

Frequently Asked Questions

What is GT Job Connection?

Green Terror Job Connection (GTJC) is an online database that lists numerous internships, part-time and full-time job opportunities. It also contains a list of more than 100 McDaniel alumni willing to share information about their work and offer career guidance. GTJC is also your resources for on-campus interview schedules, and employer information. You do have to create an account to access all that this database has to offer.

How can I make contacts with professionals in my career field?

NETWORK! Use the Alumni Career Network (housed within GTJC) to connect with McDaniel alumni willing to share career advice. Attend events and programs offered both on and off campus. The Alumni office hosts an annual alumni dinner each spring. All of these efforts will help you create your professional network.

Where can I locate full-time and part time jobs?

GT Job Connection. Log on and create an account. We also provide additional links to other job search engines on our Job Search page.

How can I find out about internships?

GT Job Connection, links on the Internship section of our website, and bulletin boards. Also, check with academic departments for internship opportunities. Career Services frequently forwards information on to them as well.

I need to create a resume, what should I do?

Pick up a Resume Writing Guide from Career Services, browse our resume writing resources in the Career Resource Library and use the resume writing links provided on our website. The Resume Writing guide can also be downloaded from our Career Guides website page. Once you've done that, visit us during walk-ins or schedule an appointment to have your resume critiqued.

I need my resume critiqued, but my schedule doesn't allow me to visit the office during office hours.

What can I do?

Complete the Talk to a Career Counselor form and submit your resume electronically. Within 72 business hours, we will critique it and email it back to you.

I'm considering going to graduate/professional school. What resource do you have that can help me?

You can use the graduate school information links on our website, which covers topics from admissions exams to paying for school. You can attend one of our workshops or browse through the graduate school files, catalogs and resources in the Career Resource Library. Also, check our calendar of events for our annual graduate school fair as well as other graduate/professional school events offered by our member consortiums.

How can I prepare for an interview?

You could attend one of our workshops, use the interview tips links on our website, pick up the Interview Guide from Career Services, or browse our interviewing preparation resources in the Career Resource Library. You can also schedule a mock interview session with a career counselor.

I want to change my major, but don't know what to change it to. Can you help me?

Schedule an appointment with a career counselor and use the "Choosing a Major" link on our website to begin exploring options.

How can I find out about careers in the field I have chosen?

Use the books in the Career Resource Library and the Explore Occupations and Industries links on our website. Here you'll find numerous resources that will provide you with up-to-date information regarding projected growth statistics, training qualifications and similar occupations.

I heard there's a test that can tell me what I'd be good at. Is this true?

There's no test that can tell you what you will and won't be good at; however, to learn more about your interests, schedule an appointment with a career counselor to take an interest inventory.

How can I schedule an appointment with a career counselor?

Complete the "Get Career Counseling" form. Call the office at 410-871-3305, or Stop by Smith House.

What is Companies on Campus?

This refers to the employers who visit campus for one or more of the following reasons: to host on-campus interviews, information sessions or information tables. Participating in these events is a great way to meet employers and to learn about internship and job opportunities. Refer to our calendar of events to see which companies are planning to visit campus.

Where is Career Services located?

Smith House, which is located next to Whiteford Residence Hall.

What should I be doing during my X year in college?

Career Development is a life-long process. To keep yourself on track while at McDaniel, refer to our Career Clock.