

CAREER ENRICHMENT NETWORK

What's in it for you?



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CAREER ENRICHMENT NETWORK

The Network can help you with:

Internship/job search materials



Global experiences



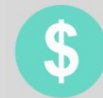
Advice from an alumni mentor



Strengths identification



Financial support



NETWORK SYMPPLICITY

Request an account to have access to:

- **Resume** and cover letter feedback
- Resources to help with your **job/internship search**
- **Internship postings**
- Professional development **events & workshops**
- One-on-one **appointments** with a staff member



+2,500

Liberal Arts students
already have accounts



+650

student appointments
scheduled

INTERNSHIPS

Gain transferable skills and experience from:

- On-campus research, part-time jobs, and summer opportunities
- Network Symplicity internship postings
- Network with friends and family
- Contact employers directly

Catch 22

*YOU NEED EXPERIENCE
TO GET EXPERIENCE*



1,212

internship postings
in Network Symplicity



500+

students reported
participating in an internship



1,200+

employers registered
with Network Symplicity

*2013/14 academic year

ALUMNI MENTOR PROGRAM

A mentor can:

Does who
you know
matter?



170K+

number of alumni in
Penn State's Alumni Association



294

number of students
mentored this year



50+

professional fields in which
mentors work and are experienced



32

states and countries
where mentors are based

- Provide career advice
- Assist with goal setting
- Connect you with a professional network
- Provide job shadowing opportunities
- Help you with the transition from student to professional

**2013/14 academic year*

GLOBAL EXPERIENCE

Global experiences include:

- **Study Abroad**
Embedded, summer, semester, academic year
- **International Internships**
Target companies & specific Ed Abroad programs
- **Research Abroad**
EuroScholars or specific Ed Abroad programs



There is

life outside of

Centre County



400+

Liberal Arts majors
studied abroad



42

Liberal Arts majors studied
abroad in 42 countries



34

different majors represented
in study abroad cohort

**2013/14 academic year*

STRENGTHS FINDER

This assessment can help you to:

- Discover your top five strengths
- Consider how your strengths apply to your interests
- Tailor your job search and application materials
- Increase your self-awareness



145+

Liberal Arts majors registered
for StrengthsFinder



34

Talent Themes in
StrengthsFinder

**2014/15 academic year*

FUNDING

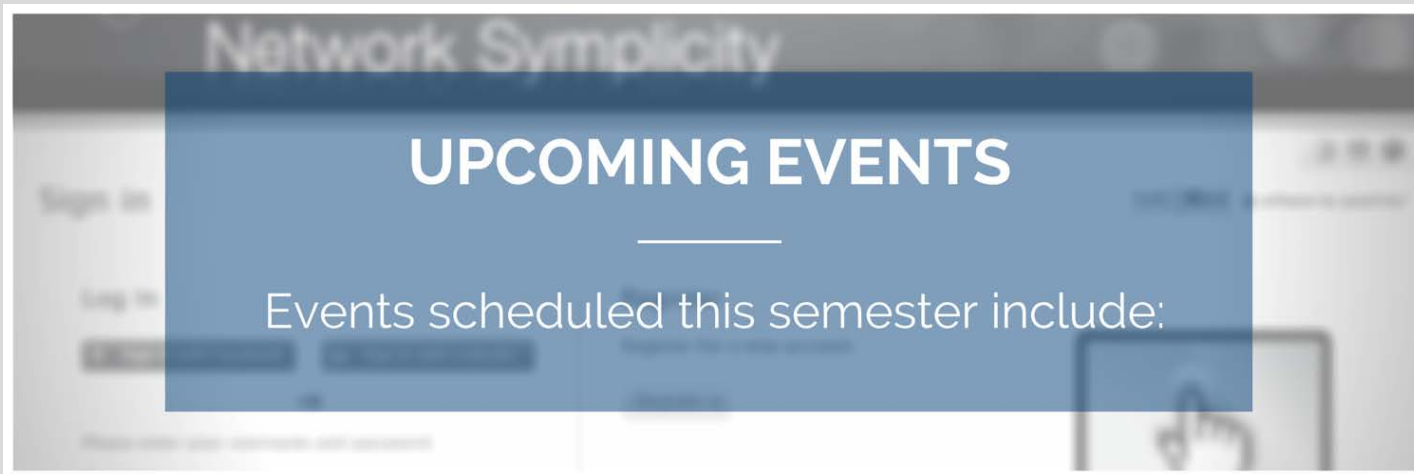
All Liberal Arts majors can:

- Receive support for participation in internships, global experiences, and research
- Apply via one on-line application for college funds (apps shared with departments too)
- Seek support from other sources too (e.g. Global Programs, Schreyer, University Fellowship Office, etc.)



***of applicants
who applied for
funding received
an award***

**2013/14 academic year*



- Beyond Studying Abroad, January 21, 167 Willard
- **Etiquette Dinner**, January 29, 7PM, Nittany Lion Inn
- **Marketing Your Liberal Arts Degree**, February 2, 4PM, Bank of America Career Services
- **Consulting with CRM**, February 6, 12PM, location TBD
- **Spring Career Days**, February 9-10, Bryce Jordan Center
- **A Liberal Arts Guide to Networking: LinkedIn Tools and Practices**, February 10, 009 Sparks
- **Helping and Service Professions Career Fair**, February 25, 11AM, HUB
- **Careers for the Liberal Arts**, March 28, time TBD, Chambers Building

**More information about these events and other company info-sessions and co-sponsored workshops can be found in [Network Symplicity](#)*

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