

Career Services Merit Fellow

A group of prestigious graduates who have completed career development activities designed to enhance professionalism, employer engagement, and educational experience to enable career success.

Criteria:

Program requirements (all boxes must be checked and verified by a Career Services staff member)

- A 3.0 cumulative GPA (as of the semester prior to graduation)
- Activate your Bears4Hire profile and upload a current resume
- Have a Resume Review by a Career Services staff member

Students must complete **ONE** activity related to first 3 categories and **TWO** activities related to the last category.

Participation in at least TWO on-campus interviews can replace ONE category. _____ Interview 1 ; _____ Interview 2

Category I Career Fairs (choose ONE):

- __ Teacher's Fair: **February 25, 2022**
- __ Spring Job Fair: **March 2, 2022**
- __ Nursing Job Fair: **January 19, 2022**
- __ STEM Career/Grad School Fair: **October 12, 2022**
- __ Health Career Fair: **October 26, 2022**
- __ Fall Career Fair: **November 2, 2022**

Category II Dress for Success Category (choose ONE):

- __ Visit WOW Closet (no appointment needed): **Monday – Thursday; 12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.; call: 450-3134**
- __ LinkedIn Professional Photo Days: **February 8th-10th; October 4-6**
- __ Dress for Success Panel: **February 1st**
- __ Online Dress for Success Module (online): <https://uca.edu/career/files/2020/06/Dressing-for-Success.pdf>

Category III Success Programs Category (choose ONE):

- __ IT Career Connection: **September 13th**
- __ Career Connection: **September 14th**
- __ Career Links (virtual): **November 17th**
- __ Countdown to Graduation (online): **November 14- December 1**
- __ Internship Banquet: **March 8th**
- __ LinkedIn Success (online): <https://forms.gle/z3j95uayQUFuu2qu6>

Category IV Professional Development Category (choose TWO):

- __ Step Ahead Student Worker Training (online; student workers ONLY): <https://uca.edu/career/student-worker-training/>
- __ Nursing Workshop/Mock Interview (nursing majors ONLY): **September & November**
- __ Teachers Presentation (education majors ONLY): **Spring & Fall**
- __ LatinX Professionals Panel (virtual): **September**
- __ Resume Workshop: **February 22nd & 23rd; October 10th & 11th**
- __ LinkedIn Workshop: **February 22nd; October 10th**
- __ How to Use Career Services Workshop: **February 23rd; October 11th & 13th**
- __ Power Skills for the Workplace Workshop: **February 23rd & 24th; October 11th & 13th**
- __ How to Network Workshop: **February 24th; October 13th**
- __ How to Work a Career Fair Workshop: **February 22nd; October 10th & 13th**
- __ Participate in Dine with Style Professional Etiquette (TBD virtual or in person): **March 3rd**
- __ Internship, Student Teaching, or Clinical Hours: <https://forms.gle/1UyynqHk36Kvsc3B9>
- __ Listen to Noteworthy Networks: A UCA Career Services Podcast: <https://forms.gle/SLP9AAP4tboKRjF36>
- __ Online Mock Interview (online): <https://uca.edu/career/interviewpractice/> **Submitting an Assignment**

Instructions: <https://uca.edu/career/files/2021/05/Big-Interview-Directions.pdf>