Log In with your MyTMU credentials. Click Career Center, then Appointments. Follow the prompts to schedule your appointment.



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