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Curtin Careers

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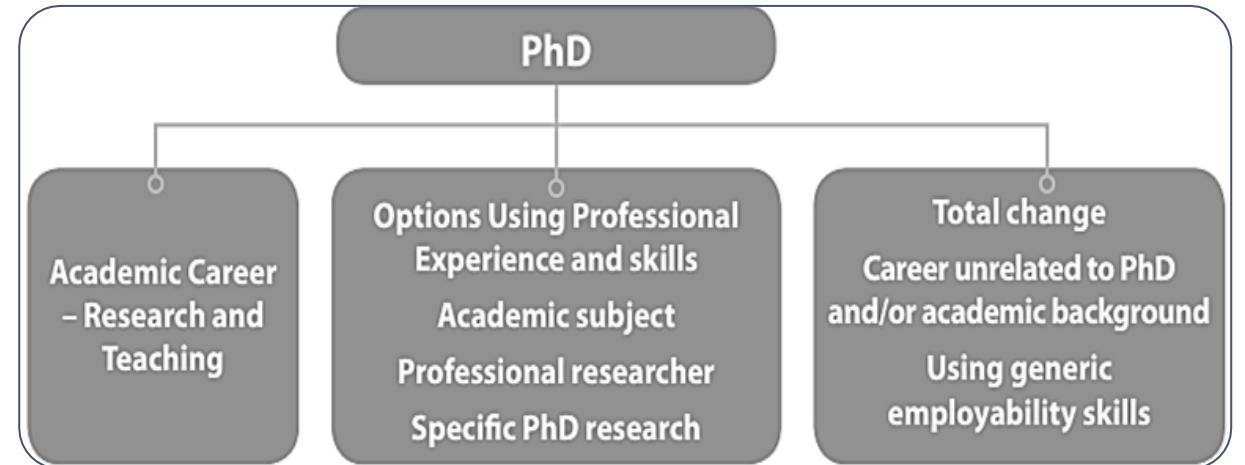
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Where are you, right now?

Designing your career is a process,
not something that will happen two weeks after submitting your thesis or completing your higher degree ...

so it is important you start thinking about this now.



10 ways to make the most of your time as a PhD student:

1. Network and get online. ...
2. Conferences. ... Be strategic!
3. If you can, teach and get a Higher Education Academy accreditation for it. ...
4. Host a symposium, conference or workshop. ...
5. Apply for funding. ...
6. Do some outreach work. ...
7. Host an event for other postgraduates. ...
8. Run a project. ...
9. Be interdisciplinary, go to other seminars in your university. ...
10. Develop a thick skin. ...

<https://www.theguardian.com/higher-education-network/2014/nov/25/10-ways-to-make-the-most-of-your-time-as-a-phd-student>

How can we help?

Explore Your Options

- Career Planning
- Decision Making
- Career Guides

Develop Your Skills

- Mentoring
- Networking
- Leadership

Build Your Experience

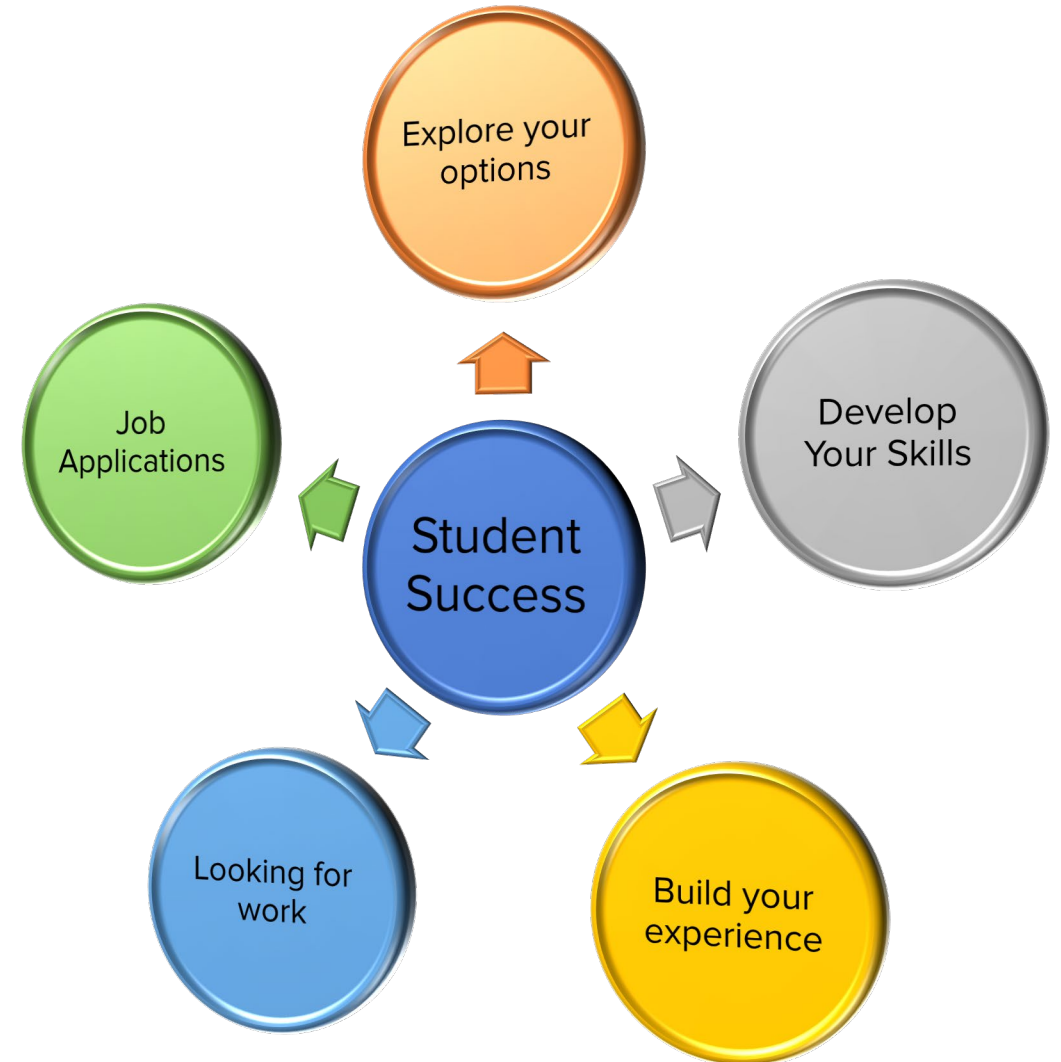
- Curtin Volunteers!
- Internships
- Curtin Extra

Looking For Work

- Earn While Your Learn
- Job Seeking Strategies
- Unihub

Job Applications

- Job Application Advice
- Vmock
- Mock Interviews



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- One to one career conversations
- Job applications support
- Immediate resume and LinkedIn reviews on Vmock
- UniHub Resource Library

curtin.edu/careers



Curtin Careers Website

- Find jobs on campus with Earn While You Learn
- Casual jobs, vacation work and graduate roles
- Career Fairs – meet employers, discover opportunities

unihub.curtin.edu



Curtin Extra

- Your choice from over 90 co-curricular activities
- Official recognition: digital badge and certificate

curtin.edu/extra



Each Curtin Extra program

Have tiers of involvement as chosen by students

Tier 1: 20+ hours

Tier 2: 35+ hours, 5 Challenge modules, and reflection

Tier 3: 70+ hours, program completion, and reflection

Belongs to one stream on a themed skill set

- Leadership
- Social impact
- Professional development
- Innovation and enterprise
- Global citizenship

Designing Your Future- Curtin Credential



Designing Your Future: Designing Success (Module 1) 2023

Started Jan 1, 2023

Enrol



Students as Partners

- Influence the student experience at Curtin
- Contribute towards the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals
- Grow your professional and friendship networks

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Leadership programs

Skills for Success

Workshops to build your leadership abilities, running throughout semester.

bit.ly/sfs-workshops

Curtin Leaders Program

An experiential leadership journey to become an agent for change.

bit.ly/curtinleadersprogram



Curtin Volunteers!

- Develop practical skills
- Grow your professional and friendship networks
- Contribute to the community
- Value add to your resume

cv.curtin.edu.au



Earn While You Learn

- Get paid work on campus
- Casual and fixed term jobs
- Experience to start your career

**bit.ly/
EWYLOpportunities**



Challenge

- Free self-paced online learning modules
- Range of module topics e.g. resumes, teamwork, decision making, networking

challenge.curtin.edu.au



UniHub

- Find and apply for jobs
- Register for workshops and events
- Resource library
 - including Career Guides
- Apply for a range of programs

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The screenshot displays the UniHub website interface. At the top, there is a navigation menu with options: Home, Jobs & Opportunities, Profile, Documents, Events, Log Hours, Appointments, Employers, Surveys, Resources, and My Account. A search bar is located in the top right corner. The main content area features a large banner for "Instant resume reviews" with a "FIND OUT HOW" button. Below this are five quick-action tiles: Log Hours, Pathways, Resource Library, Public Profile, and Add a Resume. The "Upcoming Events" section lists four events: "Game Changers online workshop: Forming Habits for Success", "Meet the Recruiter Workshop", "Exploring TECH Careers with FDM with Curtin University - Student Success", and "Resume Clinic Workshop". The "Latest Jobs" section displays four job listings: "Natural Area Consulting - Environmental Science...", "Want to further develop your IT skills?", "International Relations/HR Internship", and "Winter Break - Work experience". The "Jobs Expiring Soon" section shows four listings: "ASPP - Project Support Analysts", "Business Law Internship with Fremantle Dockers", "Casual Tutor", and "EWYL - Project Analysts". The "Announcements" section is partially visible at the bottom.



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Thank you. Any questions?

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