

WELCOME TO CAREER CONNECTED CLASSROOMS



CAL POLY
Career Services

NACE 8 CAREER COMPETENCIES

National Association of
Colleges and Employers

<p>CAREER & SELF DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>Proactively develop oneself and one's career, have awareness of one's strengths and weaknesses, able to navigate career opportunities and networking</p>	<p>COMMUNICATION</p> <p>Communicate ideas clearly, public speaking skills, able to express ideas to others, can write and edit letters and memos</p>	<p>CRITICAL THINKING</p> <p>Exercise sound reasoning to analyze issues, make decisions, overcome problems and obtain/interpret knowledge and facts</p>	<p>TECHNOLOGY</p> <p>Ethically leverage digital technologies to solve problems, demonstrate effective adaptability to new and emerging technologies</p>
<p>EQUITY & INCLUSION</p> <p>Respect and value diverse cultures and races, demonstrate openness and sensitivity with all people, understand differences</p>	<p>LEADERSHIP</p> <p>Leverage the strength of others to achieve common goals, use interpersonal skills to coach and develop others, able to manage emotions and motivate others</p>	<p>PROFESSIONALISM</p> <p>Demonstrate accountability, punctuality, time workload management, demonstrate integrity and ethical behavior</p>	<p>TEAMWORK</p> <p>Build relationships with colleagues and customers, work within a team structure and manage conflict</p>

Website for ideas on developing and demonstrating these competencies
Request access to our institutional NACE Membership through February 2027

CLASSROOM PRESENTATIONS BY CAREER COUNSELORS

Career Services offers interactive presentations that engage students in their career-readiness journey.

Last year, Career Counselors presented to **217 classes** across all six Colleges, reaching over **9,700** students

Request a Career Services
Classroom Presentation for:
100-level classes
200+ level classes



CAREER EDUCATION CANVAS MODULES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Canvas Modules provide seamless integration and flexibility, enabling you to enhance your curriculum.

Modules and Assignments currently available for these topics:

- Networking
- Interviewing
- Navigating Your Job/Internship Search
- Resumes and Cover Letters
- Discovering Career Possibilities



Request Access to Canvas Career Education Modules

Contribute to Career Curriculum

CAL POLY CAREER CONNECTIONS (CPCC)

This mentoring and networking platform helps students explore career paths, connect with mentors, and build meaningful professional networks.

- Students can easily connect with alumni, and alumni can also network with one another through the platform.
- Faculty can integrate CPCC into coursework by assigning students to conduct informational interviews as part of career exploration or networking activities.
- The platform currently includes over **5,900 students** and **7,800 alumni**.



Faculty Access to Cal Poly Career Connections
Career Connections Video to share with students

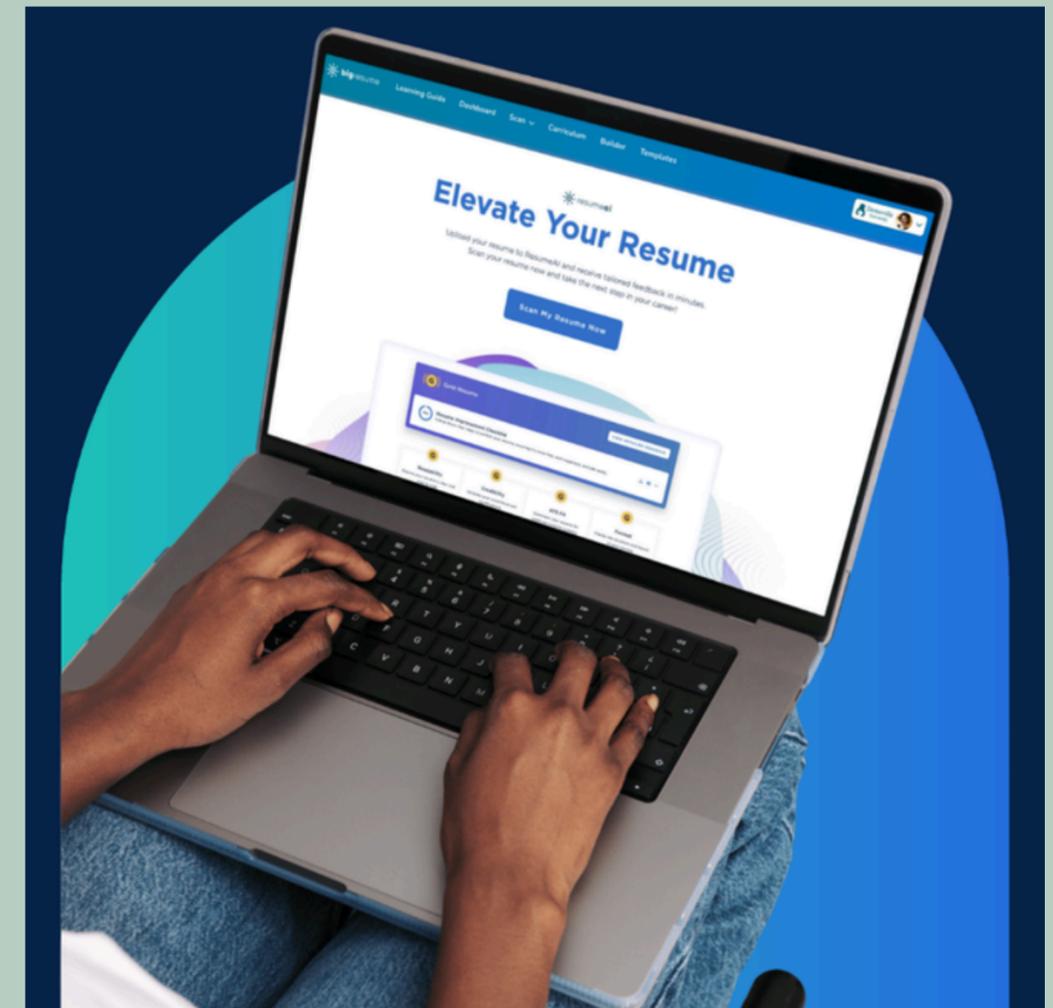
RESUME ASSIGNMENTS USING BIG RESUME

Launched in July 2025, Big Resume delivers in-depth resume feedback designed to enhance quality and ensure compatibility with Applicant Tracking Systems (ATS).

Career Services has created tailored scoring guides for all six colleges and a specialized guide for first-year freshmen.

Request Admin access to Big Resume and get detailed instructions on creating assignments

Recommend students use the platform via **calpoly.biginterview.com** using their Cal Poly email



MOCK INTERVIEW ASSIGNMENTS USING BIG INTERVIEW

Big Interview is an interactive interview-preparation platform designed to help students build confidence and improve performance. It provides instructional video tutorials on interview preparation along with mock interviews featuring a variety of question formats.

From September through December 2025, **675 students** completed a mock interview assignment for their class using Big Interview.

Request Admin access to Big Interview and get detailed instructions on creating assignments

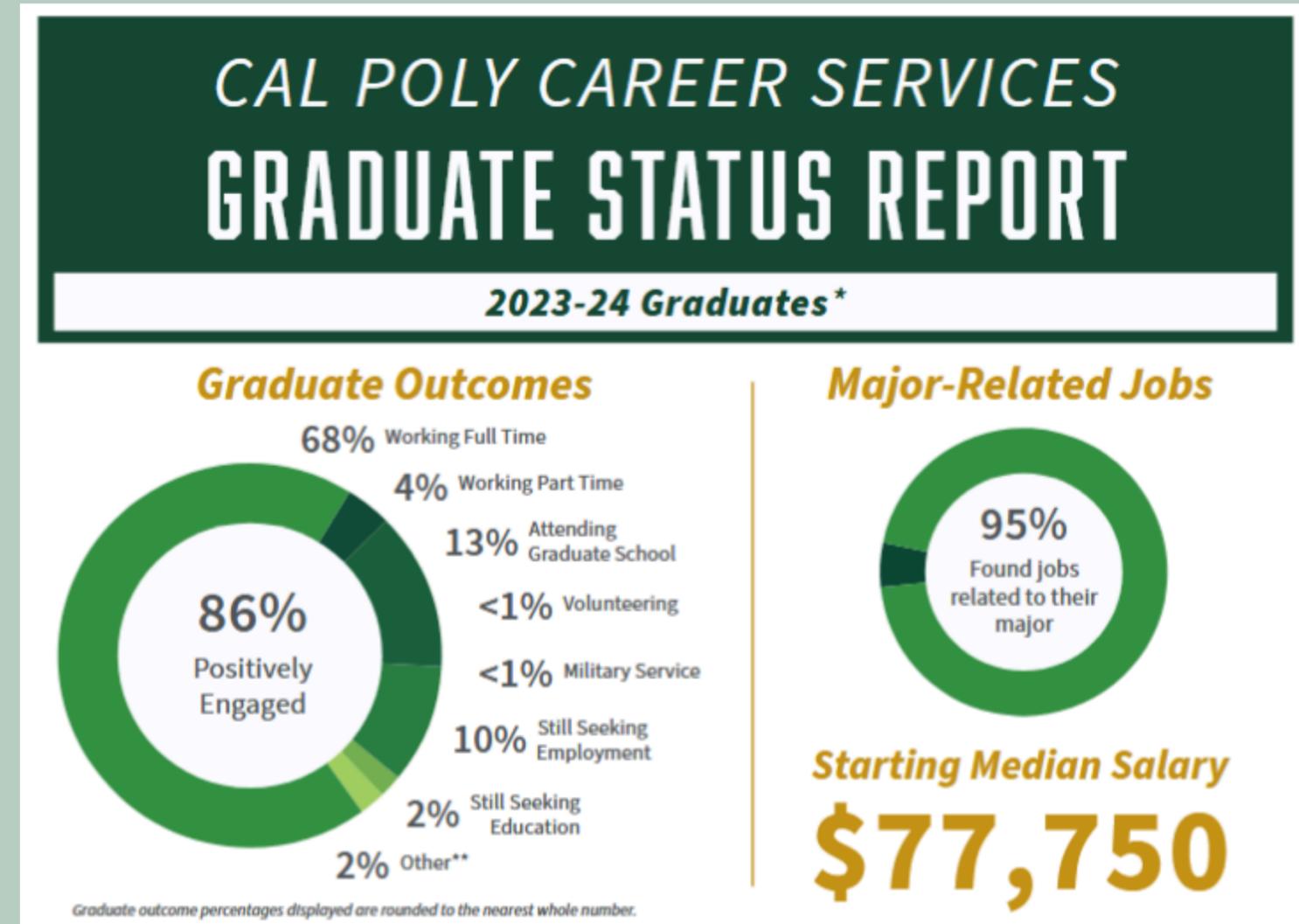
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GRADUATE STATUS REPORT (GSR)

On behalf of the University, Career Services conducts an annual survey of recent graduates, the results of which are compiled into the Graduate Status Report (GSR). The report provides data on post-graduation outcomes, including employment and admission to graduate or professional schools.

Administer the survey to your graduating seniors/graduate students [here](#)



GRADUATE STATUS REPORT (GSR)

- Launched this month, the new user-friendly dashboard makes it easy to explore outcomes by college and major, with detailed insights into:
 - Job titles
 - Salaries
 - Employers
 - Locations
 - Graduate schools and programs



Access the Graduate Status Report results [here](#)

HELP SPREAD THE WORD ABOUT THESE SERVICES

Accessible through Mustang Jobs:

- Career Fairs (10+ per year)
 - **Recommend a company** to invite to our career fairs
- On-campus interviews
- Information Sessions
- Job listings for students (faculty and staff can post opportunities for student assistants)

- **Reserve a room** for virtual interviews



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QUESTIONS

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING TODAY!

These slides will be sent to you soon

CAREER SERVICES TOURS

You're invited to participate in a brief Career Services tour to explore additional resources for students

