

# NEWSLETTER



## STAY UP TO DATE ON CAREER READINESS

Welcome to the October edition of the *UNE Career Connections Newsletter!*

Hello, Nor'easters! Can you believe we only have 7 weeks left in the semester?! Tune in to this edition of *Career Connections* to finish your semester strong and set yourself up for success as we look toward the Spring!



## THIS ISSUE

- Fall Career Readiness Checklist
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- Connect With Our Team

## FALL CAREER READINESS CHECKLIST

*Follow the steps below to stay on track with your career readiness goals this semester.*

- **Create** personal career goals for the next year
- **Update** your resume, cover letters, and LinkedIn profile to reflect this past year of academic achievements, experiential learning, and jobs.
- **Join** a professional club to gain relevant experience for your career interest.
- **Network** with professionals and alumni on LinkedIn to expand your connections
- **Refresh** your LinkedIn profile with an updated and professional photo.
- **Plan** ahead by researching internship programs of interest and their deadlines.
- **Practice** interview questions by using AI to identify industry-specific interview questions
- **Organize** your applications into a spreadsheet for clear tracking

# SEE WHERE NOR'EASTERS ARE INTERNING THIS FALL!

*Pictured below: Sarah Bedore,  
Communications Class of 2026  
Interning at Maine TREE Foundation*



*Pictured below: Andy Young,  
Environmental Science Class of 2026  
Interning at Arundel Land Trust*



*Pictured above: Reese Meehan,  
Marine Science Class of 2027  
Interning at Shy Beaver Trout Hatchery*



*Pictured above: Earlier this month, SMEP internship students got to visit the **Maine Audubon** to explore environmental career paths as part of their internship class with Professor Miller-Hope*

# INDUSTRY EXPLORATION DAY



[Read the full Event Recap here!](#)

Nearly 30 of Maine’s top employers and dozens of industry professionals convened at UNE’s first **Industry Exploration Day**, presented by UNE’s College of Business and Office of Career Readiness and Workforce Development. Students got the chance to meet with employers, get professional photos, receive live feedback on resumes, LinkedIn profiles, and job interview tips & tricks!





# FEATURED INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

For more information on how to apply, please reach out to [dbrothers@une.edu](mailto:dbrothers@une.edu)!

## SCHOOL OF MARINE & ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS

- Environmental Marketing Intern, **Saco Save Our Shores**- Saco, ME
- Farm Intern, **The Ecology School**- Saco, ME
- Invasive Species Intern, **Kennebunkport Conservation Trust**- Kennebunkport, ME
- Coastal Advocacy Events Intern, **Surfrider Foundation**- Remote
- Sea Level Rise Mapping Intern (GIS), **Scarborough Land Trust**- Scarborough, ME
- Saltmarsh Ecological intern, **Scarborough Land Trust**- Scarborough, ME
- Intern, **Maine Audubon**- Falmouth, ME
- Land Management Intern, **Arundel Land Trust**- Arundel, ME
- Intern, **Easy Aquariums**- Westbrook, ME
- Seaweed Education Intern, **Boothbay Sea and Science Center**- Remote

## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

- Management Intern, **Enterprise Mobility**- Saco, ME
- Scholar Intern, **Unum**- Portland, ME
- Operations Intern, **Portside Real Estate Group**- Falmouth, ME
- Intern, **Maine International Trade Center**- Portland, ME
- Marketing & Sales Intern, **Corporate Fleet Leasing**- Yarmouth, ME
- Finance Intern, **Atlantic Hospitality**- Kennebunk, ME
- Marketing & Communication Intern, **UNE**- on campus
- Operations Intern, **Benchmark Construction**- Westbrook, ME
- Sales Intern, **ALKU**- Remote
- Intern, **Maine Savings Bank**- Biddeford, ME
- Sales Analyst & Development Intern, **Underdog Energy**- Remote
- Associate Game Day Intern, **Portland Sea Dogs**- Portland, ME
- Intern, **Firecracker Sports**- Old Orchard, ME

## SCHOOL OF ARTS & HUMANITIES

- Art Intern, **Common Roots Art Studio**- Biddeford, ME
- Art Studio Assistant, **The Creative Soul**- Kennebunk, ME
- Media Marketing Intern, **Community Connect Maine**- Remote
- Marketing Intern, **Ocean Park Association**- Ocean Park, ME
- Production Intern, **No Umbrella Production Studio**- Portland, ME
- Camera Operator, **WMTW/WPXT Channel 8 News**- Portland, ME
- Resource Archive Intern, **Biddeford Cultural and Heritage Center**- Biddeford, ME
- Communications & Public Relations Intern, **Great Works Land Trust**- Ogunquit, ME
- Community Relations Intern, **Sweetser**- Saco, ME

**Stormin Norman's Forecast:**  
If you plan on doing a **for-credit** internship, make sure to plan ahead in your spring courseload for the corresponding **internship course**.



# UPCOMING CAREER READINESS EVENTS



## UPCOMING FALL EVENTS

*Register via Presence*

- Job/Internship Search Strategies-11/13/25
- Internship Information Session #2- 11/17/25
- Exploring the Concept of Professionalism- 12/02/25

### LOOKING AHEAD:

- Leadership Application Preparation-1/21/26
- Articulating Your Global Experience - 1/28/26
- Aquaculture Pioneer Program Information Session-1/29/26



## Event Spotlight

Unum is hosting **Frame Your Future**, an engaging career event open to Maine college students. Students will enjoy free lunch, coffee, and sweet treats while connecting with professionals across diverse business areas.

### Highlights include:

- Networking: Meaningful conversations with Unum employees from multiple departments.
- Career Exploration: Learn about opportunities.
- Resume Tips: Gain insider advice on how to strengthen your resume and stand out in the job market.
- Internship Insights: Meet current Scholar Interns and explore Unum's internship program.
- Interview Opportunity: Eligible students can interview for the Scholar Internship program at the event.

This is a great opportunity for students to connect, learn, and explore future career paths at an award-winning workplace.



**Date:** 11/07/2025

**Time:** 9:00 AM

**Address:** 2211  
Congress Street,  
Portland, ME 04102





# CAREER READINESS PROGRAMMING CALENDAR

Follow UNE Work to Learn on LinkedIn



SAVE THE DATE!

## EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS

Fall 2025

Spring 2026

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|---|----------|--|----------|
| ▶ Getting Started with LinkedIn                         | 09/24/25 | ▶ Leadership Application Preparation                     | 01/21/26 |
| ▶ Fall Internship Information Session #1                | 10/01/25 | ▶ Articulating Your Global Experience                    | 01/28/26 |
| ▶ Industry Exploration Day Preparation with ALKU        | 10/02/26 | ▶ Job/Internship Search Strategies                       | 02/24/26 |
| ▶ Industry Exploration Day with the College of Business | 10/16/25 | ▶ Exploring the Concept of Professionalism               | 03/04/26 |
| ▶ Job/Internship Search Strategies                      | 11/13/25 | ▶ Nor'easter Network Connections                         | 03/26/26 |
| ▶ Fall Internship Information Session #2                | 11/17/25 | ▶ Early Career Transitions: Bridging the Gap             | 04/02/26 |
| ▶ Exploring the Concept of Professionalism              | 12/02/25 | ▶ LinkedIn Advanced: Building Your Professional Presence | 04/15/26 |

# MEET THE OFFICE OF CAREER READINESS AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

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