



## ROANOKE COLLEGE Education Pathways & Graduate School Fair

COLKET CENTER | March 24, 2026  
11am-1pm

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### Save the Date for the Education Pathways & Graduate School Fair

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Are you considering graduate school, or interested in teaching careers?

Make plans to join PLACE and talk with representatives from various graduate schools and K-12 schools on March 24. They will be on-campus sharing information about their graduate programs and opportunities for K-12 teaching positions. [Register today on Handshake](#) to get the latest updates.

[Schedule an advising appointment in Handshake](#) with a Career Coach in PLACE



## Seniors: let us know what you're doing post-graduation!

Don't forget to [tell us what you're doing by completing the First Destination Survey!](#) This helps us understand your plans and allows us to better support you and future Roanoke classes. And the best part? It only takes a few minutes.

## Mark Your Calendars - Upcoming career events

### Networking Night - Engineering Connections & Conversations

Wed, March 18 | 5:30-7pm

Olin - Smoyer Gallery

[Register in Handshake](#)

**\*Your registration in Handshake signals your commitment to attend**

Are you curious about engineering and want to know what engineers actually *do* day to day? Want to get more comfortable introducing yourself to professionals?

Join PLACE and the Engineering Science Department for **Networking Night: Engineering Connections & Careers** — an interactive, low-pressure event designed specifically for you to explore engineering-related fields.

Connect with engineering professionals and Roanoke College alumni working in the industry. At this event, you will:

- Practice introducing yourself and building networking confidence
- Ask honest questions about majors, internships, and career paths
- Learn what employers look for in students and early-career professionals
- Make connections that could turn into mentors, internship leads, or future job opportunities

*Whether you're a first-year student just exploring or a senior preparing to launch your career, this is a great opportunity to take a meaningful next step!*

### International Maroons in the U.S.

Join a panel of Roanoke College alumni who successfully transitioned from international student status to employment in the U.S. They are excited to share honest experiences of their career journeys and lessons learned. Topics include navigating the U.S. job search, researching sponsorship-friendly employers, and adjusting to professional norms in the workplace. This panel focuses on lived experiences and career strategy, rather than legal counsel.

[Register in Handshake](#)

Thursday, March 19 | 12-1 pm

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## Hot Opportunities in Handshake

### Appalachian Service Project

[Non-Profit Project Manager - Summer 2026 Internship](#)

*\*Application deadline March 11*

### Roanoke City Public Schools

[K-12 Teachers](#): elementary, middle and high school positions open

*\*Application deadline March 17*

### Oracle

[Undergrad Software Engineer - Database Technologies](#) (entry-level role; Redwood City, CA)

*\*Application deadline March 21*

### Sister Cities International

[Summer Interns](#) - hiring for 3 roles:

1: Membership & Donor Management

2: Marketing & Design

3: Administrative & Program Support

onsite in Washington, DC

International students encouraged to apply

*\*Application deadline March 21*

### Blue Ridge Behavioral Healthcare

[Support Coordinator Team Lead](#) (full-time; Roanoke, VA)

*\*Application deadline March 22*

### Mosaic Pediatric Therapy

[Behavioral Analyst in Training](#) (full-time; Charlotte & Raleigh, NC)

*\*Application deadline March 22*

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

## Exclusive Opportunities from the PLACE LinkedIn group

**Carilion Clinic - Summer Internship Program** (all internships accepting applications!). Offering hands-on experience in both clinical and non-clinical roles across Carilion.

*Applications: March 1 - 16*

Flexible schedules

Explore opportunities by going to [CarilionClinic.org/careers](#) and searching "summer internships" to find all available opportunities!

**Montgomery County Planning and GIS Services Department** is seeking an energetic, team-oriented **Planner I**

*Applications due March 19 (review begins March 20)*

Great opportunity for someone looking to kickstart their planning career

To learn more and apply, visit [www.montva.com/jobs](#)

**Valley Star Credit Union - Finance & Capital Markets Intern** (Summer 2026, Rocky Mount, VA)

*Applications: apply ASAP*

Great opportunity for students interested in banking, financial markets, corporate finance, or risk management within a cooperative financial institution

[Apply here](#)

**Atlantic Union Bank - Solutions Banking Summer Intern** (Glen Allen, VA)

*Applications: apply ASAP*

Gain hands-on experience, project work and an introduction into internal auditing

[Apply here](#)

**Scott Insurance - Account Management Intern - Employee Benefits Division**

Headquartered in Lynchburg, VA | 9 Locations Across the Southeast

Program Duration: May 26 - August 7, 2026

Week of July 4th Off!

As an intern, you'll gain exposure to:

- Maintaining strong client relationships
- Supporting account managers with open enrollment requirements and service needs
- Learning the foundations of employee benefits administration

[Apply ASAP here](#)

Join us on LinkedIn at the [PLACE group](#) for more exclusive job & internship opportunities

## 2025-2026 Career Planning Guide

**The Career Planning Guide** 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 **Big Interview** - 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

**Forage** 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 Careers Quiz](#)

[Forage STEM Careers Quiz](#)

[Forage Business Careers Quiz](#)

[Forage Creative Careers Quiz](#)

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### Meet with a Career Coach:

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

### Need a quiet space for an interview?

[Contact us](#) to reserve the Sunporch or Studio!

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