

# EXPLORE CAREERS WITH *Handshake*

Handshake is the best tool for UW-Madison students to connect with employers, find jobs and internships, and learn about upcoming career events – all great ways to explore career interests!

## 1. EXPLORE JOBS & INTERNSHIPS

**Use UW-Madison Collections** – Live, curated lists of jobs, internships, and events based on interests (e.g., “Opportunities for Multilingual Students”).

### Review Job Details

- Read descriptions to see if the work matches your interests.
- Review qualifications to understand what skills are needed.
- Click the employer to learn more and see if UW alumni work there.

### Save Jobs for Later

- Bookmark interesting opportunities to revisit later.

### PRO TIP

Keep your  
Career Interests  
up-to-date to  
get better job  
suggestions!

## 2. EXPLORE EMPLOYERS

- Use the Employers tab to research companies and organizations you might be interested in.
- Filter by industry or location to find what fits your goals.
- Follow employers of interest to get updates on new jobs and events.

## 3. EXPLORE STUDENT PROFILES

- Use the People tab to see what other students and alumni are doing. Look at their experiences, skills, and involvement for inspiration!
- Filter by school (UW-Madison), major, or use keywords to narrow your search.

## BONUS: EXPLORE CAREER EVENTS

Once you've done some research and identified areas of interest, take the next step by attending an event! Check out the events section in Handshake to find career fairs, employer events, career center guidance events, and national events.

### PRO TIP

Use what you learn from job posts, events, and student profiles to shape your own path—try new things, build skills, and explore what fits you best.



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