SENIOR YEAR
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN

QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER

Where do you see yourself in the next 1-2 years after college?

Are you still interested in pursuing an advanced degree?

Have you received and carefully considered full-time offers?

If you have not received an offer, have you checked in with Career Services?

THINGS TO DO

□ UPDATE your career action plan with your full-time plans in mind. Your career advisor will help you reflect upon the culmination of your experiences, projects, and coursework

□ REVIEW profiles in Handshake and LinkedIn, and resubmit resumes and cover letters for digital review

□ FOLLOW UP with contacts made through career fairs, coffee chats, information sessions, LinkedIn and QuakerNet

□ DISCUSS graduate school application timelines with the pre-grad team

□ BE MINDFUL of hiring timelines for different industries and focus on your personal career path

□ EVALUATE full-time offers carefully before accepting. Discuss with family, career advisors, and trusted mentors

□ RESEARCH cost of living and relocation resources before committing to an offer

□ SUPPORT underclassmen by providing mentorship and insight through student activities and career development programming

□ COMPLETE Career Plans Surveys sent to you by Career Services in the spring/summer and stay involved with Penn after graduation

□ REMEMBER Career Services serves alumni so check back in even after you graduate!

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