

Did you know that Career Services...

Did you know that **Career Services** is here to help if you are a current or recently graduated (within one year) graduate or professional student at Queen's? They have extensive experience working with graduate and professional students. Whether you're thinking about continuing on in academia or wondering how to make the leap elsewhere, they have strategies and resources for students just like you.

Career Services: Snapshot of Career Supports for Graduate and Professional Students

We can help graduate students strategize about topics such as:

- Career options with a graduate degree
- To PhD or not to PhD
- Graduating job search strategies
- Assessing offers
- Finding a job outside academia (business, industry, government, etc.)
- Finding a job in academia
- Academic interviewing
- Maximizing impact at career fairs
- Leaving a graduate degree before completion
- Fine-tuning a CV or converting CVs to resumes

Core Services Accessible to Graduate Students

Work experience (Work Study programs, Experiential Learning Hub)

Workshops on resumes, interview skills, career options

Career information area

Career fairs

Career counselling and drop-in career advising

Employer recruitment activities (information sessions, online job board, etc.)

Services Targeted to Graduate Students

Workshops with departments and within Expanding Horizons

Our webpage for graduate students careers.queensu.ca/students/services-students/graduate-and-professional-students

Grad Maps: program specific tips and resources for career readiness at graduate careers.queensu.ca/gradmaps

Targeted resources in our Career Information Area (such as the books mentioned below)

Examples of targeted books:

- Surviving Your Academic Job Hunt: Advice for Humanities PhDs
- Putting Your Graduate Degree to Work
- How to Write Your Curriculum Vitae
- Moving On in Your Career: A Guide for Academic Researchers and Postgraduates
- So What Are You Going To Do With That: Finding Careers Outside Academia
- Alternative Careers in Science: Leaving the Ivory Tower
- The Chicago Guide to Your Career in Science
- The Doctoral Journey: Perseverance
- A Guide to Academia: Getting into and Surviving Grad School, Postdocs and a Research Job
- What They Didn't Teach You in Grad School: 199 Helpful Hints for Success in Your Academic Career