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- **Connect by 1:1 or group sessions scheduling on Handshake Virtual Fairs** with recruiters available to discuss their organizations, workplace, or job postings: whether you are job seeking or just want to expand your network for future opportunities at the on-campus event you’re at.
- **Connect by virtual chatting on Handshake with recruiters available to discuss job postings that interest you**: all recruiters will be obliged to set up Handshake’s 15-minute virtual chats scheduling tool [1] on each job posting 4-weeks prior to the fair (or have a recruiter’s contact info available on their Handshake company page who can schedule a 15-minute virtual chat outside of Handshake).
- **Connect by direct messaging on Handshake with recruiters managing job postings that interest you**: all recruiters will be obliged to set up Handshake’s messaging tool [2] on each job posting 4-weeks prior to the fair and afterward until the postings close (or have a recruiter’s contact info available on their Handshake company page).
Connect by applying directly on Handshake to the job postings from the attending companies: all jobs that companies discuss at the fair will be posted on Handshake [3] 4-weeks prior to the fair and afterward until the postings close.

FAQ:

**Carolina Career Exploration and Experience Day (STEM Majors) - February 16th 2022, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm on Handshake Virtual Fairs Platform**

This event brings together employers who want to help students from STEM-related majors (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) explore various career pathways in their industries and answer questions about what they can do with their majors and career interests. Additionally, for students who are seeking Summer Internships and Full-Time Jobs roles, these companies also are available to talk about their current openings and how you can apply.

This event is open to all UNC undergrad[4] and graduate majors[5] (except MBA, Law, Medical, and Dental), but is targeted for STEM[6]-related majors that include: Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Library and Information Sciences, Engineering, Earth Sciences, Economics, Exercise & Sports Science, Finance, Health Sciences, Information Technology, Mathematics, Physics, Operations Research, Statistics and Analytics, and more! [4]

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• Connect by applying directly on Handshake to the job postings from the attending companies: all jobs that companies discuss at the fair will be posted on Handshake [3] 4-weeks prior to the fair and afterward until the postings close.

**Location and Handshake Login Instructions**

? Handshake Virtual Fairs Platform

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**Registration**

? Click here [8] to register. Students will be able to register on January 24th but they’ll be able to start exploring the companies as early as January 18th

**Carolina Career Exploration and Experience Day (All Majors) - February 17th 2022, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm on Handshake Virtual Fairs Platform**

This event brings together employers who want to help students from All Majors explore various career pathways in their industries and answer questions about what they can do with their majors and career interests. Additionally, for students who are seeking Summer Internships and Full-Time Jobs roles, these companies also are available to
talk about their current openings and how you can apply.

This event is open to all UNC undergrad and graduate majors (except MBA, Law, Medical, and Dental) which include: Business, Communications, Economics, English, History, Political Science, Public Policy, Military Science, Sociology, Anthropology, Philosophy, Women's Gender and Sexuality Studies, African American Studies, Romance Languages, Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Library and Information Sciences, Engineering, Earth Sciences, Health Sciences, Information Technology, Mathematics, Physics, Finance, Operations, Entrepreneurship, Marketing & Sales, Real Estate, and more!

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Graduate Career Consortium PhD & Master’s Virtual Career Expo - March 9th 2022, 11:00 am - 5:00 pm on CareerEco

Sponsored by the Graduate Career Consortium (GCC) - an internal organization supporting the career and professional development of graduate students and postdocs. Connecting PhD and master’s students, postdocs, and alumni from STEM, Humanities, and Social Sciences to employers for networking and recruitment.

Location

? CareerEco

Registration

? Click here [10] to register

Health Schools Information Fair - March 22nd 2022, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm on Handshake Virtual Fairs Platform
Interested in becoming a physician, dentist, physical therapist, physician assistant, optometrist, or other health care professional? Meet with representatives from healthcare graduate programs from across the U.S. at this event. Click here to view participating Graduate Schools/programs.

This event is open to UNC undergrad [4] and graduate majors [5] except those belonging to MBA, Law, Medical, or Dental programs (which are served by separate career offices).

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- **Connect by 1:1 or group sessions scheduling on Handshake Virtual Fairs** with recruiters available to discuss their schools, campus culture, or application processes: whether you are graduate school seeking or just want to expand your network for future opportunities at the on-campus event they’re at.

- **Connect by virtual chatting on Handshake with recruiters available to discuss graduate school applications that interest you:** all recruiters will be obliged to set up Handshake’s 15-minute virtual chats scheduling tool [1] on each graduate school application (if applicable) 4-weeks prior to the fair (or have a recruiter’s contact info available on their Handshake company page who can schedule a 15-minute virtual chat outside of Handshake).

- **Connect by direct messaging on Handshake with recruiters managing graduate school applications that interest you:** all recruiters will be obliged to set up Handshake’s messaging tool [2] on each grad school application (if applicable) 4-weeks prior to the fair and afterward until the postings close (or have a recruiter’s contact info available on their Handshake page).

- **Connect by applying directly on Handshake to the graduate school from the attending schools:** all grad school applications that schools discuss at the fair will be posted on Handshake [3] (if applicable) 4-weeks prior to the fair and afterward until the postings close.
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Registration details for this fair will be provided once classes start the week of February 21st.

**Mid-Semester Last Minute Job Fair (All Majors) - March 24th 2022, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm on Handshake Virtual Fairs Platform**

This fair brings together employers who are seeking to fill Summer Internship and Full-Time Job roles with students from ALL MAJORS including Humanities [11], Social Sciences [12], and STEM [6] majors. This is an opportunity for recruiters who have last minute hiring needs to connect with students who are still conducting their search for a Summer Internship or Full-Time Job.

This event is open to all UNC undergrad [4]and graduate majors [5] (except MBA, Law, Medical, and Dental) which include: Business, Communications, Economics, English, History, Political Science, Public Policy, Military Science, Sociology, Anthropology, Philosophy, Women’s Gender and Sexuality Studies, African American Studies, Romance Languages, Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Library and Information Sciences, Engineering, Earth Sciences, Health Sciences, Information Technology, Mathematics, Physics, Finance, Operations, Entrepreneurship, Marketing & Sales, Real Estate, and more! [4]

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**SEC & ACC Virtual Career Fair - April 6th 2022, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm on CareerEco**

Students and alumni will meet recruiters live online. Full-time, internship, and co-op Jobs (all majors invited).
Location

? CareerEco

Registration

? Click here [13] to register

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Links
[2] https://joinhandshake.com/blog/students/messaging-employers-on-handshake-leads-to-jobs/?mkt_tok=MzkwLVpURi0zNTMAAAGAkDsUvWPUNQ6B7pHASTwSIGYXGoZNt9OBCVuDTfSJN
[3] https://careers.unc.edu/students/resources/handshake
[5] https://catalog.unc.edu/graduate/degree-programs/
[10] https://www.careereco.com/User/LogIn?ReturnUrl=%2fUser%2fFairRegistration%3ffairId%3d8caae8d6-f68d-4d80-89ca-adc00105e7af&fairId=8caae8d6-f68d-4d80-89ca-adc00105e7af
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