

# CAREER DEVELOPMENT

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The Office of Career Development at Lake-Sumter State College empowers students to achieve career success by providing comprehensive resources and tools. We offer career advising, exploration assistance, and guidance on major selection and degree pathways. Students can also benefit from help with resume and cover letter writing, interview skills, networking, job search strategies, and internship opportunities. Ultimately, the office connects students with employers and prepares them for the demands of the modern workplace.

Connect with our Office of Career Development (<https://www.lssc.edu/student-resources/career-development-services/>) to learn more and schedule an advising appointment.

## Career Exploration

Exploring career options begins with understanding your personal strengths and interests, and Lake-Sumter State College's Office of Career Development helps students do just that. Current students and recent alumni can access free career assessments and then work with advisors to interpret results and develop a personalized career plan.

## LSSC Student Employment & Development Program

LSSC's Student Employment and Development Program offers a variety of on-campus employment (<https://www.schooljobs.com/careers/lssc.edu/transferjobs>) and development opportunities, allowing students to gain valuable experience while pursuing their education. Explore the Student Employment Handbook ([https://www.lssc.edu/wp-content/uploads/SA\\_BRO\\_StudentEmployment\\_Book\\_2025-08\\_LR.pdf](https://www.lssc.edu/wp-content/uploads/SA_BRO_StudentEmployment_Book_2025-08_LR.pdf)) to learn more.

## LSSC Internship Program

Internships at LSSC offer valuable real-world experience, bridging classroom learning with professional practice. These opportunities, which can be full internships or embedded micro-internships within existing courses, provide students with supervised work experience, self-reflection, and the chance to apply their academic knowledge. Visit the Experiential Learning (<https://lssc-public.courseleaf.com/academic-information/experiential-learning/>) page to learn more.

## Job Placement Resources

Landing a job requires preparation, from crafting a compelling resume to mastering interview skills. LSSC's Office of Career Development offers resources and tools to help students prepare, connect with employers, and effectively tailor their job search. LSSC students and alumni are invited to participate in on-campus employer events and access Lakehawk Career Connect (<https://www.collegecentral.com/lssc/Student.cfm>), our online career portal, to submit a resume for review, create an e-portfolio, search for job opportunities, and more!