Career Services… Already?! 

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Goals of This Program

• Give you an overview of Career Services at Cornell.
• Share a few key points about our approach to providing career assistance.
• Show you some facts about Cornell Career Services.
• Answer your questions.
Introductions

• Presenter
• Attendees
• Career Services at Cornell
Career-Development Model

Understand Yourself  *  Explore Options  *  Take Action

Understand Yourself
- Interests
- Values
- Strengths
- Goals

Take Action
- Applications
- Letters
- Resumes
- Interviews

Explore Options
- Resources
- Networking
- Activities
- Internships
Five Points

• It’s OK for a student not to know exactly what s/he wants to do!
• We want to see students soon.
• We specialize in providing individualized attention.
• Experiential learning is very important.
• Networking is critical for developing strong career connections.
Types of Services

• Career interests and self assessment
• Career counseling
• Shadowing experiences/alumni connections
• Internships
• Fellowships advising and application support
Types of Services

- Pre-med advising and assistance with the application process
- Pre-law and pre-graduate school advising
- Individualized job-search strategy advising
- On-campus recruiting
Publications
Career Services by the Numbers: A Few Facts

2015-16 PROGRAMS and EVENTS

482 Programs and Workshops

14,846 Student Attendance

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

One-on-One Advising Sessions

15,287

Total On-Campus Interviews

8,595

Total Employers

369
More Interesting Facts

**JOB POSTINGS**

**ON-LINE**

17,070

9,900 **TOTAL EMPLOYERS**

**CORNELL STUDENTS AND ALUMNI BELONG**

192,650
## Selected Outcomes, Class of ’15

### Post-Graduation Plans

- **61.8% Employed**
- **23.9% Graduate School**
- **14.3% Other Endeavors**

### Top 10 Hiring Organizations

- Cornell University/Weill
- Goldman Sachs
- EY
- JP Morgan Chase
- Epic
- Oracle
- Accenture
- Google Inc.
- Deloitte Consulting
- Bank of America Merrill Lynch

### Top 10 Graduate/Professional Fields

- Engineering
- Biological Sciences
- Medicine
- Law
- Computer & Information Sciences
- Human Health Fields Other than Medicine
- Other Physical Sciences
- Veterinary Medicine
- Business and Management
- Agriculture and Natural Resources
## Sectors/Industries Entered

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See Full Class of 2015 Postgraduate Report:

career.cornell.edu/resources/surveys/postgraduate.cfm
Your Questions?

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Thank You for Attending...
Enjoy the Rest of Orientation!