Career Development Services

Fall 2012 Workshop Schedule (Session 1)



The Career Development Services department assists you in making informed career and job search strategy decisions that are consistent with your values, skills, interests, and abilities. In addition to providing career counseling, planning, and job search support, workshops are offered throughout the academic year to support your career development skills.

CDS Open House	Dates	Time	Location
Stop by the CDS Center for an overview of our services, tools and programs—all designed with you in mind! Need some experience in order to get even better experience? Learn about work study, co-op and internship opportunities and the online tools that can enhance your career development. We will tell you how Focus can help you identify a suitable career path. We will show how to use Interview-Stream to practice your interview skills. And we'll tell you all about Peircelink, the technology where you can post your resume and review available postings. After visiting us, sign up for a follow-up, customized one-on-one career counseling appointment or for a new account with any of our technologies and you will automatically qualify to enter a CDS Raffle on 9/17/12. Two career-minded individuals will win Visa gift cards for \$25.00. No RSVP Required. Just stop in!	Monday 9/10/12 to Friday 9/14/12	9 a.m. to 8 p.m.	CDS Center, Room 67

Virtual CDS (Online CDS Open House)			
If you can't make the CDS Open House physically, visit us virtually! Chat Live with CDS between 9 AM and 8 PM (ET) and a member of our team will provide you an overview of our services, tools and programs. We can also provide you brief responses to your most pressing career-based questions. To participate, simply visit the Peirce site www.peirce.edu, click on the "Chat With Us Live Online" icon (bottom left), enter your information, and you will be connected with a member of our team. After participating, sign up for a follow-up, customized one-on-one career counseling appointment or for a new account with any of our technologies and you will automatically qualify to enter a CDS Raffle on 9/17/12. Two career-minded individuals will win Visa gift cards for \$25.00. **No RSVP Required. Just stop in!**	Monday 9/10/12 or Friday 9/14/12	9 a.m. to 8 p.m. (ET)	Webinar (online access)

Dress For Success	Dates	Time	Location
If you've ever looked in the mirror and wondered if your attire was adequate for work, this workshop is for you! Learn how to dress professionally for optimal impact. Join CDS and learn how to select business wear that is ideal for your specific career needs. We will guide you, step by step, in learning how to create a professional image and wardrobe. And better yet you will also learn about our partnerships that can provide you free career advice and a starter wardrobe. *Please RSVP at CDS@peirce.edu or 215.670.9202 by 9/17/12.	Tuesday 9/18/12	5:30 to 7:30 p.m.	Rooms 69

Salary Negotiations			
Now that you have successfully navigated the interview process and have received a job offer, what's next? Attend this workshop to discuss the job offer process and how to strategically approach salary negotiation inclusive of weighing your benefits package. This information-rich program will be co-facilitated by a Human Resource professional. **Please RSVP CDS@peirce.edu or 215.670.9202 by 9/20/12.**	Monday 9/24/12	5:30 to 7:30 p.m.	Room 69

Human Resource Panel Discussion			
If you want to know how to make a great impression with a potential employer, the annual HR Panel Discussion is for you! Meet with human resource professionals from various industries- including Business, Healthcare, Paralegal, Information Technology- to find out what they look for on your cover letter, resume, and during the interview. You will also hear employers' expectations and the skills you need to remain competitive in the workplace. This will be an open panel discussion with an opportunity for you to ask questions and receive honest feedback. Please RSVP CDS@peirce.edu or 215.670.9202 by 10/08/12. NOTE: Panelists' names and companies will be provided once you RSVP.	Wednesday 10/10/12	5:30 to 8 p.m.	Rooms 51 & 52

If the workshop you need is not available, please contact Career Development Services at 888.467.3472, ext. 9202, or CDS@peirce.edu to make an appointment for a one-on-one session with a counselor.

CDS: Providing Personal Guidance for Career Exploration, Access and Success!

