

# CAREER DEVELOPMENT FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

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**Start early and explore what is available.** Career development resources for graduate students are decentralized. You can start by having regular conversations with your advisor and by taking advantage of events and resources offered by your home graduate program and college. The Graduate School and other offices offer the following programs and resources that are open to all students.

## Bill and Susan Lhota Office of Alumni Career Management

<http://www.ohiostatealumni.org/resources/careers/Pages/default.aspx>

Virtual and face-to-face career counseling, networking, and career events for all Ohio State alumni.

## Buckeye Careers—Office of Student Life

<http://careers.osu.edu/>

University-wide online resource connecting Ohio State students with jobs, internships, co-ops, and career development resources.

## Career Counseling and Support Services—Office of Student Life

<http://careerconnection.osu.edu/graduate-professional-students/>

In-person consultations and online information about job and internship searches, CV/resume writing, interviewing, and more.

## Council of Graduate Students

<http://www.cgs.osu.edu/>

Get involved with graduate student government, access CGS travel and career development grant, and participate in the annual Hayes Graduate Research Forum, sponsored by CGS, the Graduate School, and the Office of Research.

## Graduate Minors & Interdisciplinary Specializations

<http://www.gradsch.ohio-state.edu/graduate-interdisciplinary-specializations.html>

Add another credential or explore another interest through low credit hour graduate minors and interdisciplinary specializations. Over 50 options available, including College and University Teaching, Applied Software Engineering, Quantitative Research Methods, Literacy Studies, and more.

## Office of International Affairs

<http://oia.osu.edu/>

Information and immigration advising for international students and grant programs for graduate students who need to travel internationally for research.

## Ohio Union Activities Board Graduate/Professional Committee

[http://ouab.osu.edu/grad\\_prof](http://ouab.osu.edu/grad_prof)

Workshops and events related to graduate student career development and other social and family-friendly programs.

## Preparing Future Faculty Program

<http://www.gradsch.ohio-state.edu/preparing-future-faculty-program.html>

Learn more about faculty careers at liberal arts colleges and smaller universities. Features mentorships with faculty at partner institutions. Offered by the Graduate School.

## Research Commons—University Libraries

<https://library.osu.edu/researchcommons/>

The Research Commons is both a space and a suite of services to support researchers, especially graduate students, at Ohio State. Educational and training workshops, referrals to other research support services across campus, and consultations with expert partners.

## Scarlet and Gray Financial Coaching

<http://swc.osu.edu/financial-education-coaching/>

Getting a graduate degree is expensive and graduate student finances can be complicated. Offers a full array of financial counseling services.

## University Center for the Advancement of Teaching

<http://ucat.osu.edu/teaching-topics/academic-job-search>

Learn more about university teaching and get the support you need in your role as a GTA or future faculty member.

## Versatile PhD

<http://versatilephd.com/>

Join this secure, on-line community and resource center that supports those interested in non-academic careers. Free to all Ohio State students, faculty, staff, and alumni. Subscription provided by the Graduate School.

## Hayes Graduate Research Forum

<https://cgs.osu.edu/hayes-forum/>

Present your research in this campus-wide showcase of graduate student research. Cash prizes to the top presentations. Co-sponsored by the Graduate School, Office of Research, and the Council of Graduate Students.

