



Professional development to bridge graduate school and career success

What is Career Pathways?

- University-wide program that prepares graduate students and postdoctoral scholars for successful transition into thriving careers.
- A gateway to resources, programs, events, and planning tools for ODU graduate students and postdocs.

PREPARING FUTURE PROFESSIONALS (PFP)

Designed for individuals interested in a non-academic career such as in industry, non-profit/non-governmental organizations, or government agencies.

Earn the **PFP Certificate**:

- Develop an individual development plan
- Create a resume
- Attend professional development events or complete professional development activities
- Produce an ePortfolio to document professional development and growth

PREPARING FUTURE FACULTY (PFF)

Designed for individuals interested in an academic career.

Earn the **PFF Certificate**:

- Complete a mentored teaching experience
- Create a CV
- Attend PFF and other professional development events
- Produce an ePortfolio to document professional development and growth

SPRING 2023 Events

- Jan 18 & Jan 26 **Donuts and Development: Drop by and Learn about Career Pathways** (info table)
10.00-11.00am in the Webb Center by Starbucks
- Feb 3 **Career Exploration: Research Administration**
1.00-2.00pm in the Graduate School Multipurpose Room (Monarch Hall 2100) and [Zoom](#)
- Feb 8 **ePortfolio for Graduate Students** (Co-sponsored with the Office of Academic Success Initiative and Support)
12.00-1.00pm via [Zoom](#)
- Mar 16 12.30-1.30pm in the Graduate School Multipurpose Room (Monarch Hall 2100) and [Zoom](#)
- Mar 28 **How to Conduct a Successful Job Search (and Mistakes to Avoid)** (Offered by [Beyond the Professoriate](#))
12.00pm-1.30pm via Zoom. Registration required.
- Apr 6 **The Academic Job Market: Advice from the Search Committee**
12.00-2.00pm in Learning Commons LC 1310-1311 and [Zoom](#)
- TBD **Public Engagement and Research** (Offered by [Cintron, Revised](#))

Remember to check out recordings of previous events on [Career Pathway's YouTube channel](#)

Find more info and stay updated by visiting the Career Pathways website: sites.wp.odu.edu/careerpathways