

Sophomore Career Connections Application Spring 2022

The Delbridge Career Center, in collaboration with Student Senate and the Office of Alumni Relations, is offering a great opportunity for sophomores to jump-start their careers! Sophomore Career Connections will provide a series of workshops designed to fill students' career toolboxes with skills they need to secure opportunities and be successful. The program will also connect each student with an alum or professional who is currently working in a field of interest to the student.

Below you'll find a tentative schedule for Sophomore Career Connections. Students who apply and are accepted to the program are expected to attend all events and complete all requirements. Applications must be submitted to the Delbridge Career Center via email at CareerCenter@wne.edu by **Friday, December 10, 2021 at 12:00 Noon**. Applicants will be informed of their acceptance via the email listed on their application by the first week of the spring semester.

Sophomore Career Connections Schedule (Tentative)

Alum/Professional Connections

Students will be provided, via email, with the name and contact information for at least one alum/local professional who has agreed to work with them after the Program Kick-off session. Students will be expected to make their connection prior to the final workshop on April 7th.

Workshops

Workshops will cover a variety of career related topics and include presentations from both the University community and the professional world beyond. Workshops will be a mix of in-person and virtual. Below is a list of planned dates for the workshops, the in-person and virtual designations for each week are tentative and subject to change based on the availability of spaces and presenters.

Workshop Dates

Thursday, March 3, 2022 at 12:30 p.m. – Program Kick-Off/In-person
Thursday, March 10, 2022 at 12:30 p.m. – Virtual
Thursday, March 24, 2022 at 12:30 p.m. – Virtual
Thursday, March 31, 2022 at 12:30 p.m. – Virtual
Thursday, April 7, 2022 at 12:30 p.m. – Wrap-up/In-person

Program Benefits

As a Sophomore Career Connections participant, you will have the opportunity to:

- Make meaningful networking connections, not only with the alum/professional(s) assigned to you, but also with other successful professionals, University staff, and your peers.
- Develop an updated résumé and cover letter based on current hiring trends.
- Get a head start on the skills and knowledge you will need to pursue internships and in a successful career after graduation.

If you have any questions about the program, feel free to contact us at careercenter@wne.edu



**Sophomore Career Connections Application
Spring 2022**

Applications must be submitted to the Delbridge Career Center **via email** at CareerCenter@wne.edu by **Friday, December 10, 2021 at 12:00 Noon.**

Name: _____ Student ID#: _____

Major: _____ Minor (if applicable): _____

Email Address: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Please tell us about your career interests/goals so we can work to partner you with an appropriate alum/professional:

What do you hope to learn from the Sophomore Career Connections program?

***Answers to questions can be submitted on a separate document if you need more space.

Please simply **bold** each choice that represents something you would like to learn more about:

- | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| Rèsumè | Writing Cover Letters | Networking at Career Fairs | Teamwork |
| Equity & Inclusion | Graduate School | Interview Skills | Internships |
| Time Management | Community Service | Professional Communication | Leadership |

Other (please specify): _____

By submitting this application, I am confirming that I have reviewed the tentative schedule dates and will attend all events if accepted (just print your name and the date on the line below).

Signature _____ Date _____