

CAREER READINESS COMPETENCIES

What are Career Readiness Competencies?

Career readiness is life readiness and is the key to ensuring a successful entrance in the workforce. There are eight career readiness competencies that are transferable across all occupations and industries. When looking to hire a new employee, companies are interested in the skills each candidate brings to the table and career readiness competencies are the primary skills employers look for when hiring.



TECHNOLOGY

Technology focuses on understanding and leveraging technologies ethically to enhance efficiencies, completing tasks, and accomplishing goals while demonstrating effective adaptability to new and emerging technologies. Learn more about what technology looks like [HERE](#).

How do I grow my technology?

- Seek opportunities to try new technology.
- Complete certificates and credentialing in relevant technologies.
- Apply the skills you have learned in projects.
- Stay current on emerging technologies relevant to your interests.
- Complete online tutorials.
- Read technical books and journals on technology application.
- Develop your professional brand via [LinkedIn](#).

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CRITICAL THINKING | LEADERSHIP | PROFESSIONALISM | TEAMWORK | **TECHNOLOGY**

SUPPORTING YOU THIS SUMMER!

The UNT Career Center and your CLASS Career Team are here throughout the summer to assist with anything and everything related to your professional development! Check out some of the resources and opportunities to take advantage of this summer:



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UPDATE AND HAVE YOUR [RESUME REVIEWED](#)



EXPLORE CAREER OPPORTUNITIES BASED ON YOUR MAJOR USING “[WHAT CAN I DO WITH THIS MAJOR?](#)”



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[MEET WITH A CAREER COACH](#) TO DISCUSS JOB & INTERNSHIP SEARCH STRATEGIES OR GRADUATE SCHOOL PREPARATION



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SIGN UP FOR [MEAN GREEN MENTORS](#) TO IDENTIFY A POTENTIAL MENTOR AND BEGIN NETWORKING



PRACTICE YOUR [ELEVATOR SPEECH](#)



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