

Students Overall Comments -2006 Student Satisfaction Survey

Compliments

*I think it is great how Career Services, sets up a follow up interview with each students after they have had there initial interview with employers on campus. It provides us with an excellent source of information not only on what we are doing wrong and need to fix, but also on how we can improve on things we are doing right to make them even better.

*I appreciated everything. Mr. Endicott proved to be a valuable resource and really helped steer me in the right direction with the writing of my resume and cover letter. He even made a follow up appointment with me just to make sure I had done what he had advised properly.

*Russell Endicott was always very helpful.

* Career Services is so helpful to students! Each time I have gone in there for help with my resume, it has been outstanding. The staff is so nice and willing to help and answer any questions. More students should take advantage of this service. Thanks!

*Wonderful services, really beneficial. More info about jobs, internships available via email or easier to read webpage

*I have been helped by most of the staff and I feel that they all have helped me accomplish my goals for my resume and graduate essays.

*Some things are hard to find on the website. Thanks for the great work.

*You guys do a great job!

*The website is wonderful. One of the best I've seen yet. Your resources are amazing and you are really student focused. I enjoy the staff a lot and I feel that they are really diverse in their approaches with students and employers.

*Everyone was very helpful in helping get what I needed to get done with.

*The new online appointment system will be very convenient once it is up and running.

*Many of the job fairs are scheduled on tues/thurs when a lot of social work students are at their field placement from 9 to 5 typically so that can be a problem but other than that you guys do a wonderful job and I really appreciate what you have done for me.

*Since I have not started in the RT program yet, I have not attended any job fairs and I have not really looked for any jobs. I do often receive emails and notice postings throughout the campus regarding careers. I must say that it seems as though ya'll are providing us students with many career opportunities. Keep up the excellent work!!!!

Creative Criticisms

*Many of the employers at the Job Fair are viewed as inappropriate by some students. For example being graduating college students many of us are not interested in speaking with the large amount of restaurants/hotels that attend the job fair. More emphasis needs to be placed on finding corporate recruiters. Also during resume review many of the employees within Career Services offers contradicting advice making it very difficult to receive adequate help.

*E-recruiting website is slightly confusing at first

* The job alerts I get, do not pertain to my field, so it would be beneficial if they did. None of them were near the area I live in either, so it made it hard to apply. Out of the 5 or 6 mentors I wrote to, only one wrote me back. A suggestion would be to have mentors who will actually participate and help out.

*The job fair lacked a lot of employers in many areas. I don't think all majors were equally represented.

*I would like to see more offerings for International business students. There are few job, internships, or mentors related to this field

*More workshops in the Arts and Music field. There needs to be better notifications of these events as well.

*Have later hours on weekday evenings

*It would be nice to have more employers come with more psychology or social work jobs.

*There wasn't much for me to look for at the job fair to cover my area. Maybe broaden the employers

*Need to find more liberal arts related fields for job fairs/interviews – most of them are business majors

*Have more companies come that have a need for writing/publication

*Make website easier to navigate.

*Don't send so many job/internship alert e-mails.. it becomes very annoying and cluttered when most of them don't apply to what I'm looking for. The once-a-week updates were fine.

*Have employers from other areas come here, not for just local opportunities. Also, more larger corporations would be helpful.

*Stop sending out lots of emails each day. Possibly just make it once daily email or one weekly email.

*It seems most jobs are only in certain fields. The job fairs are very unorganized and cramped. At one point you will be told to leave a resume if someone doesn't come, but then you are told that cannot be done. I know there are good people at career services, but I never seem to be there when they are.

*Career Services did not respond to email requests.

*I once attended a job fair and never have again. It was a complete waste of time, seeing as how there were only about 2 companies that were even relevant to my major. And because I had class until 3:15, I went after that. By that time, half the companies were gone or packing up, despite the job fair supposedly lasting til 4 pm. I was very dissatisfied and advise people against attending the job fair. Also, when sending out job alerts, it would be better if they were all in one email, instead of getting about 10 emails a day, each with one job description.

*I still don't feel as connected as I could be with employers, maybe a program for each year level on possible job preparations and also provide more workshops and programs that will keep students more connected with employers

*Advertise everything that you guys provide more, like for incoming freshman

*Make the mentoring part of the career service website more noticeable.

*A few on campus interviews have been cancelled that I have been signed up for and no one notified me that the interview was cancelled. If that is the company's responsibility please remind them to contact us. If it is your, then please send an email.