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- Clinical Svcs. Coordinator, UCLA Consultant, Capgemini
- Culinary Producer, Viceland English Teaching Asst., SITE Program
- Site Coordinator, AmeriCorps

#### Graduate Programs

- Applied Math, PhD
- Art History, PhD
- Comparative Literature, PhD
- Educational Leadership, EdD
- Historical Musicology, PhD
- International Business, Masters
- Italian Studies, PhD

#### What Can I Do

- Examples gathered from the Berkeley Language Center and Career Counseling Library.
- Check out the Career Center Yearly Planner.
- Set up a Handshake account and sign up for CareerMail.
- Explore career fields in the Career Connections Networking Series.
- Meet with a Career Center counselor to discuss your career options and goals.
- Shadow alumni during a winter externship.
- Learn about graduate and professional school. See Step-by-Step for planning help.
- Think about doing an internship and attend an internship fair.
- Learn about career fields and conduct informational interviews with people in those fields.
- Discuss graduate school options with advisors and professors.
- Create or update your resume and LinkedIn profile.
- Attend career and graduate school fairs.
- Utilize job search tools from the Career Center.
- Ask professors and graduate student instructors for recommendation letters.
- Attend Employer Info Sessions and On-Campus Recruiting.
- Apply to jobs, graduate school, and other opportunities.

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