Work-Study Quick Start Guide

This year, we are proud to offer over 1,000 different positions covering a variety of areas and requiring a number of different skills. Our jobs range from accounting and program development with the Vice Chancellor to overseeing the 3-D printers and laser cutters in the BeAM Makerspace to assisting with cutting-edge research in medicine, chemistry, and even archeology! Here's how to get started finding the right job for you:

1. **Complete WS Training**
   a. Log into the FWS Training site in Sakai at sakai.unc.edu/portal/site/d678e51c-b164-4055-ab28-e6a78f6ca53e to complete your WS Student Training.
   
   **Note:** You must copy and paste the website link to gain access.
   b. Review the WS Training Presentation.
   c. Complete the WS Training Quiz with a score of 100%.
   d. Save or print a copy of the quiz results page showing your score of 100%.

2. **Search for The Right Position**
   a. Log in to the Job X Students page.
   b. On the Students page, use the “Find a Job” link to begin your job search.
   c. Begin looking for jobs that fit your academic plans, professional goals, and/or personal interests. If you need help, use the resources on the left side of the Students page for assistance in finding the right job for you.

3. **Complete an Application**
   a. Once you find a job to which you would like to apply, you'll need to answer a series of job-related questions and provide a copy of your résumé & cover letter.
   b. If you need help with these documents, UCS has a number of online resources.

4. **Interview and Receive a Job Offer**
   a. Interested supervisors will contact you to set up an interview.
   b. If the interview shows that the position is a good fit, you'll receive an official job offer; if you agree to take the job, you will be hired.
   c. Make sure to cancel your other pending applications once you accept a job.

5. **Complete the On-Boarding Process**
   a. You'll need to provide your new WS Supervisor with your WS Training Quiz result (from step 1) before you can begin working.
   b. You’ll also need to meet with the Human Resources Officer for the department/employer to complete I-9 Verification and Payroll Enrollment. For these processes you may need to supply your bank account information as well as official documents (e.g. your driver’s license, social security card, and passport). Be sure to check on what documents are required so you can bring them to school.
   c. Beginning August 21st, students who have completed all previous steps and met with their supervisor may begin employment for the 2018-19 academic year.

Still have questions? Check out the resources on the JobX Student Page.