Preparing Students for Life After Hamline

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The Career Development Center assists students and alumni as they explore, prepare for, and make successful transitions to life after Hamline. Our services are designed to help Hamline students transition into professionals. We will help your student take charge of and manage their future—from writing a resume and polishing job interview skills to researching career options and potential employers. Career planning in college is not just for seniors—it's a four year process that should begin the minute your student sets foot on campus.

All of our services, programs, and resources are structured to help students find success in three key stages of career development: Laying the Foundation (self-assessment and career exploration), Professional Skill Development, and Assisting with Transition (job, graduate school search or volunteer service). We will help your student through one-on-one career counseling, workshops, panels, the Bridges Scholars Class, Major Decisions Fair, Practice Interview Program, Pipers to Professionals, Piper Connect, Networking events, Etiquette Dinner, internship search assistance, and the Hamline Career Link which includes all of our job and internship opportunities.

As a parent, you have always been involved in your student’s life. The staff at the CDC hope that you will continue to be an active partner as your student makes important decisions about their major, career, and life after Hamline. The best thing you can do right away is encourage your student to connect with the CDC—the earlier, the better! More information on our services, programs and how you can get involved is available on the CDC website at www.hamline.edu/cdc.

Be sure to take a look at the ‘Information for Parents’ page!

Upcoming career development events for our students:

MN Private Colleges Job and Internship Fair: 9 a.m.–3 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 20th

Held at the Minneapolis Convention Center, this is an opportunity for students to meet with employers to pass out resumes, network, arrange interviews and possibly secure a job or internship. Typically over 150 employers from business, non-profit, government, science and other sectors are represented. The Fair is open to all Hamline Seniors, Juniors and Sophomores. Registration is REQUIRED. Register in the Career Development Center, Drew Science 113. The registration fee will be the minimum allowed by the Consortium, $10. Bus transportation is provided.
Senior Day 2013

This is your Senior student’s One-stop shopping for Commencement.

- Meet with Students Accounts regarding tuition account balances,
- And many more required steps—all at this one event!

Friday, March 8, 2013 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in East Hall.

If they have questions they can call 651-523-3000.

REMINDER:

Parents Network will be meeting Thursday, March 21, 2013 from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm in the Anderson Center

We will be inviting some young Alumni to attend this meeting.

Invites will be forthcoming.

Spring Break Dates:


Classes resumes on Monday, April 1, 2013

Encourage your Senior to attend. These steps are required to finalize their graduation. All these services will be located in one spot to make it easier on them. If they do not attend this event, they will need to find some time to meet with each of the departments to complete the graduation process.

At this event they will be able to:

- pick up their cap and gown, (bookstore)
- double check their graduation requirements, (Registrar)
- register for alternate site seating for commencement

Mark your calendars for the Parent’s Reception with the President April 12, 2013

Start time 5:30 pm