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GOLD 2.0

NEW AND IMPROVED!

GOLD Career Readiness Certification has been streamlined for academic year 2024-2025! GOLD is now easier for students to accomplish. More online, self-paced assignments, less in-person attendance. See below for details.

Applications and all documentations need to be completed in Spring semester 2025 and turned in by **April 25, 2025 at 8 a.m.** Applications will not be accepted after the deadline.

Submit applications at <https://tf.tntech.edu/view.php?id=1651073>, email career@tntech.edu, or by dropping off at Roaden University Center, 328.

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Part 1 - Self Exploration

COMPLETE BOTH ASSIGNMENTS IN PART ONE:

- Complete one of the following and upload the career plan summary to the document section of your Handshake account under "other documents."
 1. Complete My Career Plan Builder on <https://isuriz.com>.
 2. Complete a My Career Plan appointment with the Center for Career Development.
- Complete TypeFocus self-assessment at <https://www.tntech.edu/career/students/assessment.php>

Part 2 - Skill Building

COMPLETE BOTH ASSIGNMENTS IN PART TWO:

- 1. Watch "Applying Career Competencies" on ISURIZ.com. Take knowledge test after completion and download the certificate of achievement. Then upload the certificate of achievement to the documents section of your Handshake account under "other documents."
- 2. Complete ONE of the following:
 - Participation in one of the following:
To receive credit, the club, organization or professional affiliation must appear on your resume.
 - Affinity Club
 - Professional Organization
 - Greek Organization
 - Other campus organization not on list
 - Complete a 750-word academic paper on an occupation of interest that cites at least two sources. (<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/home.htm>, Moody's.com) You will not receive credit if AI was used to create the paper.
 - Attend one of the following CO-OP Meet-ups:.

Quizzes on ISURIZ.com are under "Knowledge and Certificate of Achievement."



 January 30 | 11 a.m.
RUC, Tech Pride Room

 February 18 | 11 a.m.
RUC, Tech Pride Room

 February 27 | 11 a.m.
RUC, Tech Pride Room

 March 11 | 11 a.m.
RUC, Tech Pride Room

Part 3 - Introduction to Job Search

COMPLETE ALL ASSIGNMENTS IN PART THREE:

- Start your Handshake profile by completing sections on: Major, Summary, add at least two current skills, and list at least two classes, remember to mark your profile as “public” to receive credit for this assignment.
 - Attend one resume workshop listed below OR complete a resume review with a Career Ambassador (appointment through Handshake). To receive credit your employer ready resume must be uploaded to Handshake under “Resume”
 - January 23 | 11 – 11:45 a.m.
Writing My First Internship Ready Resume
RUC, Tech Pride Room
 - February 25 | 11 – 11:45 a.m.
Writing My First Internship Ready Resume
RUC, Tech Pride Room
 - April 1 | 11 – 11:45 a.m.
Writing My First Internship Ready Resume
RUC, Tech Pride Room
 - Attend one interview workshop listed below or make an appointment with a Career Counselor for an Interview Skills Appointment.
 - February 20 | 11 – 11:45 a.m.
Intro to Interview Skills
RUC, Tech Pride Room
 - March 27 | 11 – 11:45 a.m.
Intro to Interview Skills
RUC, Tech Pride Room
 - April 15 | 11 – 11:45 a.m.
Intro to Interview Skills
RUC, Tech Pride Room
- OR attend one of the following job fairs:
- February 13 | 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Annual Spring Engineering Fair
Hooper-Eblen Center
 - February 13 | 4 – 5:30 p.m.
Construction Management Fair
Ashraf Islam Building Atrium
 - March 6 | 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.
School of Agriculture Career Fair
Memorial Gym
 - March 13 | 10 a.m. – Noon
College of Education Career Fair
Memorial Gym
 - April 2 | 1 – 4 p.m.
Nashville Area Job Fair
Nashville Fairgrounds
- Watch “Interview Preparation - An Introduction to STAR-L” on ISURIZ.com. Take the knowledge test and download certificate of achievement. Then upload the certificate to the documents section of your Handshake account under “other documents.”

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