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Please note that links to opportunities below may no longer be active due to the short-term nature of many postings. Links to postings and events in Handshake will require a student account to view complete details. For questions, please reach out to place@roanoke.edu.

Fall Break Edition This Week's Lineup

- Using your break to build new skills? Check out the Forage!
- Upcoming PLACE Events
- New PLACE Resource: Career Planning Guide
- Graduating in May? Join us for January's Launch Lab!
- Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency internship program
- Considering Graduate School? Panel on October 18th!
- RVA Career Expo - Friday, October 20th
- William and Mary School of Education Open House and Webinars
- Don't want to schedule an appointment? Catch us Tuesday mornings at Rooney's Brews or join us at PLACE for Walk-In Wednesdays
- Handshake Highlights

Want more regular updates? Join the PLACE group on [LinkedIn!](#)

The Forage

Using your time away from class to explore new skills or consider career opportunities? Be sure to check out the Forage! The Forage team has been working with our office to share resources that help you learn about different careers, build skills, and get ahead in the job search process.

Forage's new career quizzes can help you understand what roles might be right for you based on your strengths, personality, and interests. There's absolutely no knowledge of any careers required to take these quizzes — in fact, they're designed for students who are just getting started.

Once you take the quiz, you'll get results that tell you more about what kinds of roles are right for you and why. You'll also get personalized recommendations of different industries you can start exploring now on Forage.

[Forage](#) can be a great way to get ahead in your career. Forage provides free, online virtual experience programs created by Fortune 500 companies to provide you with the insights and skills you need to succeed in your job search and the start of your career.

Ready to find the career that's right for you? Take any of these Forage quizzes to get started:

[General Career Quiz](#)

[Career Aptitude Test](#)

[Personality Career Quiz](#)

Please note, this is a third-party platform not supported by Roanoke College, and you should review the data collection statement on the landing page prior to joining. You can opt out of sharing your details with any of the firms whose projects you complete. Let us know if you have questions as you explore opportunities and [schedule an appointment](#) with PLACE to incorporate your completed projects into your resume.

Upcoming PLACE Events

AI-POWERING YOUR PATH: NAVIGATING CAREERS WITH CHATGPT PART 2: DOCUMENT DEVELOPMENT

Tuesday, October 24th 2023

12:00 pm - 12:30 pm

Pickle Meeting Room - Colket Center



We're diving into the art of document development and uncovering the ethical use of AI, particularly ChatGPT, in crafting compelling resumes and cover letters. Learn the delicate balance of using AI-generated content while infusing it with your unique voice, experiences, and accomplishments to create documents that truly reflect your professional journey.



[AI-Powering Your Path: Navigating Careers with ChatGPT](#) - Tuesday, October 24th 12 PM

Join us for Part 2 of our fall workshop series, "AI-Powering Your Path: Navigating Careers with ChatGPT." Register on Handshake.

2023-2024 Career Planning Guide

Have a quick career question? Want to see example resumes or cover letters? Curious about how to talk about your identity through your job search? Check out the new PLACE Career Planning Guide [here!](#)

Launch Lab 2024

The graphic features a large, stylized letter 'L' on the left side, filled with a photograph of a brick building with trees in autumn. To the right of the 'L' is the Roanoke College crest and the text 'ROANOKE COLLEGE'. Below this, a dark maroon rounded rectangle contains the event details. At the bottom left, there is a QR code and the text 'Roanoke College Launch Lab 2024'. At the bottom right, the 'PLACE' logo is visible.

 **ROANOKE COLLEGE**

LAUNCH LAB

January 11-13 2024

3 day Intensive
Career Development Program for Seniors

Participants will...

- Evaluate their strengths
- Prepare application documents
- Participate in networking events
- Begin their job searches

During the program, students join an etiquette dinner with professionals and alumni, participate in a networking event at a local attraction, learn how to build their personal brand with industry leaders, and expand their professional toolkit to better market themselves to employers.

Roanoke College Launch Lab 2024



Are you graduating in May or August? Don't miss Launch Lab 2024 taking place January 11th-13th at Roanoke College. [Register](#) to join three jam-packed days full of networking, professional preparation, and job search strategy. We hope to see you there!

Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency

The DCSA Student Experience (DSE) is a paid internship program designed to attract diverse and talented students enrolled full-time in an undergraduate or graduate degree program from an accredited college or university. Students have an opportunity to gain marketable developmental experience in counterintelligence and insider threat, industrial security, personnel security, security training, and other DCSA core mission and support areas.

Students typically work for a recommended minimum of 10 weeks from June through August as full-time, temporary federal employees. Students that successfully complete the summer program may be eligible to return to their internship during academic breaks. Students must provide proof of full-time enrollment from an accredited institution in order to be considered. All students will successfully complete the security clearance process and pass a drug screening test prior to receiving a final offer to participate in the program. Students who receive successful performance may be eligible for non-competitive conversion to a permanent position if all requirements are met. Funding availability, mission requirements, and other factors may apply.

Learn more and apply [here](#). Applications open through October 31, 2023.

Finding a Graduate School Program

Join us on Wednesday, October 18th at 12 PM as graduate school representatives from Elon University talk about how to find the right graduate program.

They'll be talking about:

- Finding the right program
- What to look for in a graduate program
- How to apply
- Why go to graduate school (when does going to graduate school make sense)?

They'll also be talking about several of their graduate programs that you might be interested in. This program is open to current students, recent alums, and students from the Career Premiere Consortium. Please feel free to invite your friends at other schools to this program. Register on [Handshake](#) for the zoom link.

RVA Career Expo

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Richmond's Premier Professional Job Fair
Friday, October 20, 2023 9am - 2pm
The Cultural Arts Center at Glen Allen

[REGISTER NOW!](#)

[See the participating employers and view/print the jobs board.](#)

Register early! This provides the added benefit of having your resume stored in a searchable database from which employers are already screening - and will continue to use after the event is over.

STUDENTS - ENTRY LEVEL - ALL EXPERIENCE LEVELS

The RVA Career Expo is for YOU!

William & Mary School of Education Open House

The William & Mary School of Education is hosting our **Day for Prospective Students on October 20, 2023 from 3-6 pm.**

Experience William & Mary. Learn more about our programs in Counseling, School Psychology, Higher Education Administration, Teacher Education, and K-12 Administration at the Certificate, Master's, Executive Ed.D., and Ph.D. levels.

[Click here for more information.](#)

Additionally, we will be offering a series of virtual webinars (that will be recorded). Registration information and recordings can be found **[here.](#)**

The application deadline for most on campus programs is January 15. (The Counselor Education program has a December 1 deadline.) Click here to learn more about the steps for applying, including access to the online application.

If there are any questions regarding our events, admission, or our programs, please email us at **graded@wm.edu** or call us at 757-221-2317.

Stop by for Rooney's Reviews or Walk-In Wednesdays

Don't want to schedule an appointment? Have a quick question? Catch us at Rooney's Brews on Tuesdays from 9:30 - 10:30 AM for Rooney's Reviews or on Wednesdays from 1-4 for Walk-In Wednesdays at PLACE. See you soon!

Handshake Highlights

Booz Allen Hamilton 2024 Summer Games Internship

<https://roanoke.joinhandshake.com/edu/jobs/8167254>

You will develop a breakthrough idea or solution for one of our client's most pressing, complex, and multidimensional problems while developing valuable consulting skills.

Simulating a real-world startup accelerator environment, the interns are divided into teams, each working on a different challenge project.

Throughout the Games, interns receive mentorship from senior leaders, solve problems using Booz Allen's products and unique engagement models, and leverage the power of collaboration in a virtual environment.

Open to students graduating between Winter 2024 through Spring/Summer 2027, with preference for STEM-related majors.

Summer 2024 Wall Street Journal Video Internship in NYC

<https://roanoke.joinhandshake.com/edu/jobs/8254560>

The Wall Street Journal video internship is an opportunity primarily for college juniors to work in our award-winning newsroom in New York. Seniors and graduate students enrolled in a degree program by the application deadline are also eligible to apply.

You should have a strong interest in domestic and international news, as well as business and financial news. This is not an internship producing documentaries or hosting videos on screen

Your primary duties will include supporting the production of editorially sound and visually compelling videos, as well as publishing videos to wsj.com and off-platform sites including YouTube.

Basic video shooting and editing skills, as well as an understanding of video formats and delivery methods, are necessary. You should be comfortable editing in Adobe Premiere and will set yourself apart if you have experience with graphics in After Effects, Photoshop and Illustrator.

BP Summer Internship: Finance and Risk in Chicago
<https://roanoke.joinhandshake.com/edu/jobs/8198294>

As a Finance & Risk Intern, the challenging role rotations will give you first-hand exposure to how our functional businesses support our supply and trading activities and will contribute to building your long-term career in the organization.

You will participate in a training plan that will ensure you develop your non-technical and technical skills. This includes understanding the role of commodity risk, putting your digital skills into action, and testing your natural curiosity.

Your internship will take place within Commodity Risk where you will interact firsthand with our Trading benches and see how live market volatility is reported and controlled within Finance and Risk.

- 12-week internship
- BP provided corporate housing with furnished apartments
- Open to students with a cumulative and major GPA of 3.0 or higher who are graduating December 2024 through May 2025
- Preferred candidates are majoring in Economics, Finance, Math. We recognize that this is not an exclusive list but a demonstrated interest in the financial markets is key

Did you know?

The logo for Handshake, featuring the word "Handshake" in a yellow, sans-serif font centered on a dark green rectangular background.

There's over 13,000 jobs and internships currently posted to Handshake.

We're social!



Check us out on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and [LinkedIn](#).

Interviewing?



Need a quiet space to work or interview? Contact us to reserve the sunporch or studio!

Have questions?

Schedule an appointment through Handshake

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