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UNT DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS Career Center

CAREER READINESS COMPETENCIES



TEAMWORK

When looking to hire a new employee, companies are interested in the skills each candidate brings to the table. Career readiness competencies are the primary skills employers look for when hiring. This month, we are highlighting **teamwork**! This competency focuses on both building and maintaining collaborative relationships to work effectively toward common goals, all while appreciating the diverse viewpoints and shared responsibilities of the team. Learn more about how to improve your teamwork <u>HERE</u>.

Sample behaviors that apply to teamwork include:

- Listening carefully to others, taking time to understand and ask appropriate questions without interrupting.
- Being accountable for individual and team responsibilities and deliverables.
- Building strong, positive working relationships with supervisors and team members or coworkers.
- Effectively manage conflict, interacting with and respect diverse personalities, and meeting ambiguity with resilience.

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UPCOMING EVENTS & PROGRAMS



MEET EMPLOYERS EVERY THURSDAY

When: Thursdays from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Where: General Academic Building (GAB) - Across from GAB Café



CAREERS IN PUBLIC AFFAIRS (CIPA)

When: Friday, April 7th from 11:30 am - 12:45 pm **Where:** Willis Library 250H Find more event details on <u>Handshake</u>



PROFESSIONS IN THE ART

When: Tuesday, April 11th from 3:30 p.m. - 6 p.m. **Where:** College of Music - Recital Hall Find more event details on <u>Handshake</u>



UNT/TWU ASPIRING TEACHERS CAREER FAIR

When: Wednesday, April 12th from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Where: Union 314 & 333 Find more event details on <u>Handshake</u>



ALL MAJORS CAREER FAIR

When: Wednesday, April 19th from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. **Where:** Union 314 & 333 Find more event details on <u>Handshake</u>



SPRING CAREER FESTIVAL

When: Thursday, April 20th from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. **Where:** Lawn Area between Sage Hall and Sycamore Hall Find more event details on <u>Handshake</u>



LUNCH & LEARN: PLEASE HIRE ME

When: Monday, April 24th from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. **Where:** Union 339 Find more event details on <u>Handshake</u>

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CAMPUS HIGHLIGHTS

MYPLAN - CAREER ASSESSMENT TOOL AND RESOURCES

Whether you are choosing a major, planning ahead for your first career, or thinking about making a career change, My Plan can help you explore options and bring clarity and insight into figuring out what's right for you. Students can take the career personality, interest, skills, and values assessments to learn about different career opportunities that align with their "VIPS" or explore different colleges and majors to explore various opportunities and options available. Click the link below to get started:

MyPlan





STUDENT HIGHLIGHT

The College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences has some pretty spectacular students and we want to celebrate them! Do you know an amazing student that deserves to be recognized? **Be sure to nominate an outstanding CLASS student to be featured in the CLASS Chronicles!** To nominate someone, please complete the form below.

Nominate Here!

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CAREER CENTER SPOTLIGHTS



Book an appointment with our team!

MEET SHUNTA THOMAS!

I'm honored to serve as the Associate Director in the Career Center, working with 10,000+ students in College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, College of Visual Arts and Design, and Mayborn College of Journalism. Our team is committed to coaching students to success through career readiness, including self and career exploration, intentional engagement, and creative programming. We accomplish this goal with full collaboration of our college communities. I believe excellence is achieved through curiosity, hard-work, and a commitment to never give up. I am a teacher, mentor, leader, community advocate, and most importantly, a wife and mom of four beautiful children. My expertise is business and instructional leadership. Prior to my time at University of North Texas, I worked at American Airlines, most recently at Global Headquarters as Manager of Sales Development and Training. Before this time, I was an Assistant Principal in Lewisville Independent School District and a business manager at State Farm's corporate headquarters. I have a Bachelor of Science in Accounting, and a master's degree in Business Administration, along with an Instructional Leadership certification in the state of Texas. I have a strong history of leadership, innovation, and success globally. I'm very Proud to now be a UNT eagle!

