

Happy Fall, Maroons!

The semester is well under way, midterms are almost here - and so are career opportunities. In this busy season, be sure to make time for yourself and your goals.

Here are 3 easy things you can do this week to make sure you're reaching your professional/career goals:

<u>Set aside 1-3 hours/week dedicated to your professional pursuits.</u> Literally, schedule this. Whether that's updating your resume and LinkedIn, scheduling an advising appointment with PLACE, or catching up with your networking contacts - it will only happen if you are *consistent and persistent*.

Register for the Fall Fair Playbook: How to Stand Out, Show Up & Shine Tactic and Fall Job & Internship Fair.

Prepare by attending and registering for these events through Handshake.

Make sure you are confident with your resume. Review The Career Planning Guide (resume section), work on some edits, and schedule an advising appointment in Handshake with a Career Coach in PLACE to review together. You'll be ready for anything with a good resume!

Join us on LinkedIn at the PLACE group for exclusive job & internship opportunities

Fall Job & Internship Career Fair

Make plans to join us for the Fall Job & Internship Fair on Oct 2!

Meet and network with a variety of local and regional employers looking for talented Maroons like you! Register in Handshake for exclusive access to the list of companies attending and to enter to win a *Fall Into Your Career* prize pack.

Thursday, October 2, 2025

(\$\) 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Colket Center

Mark Your Calendars - Upcoming career events

Fall Fair Playbook: How to Stand Out, Show Up & Shine

Thurs, Sept 30 | 12-1pm | President's Dining Room (Colket)

Grab your lunch and let's get ready for Thursday, Oct 2nd's Fall Job and Internship Fair by ensuring your resume and introduction are on point! Register with link above.

Finding Opportunity in Uncertainty: Job Search tips from RC Alumni

Tues, Oct 21 | 5:30-6:30pm | President's Dining Room (Colket)

Come chat with RC alumni who graduated during the Great Recession - they'll be sharing job search tips and how to successfully navigate a search during an uncertain economy. If things feel tough, learn from others. Find community among RC alumni and your peers.

Hot Opportunities in Handshake

Finance Summer Analyst Program (Baltimore)

Morgan Stanley

*closes 9/26

<u>Human Resources Summer Analyst Program</u>

Morgan Stanley - NYC

*closes 9/26

Summer Internship - Brand Activation, Sponsorships and Events

UBS - NYC

*closes 10/1

<u>Summer Internship – Communications & Branding</u>

UBS - NYC

*closes 10/1

Financial Analyst

Carilion Clinic - Roanoke, VA

*closes 10/2

Entry-Level Civil Engineer

AECOM - Roanoke, VA

*closes 10/3

Accounting & Finance Rotation Program Internship

The Walt Disney Company - Burbank, CA; Orlando, FL; Bristol, CT

*closes 10/3

Looking for on-campus jobs? Search Handshake for "Roanoke College Student Experience"

2025-2026 Career Planning Guide

<u>The Career Planning Guide</u> is your 24/7, one-stop shop with everything you need for your career journey, including:

- Resume checklist and examples (including CVs)
- Networking tips and resources
- Essential strategies for navigating your job & internship search

Download the PDF for quick access and easy reference!

Big Interview: on-demand interview practice!

Get ahead of the game and start practicing (or refining) your interview skills with <u>Big</u> <u>Interview</u> - your all-in-one practice tool to crush interviews. You can learn **insider tips**, **watch short lessons**, **and record yourself answering real interview questions** - then get instant feedback to keep improving. It's like a personal coach that helps you feel confident, polished, and ready to land the job. Couple this with a 1:1 career advising appointment and you'll be ready for any interview!

HOW TO ACCESS BIG INTERVIEW

- 1: Go to https://roanoke.biginterview.com/ and click "LOGIN"
- 2: Enter your Roanoke College credentials
- 3: Start using Big Interview (a good place to start is with the "Practice Sets")

Schedule a "Mock Interview" appointment with PLACE and send us your video

The Forage

<u>Forage</u> is a great way to build career skills and get ahead. Forage provides free, online virtual experience programs created by Fortune 500 companies and leading employers

such as EY, J.P. Morgan, Accenture, The National Guard and Bank of America to provide you with the insights and skills you need to succeed in your job search.

These Career Quizzes are also available to help identify potential career paths:

Forage General Career Quiz

Forage STEM Careers Quiz

Forage Business Careers Quiz

Forage Creative Careers Quiz

This is a third-party platform not supported by Roanoke College, and you should review the data collection statement on the landing page prior to joining. You can opt out of sharing your details with any of the firms whose projects you complete. Let us know if you have questions as you explore opportunities and <u>schedule an appointment</u> with PLACE to incorporate your completed projects into your resume.

Meet with a Career Coach:

Schedule an appointment in Handshake (in-person, virtually, or via phone)

Need a quiet space for an interview?

<u>Contact us</u> to reserve the Sunporch or Studio!

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