MAKE A PLAN AND TAKE ACTION

Excel in your studies & expand your academic knowledge

- Review remaining academic requirements.
- Work closely with faculty and advisors.
- Identify potential graduate/professional schools.
- Connect your major and career options.

Hone Your Career Interests and Acquire Occupational Skills

- Assess and prioritize abilities and interests
- Build multi-cultural competencies & skills.
- Identify preferred work settings.
- Attend career-related panels, information sessions or networking events.
- Use Career Center for internship assistance, to explore career fields, or receive coaching.
- Conduct informational interviews or job shadow.
- Engage in experiential learning opportunities: study abroad, undergraduate research, service learning, design/capstone projects, & internships.

Develop Job Search Skills

- Write a resume and cover letter to market your qualifications; upload in Catamount Job Link for review.
- Hone your interviewing skills, do mock interviews with Career Counselors and practice with Big Interview.
- Join and use the UVM Career Connection on Linked-in to conduct informational interviews and build a professional network. (Track your contacts!)

Winter Break

- Explore careers in a specific area by taking an online UVM Career Institute course.
- Conduct informational interviews or job shadowing.
- Attend UVM career networking events in Boston or NYC.

Following Summer

- Gain career-related experience through a job, internship, research or informational interview.
- Research graduate/professional schools and requirements & prepare for examinations.
- Research post-grad academic and service fellowships.

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