



## THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES CENTER FOR CAREER AND PROFESSIONAL SUCCESS

At the College of Arts and Sciences, we believe our students deserve every opportunity to pursue their passions. That's why we're reimagining our career and professional development services, to ensure that we continue to meet the evolving needs and expectations of 21st century students.

**Our vision is for College of Arts and Sciences students to be skilled, supported and empowered as they prepare for their future careers.**

In autumn 2017, our former Office of Career Services re-engineered its vision and programs to become the College of Arts and Sciences Center for Career and Professional Success. The center helps Buckeyes as they explore various pathways and design their lifetime of opportunity.

To position students competitively, and help them build a strong network, the center galvanizes a cohort of engaged professionals including alumni, employers, industry experts and the Ohio State campus community.

Now, we invite you to join us as we help our students prepare for their professional lives. Please consider a gift to the Center for Career and Professional Success.

Your gift will help the college expand meaningful relationships between students and employers, and give our undergraduates and graduates the resources they need to succeed in their careers.

**Your generosity today will prepare our students for professional success tomorrow.**

## **\$2 MILLION TO PROVIDE FOUNDATIONAL SUPPORT FOR STUDENT CAREER DEVELOPMENT**

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**\$1 MILLION**

### **SPONSOR UNPAID EXPERIENCES**

Reduce financial barriers and support students in pursuit of a wide range of experiential opportunities, such as fellowships, unpaid internships, research and more.

**\$500,000**

### **SEND STUDENTS ON CAREER TREKS**

Five times each year, the center brings cohorts of students to popular cities that house Fortune 500 organizations. Locations include Los Angeles, New York, Washington, Chicago and Houston.

**\$250,000**

### **PROVIDE JOB SHADOWING / EXTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

Connecting our alumni and students is essential. Job shadowing occurs in various locations and in partnership with arts and sciences alumni.

**\$150,000**

### **SUPPORT DIVERSITY**

The college aims to create programs to support transfer and first-generation students, female students in traditionally male-dominated fields, and underrepresented minorities in STEM fields.

**\$100,000**

### **FUND CAREER AND PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES**

Conferences could include industries and topics such as STEM, business, pre-medicine, entrepreneurship, big data, and/or government and nonprofits.

**To learn more and discuss these opportunities, please contact:**

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**"THE CENTER DOES AN AMAZING JOB setting up opportunities to network with alumni and professionals. I have made dozens of connections, which have helped me land internship offers and progress in my career."**

**—Casey Sudzina, Class of 2018  
Strategic Communications**





**STEPHANIE NNADI, CLASS OF 2019**  
**Political Science, Psychology (majors)**  
**Criminology (minor)**

"My internship gave me a deeper understanding and appreciation for my field. Experiences like this are beneficial to all students. Paid positions would encourage more individuals to take their learning outside the classroom."



**MARISSA SMITHINSKY, CLASS OF 2019**  
**International Relations and Diplomacy, French (majors)**  
**Human Rights (minor)**

"My internship helped me become a leader. It showed me that I can help others. Unfortunately not all employers recognize the dedication that goes into unpaid internships. A paid experience would help students like me prove we are qualified and ready to work."



**AZRIEL KRONGAUZ, CLASS OF 2020**  
**Master of Applied Statistics**

"The externship was well worth my time. It helped me understand [the company's] business, gave me insight into what data scientists do there, introduced me to the company culture, and helped me make connections. I will definitely keep an eye open for future externship events at other companies that I'm interested in."



**ABBEY TURNER, CLASS OF 2019**  
**Bachelor of Fine Arts (major), Photography (focus)**

"The career event I attended was inspirational. Meeting with local Columbus entrepreneurs gave me insight on the triumphs and struggles of being a small business owner. This event gave me the confidence that the entrepreneurial path is the one I am excited and ready to take after graduation."

**To learn how you can support our hardworking and talented students, please contact:**

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