



CAREER
CONNECTIONS

A PROGRAM OF THE DREAM.US

Your Guide to Launching Your Career

CAREER READINESS

NETWORKING

OPPORTUNITIES



All Four Years



- Learn techniques to help manage your mental health and wellness
- Be informed about immigration laws and policies, options to adjust your status and employment rights

Freshman

Identify interests
and explore majors
and careers

- Build a network of supporters on campus
- Create your [LinkedIn](#) profile and list your college and [TheDream.US](#) under Education
- Learn about your aptitudes and interests and explore majors and careers that interest you
- Join a campus club or volunteer in a career field that interests you

Sophomore

Build your network and create your career toolkit

- Choose your major and take courses in major
- Create a Career Toolkit that includes your personal brand, resume, LinkedIn profile, and elevator pitch
- Expand your network to include professionals in your fields of interest
- Secure an internship or career development opportunity
- Meet your Partner College's Career Services Advisor

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Junior

Gain experience,
build your network,
and know your
career options

- Learn about career pathways available to you
(with and without work authorization)
- Continue to expand your professional
network
- Learn how to apply and interview for jobs and
internships and navigate your immigration
status
- Secure an internship or career development
opportunity
- Prepare for graduate school tests
(if pursuing graduate degree)

Senior

Graduate and launch your career

- Develop and implement a plan for job search or creating a business
- Leverage your professional network in your career search
- Celebrate college graduation

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Alumni

Stay connected
and pay it forward

- Join [TheDream.US](#) Alumni Network
- Support and mentor TheDream.US Scholars or serve in your community
- Inform TheDream.US about you career and service